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POCTEFA program 2014-2020: 189M€ ERDF 274 M€ of investments



Program INTERREG POCTEFA Cofinancing ERDF rate up to 65%. HAUTE GARONNE PYRÉNÉES ATLANTIQUES BIZKAIA GIPUZKOA ARIÈGE HAUTES PYRÉNÉES ARABA / ÁLAVA PYRÉNÉES ORIENTALES NAVARRA ANDORRA LA RIOJA HUESCA GIRONA LLEIDA BARCELONA ZARAGOZA TARRAGONA Zone éligible Zone éligible hors UE www.poctefa.eu POCTER Working Group on Innovative Solutions to Cross-Border Obstacles/ 28 6 2018.

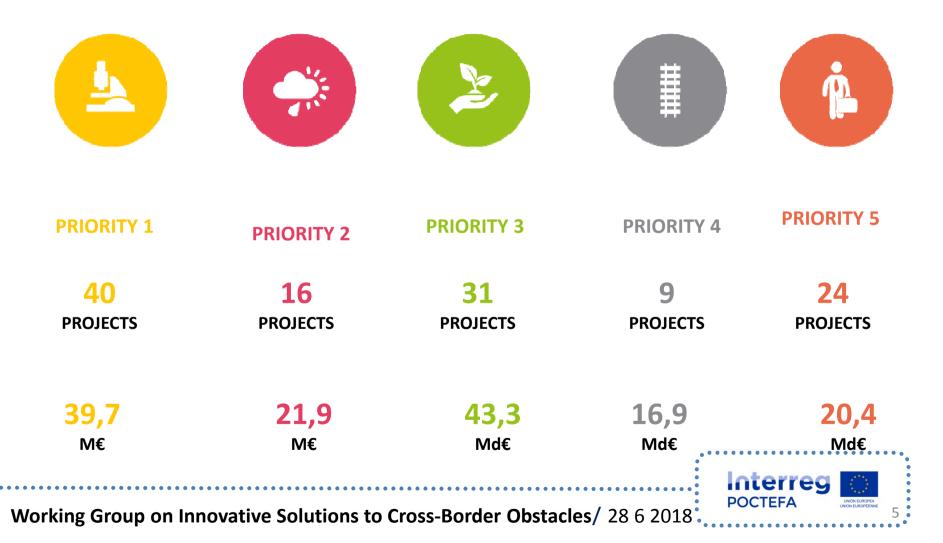
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After two calls



Next step

• 3rd call:

✓ 35,6 millones euros of ERDF

1st quarter 2019



Project example: PRINCALB

- **Results:** In July 2012, 10,264ha of forest were burned. More than 3,000ha were saved from the fire thanks to the work previously carried out.
- Signature of an administrative arrangement between the Spanish and French Ministries of the Interior on 20/2/2017





Project example : HeliNET

• Objective: to reduce the response time in situations of emergency, rescue and natural disasters in the western area of the border (Navarra, Euskadi and the Atlantic Pyrenees) by using helicopters.





Project example HeliNET

Expected results:

- Cross-border Logistics Network of at least 20 Helisurfaces / Heliports;
- Operational Network developing guides, action protocols and tools to help the decision to mobilize assistance vehicles, in help missions on both sides of the border;
- End with the lack of current administrative, logistical and operational coordination to allow cross-border mutual help actions in regions of both countries (difficult today).







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Some datas

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Overcoming the obstacles



Working on the weaknesses

- Cross- border accessibility / mobility
- Connectivity
- Aging of the population
- Language barriers for crossborder cooperation execution
- A moderately innovative territory
- Difficulties in attracting companies
- A high rate of unemployment among young people

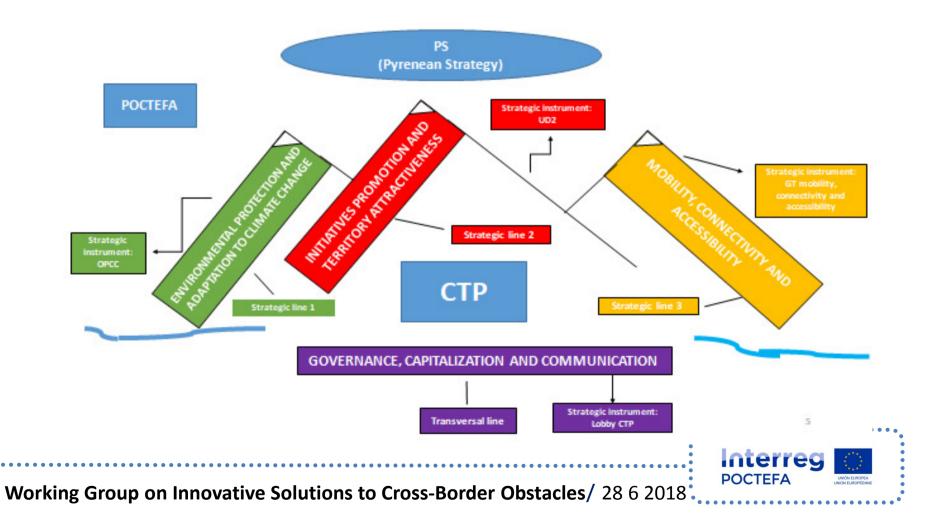


why a Pyrenees strategy?

- Recover the original spirit of the CTP
- Develop own activities
- Optimize this exceptional governance tool
- Exploit a window of favorable opportunities
- Act as a macro-region

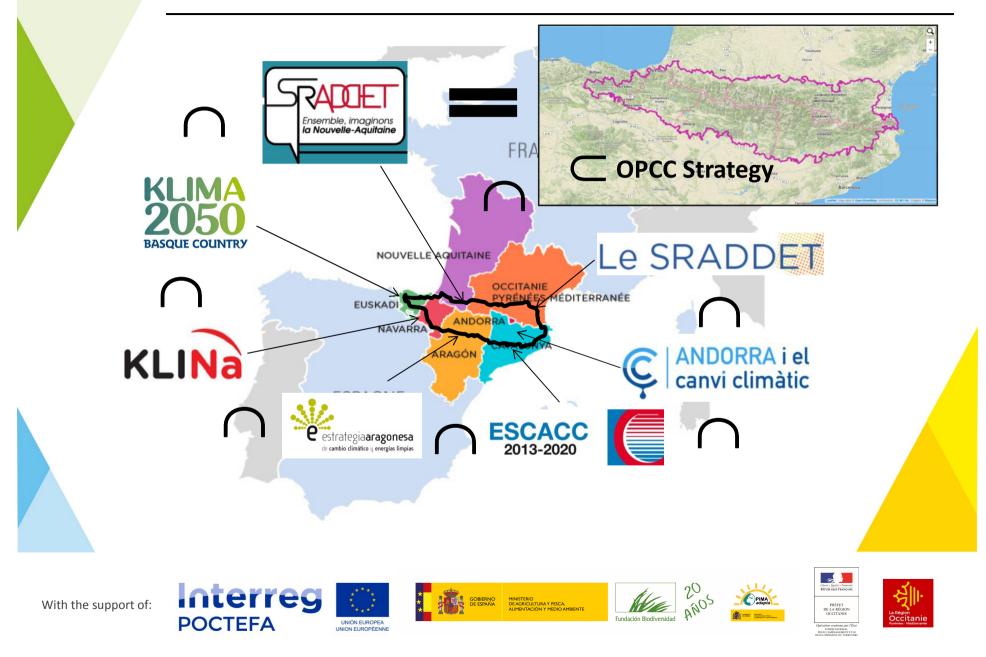


CTP strategy 2018-2024



Axis 1: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ADAPTATION TO CLIMATE CHANGE

C.C. adaptation in the Pyrenees



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Working on the weaknesses

CTP-POCTEFA can ACT on

- Promoting local initiatives
- Attractiveness
 of the cross-border
 territory

CTP-POCTEFA cannot ACT on

- Cross- border accessibility / mobility
- Connectivity

 \rightarrow AXIS 2 \rightarrow AXIS 3



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Axis 2: Pilot project Health emergencies in the Pyrenees

The legal obstacle

Merely not being registered with the Order of Doctors of the neighboring territory reduces the ability of emergency doctors to work on both sides of the Franco-Spanish-Andorran borders.

Our proposal

- Signing local agreements for crossborder health cooperation between Andorran and French States and the Spanish Regions,
- Signing of local agreements between the different professional Orders of Doctors (french departments and spanish provinces)
- finally with the establishment of a technical pilot between the emergency services of the Perpignan Hospital (France) and the Crossborder Hospital in Puigcerdá (Spain).
- During this last phase, the local experiences of the emergency services will be capitalized.



Thanks you

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