

A platform to promote policy debate and provide opinions and recommendations for ICT cooperation between Europe and North America

Transatlantic ICT Forum



Funding mechanisms



ICT Policy and Regulations



Cybersecurity

Over 25 high-level experts from Europe, US and Canada have joined the Transatlantic ICT Forum

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Working Group - Funding Mechanisms



- What funding instruments should be used to promote European - North-American (ICT) research collaboration?
- Best practices, what works and what does not work?
- Do we have appropriate Funding mechanisms today?
- White paper on funding mechanisms is in the making
- Finished in Q1-2017
- Working group with representatives from US, Canada and Europe
- If anyone is interested in contributing contact me

Members part of this afternoon session - full list at

<http://discoveryproject.eu/transatlantic-ict-forum/funding-mechanisms/>

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Working Group - Cybersecurity



- Experts representing and connecting to a broad network of researchers and innovators involved in projects, initiatives and platforms related to cybersecurity;
- Balanced membership between the EU, US and Canada experts;
- Main instrument for DISCOVERY to ensure high quality debate and engagement in relation to international collaboration in this vitally important topic;
- Best practices, what works and what does not work, why INCO is needed?
- Identification of cybersecurity technological gaps and issues currently existing in Europe, US and North America pointing out the common challenges and threats experienced by research and industry bodies (in EU, US, Canada);



Working Group - Cybersecurity



- Furnish suitable recommendations to address and target these identified challenges, gaps and issues. Working together with the DISCOVERY consortium, the Cybersecurity Working Group will discuss open issues regarding data security, trust and privacy of such systems;
- Position paper (draft 1) already online;
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Working Group - ICT Policy and Regulations



- The WG brings together policy makers and industry representatives from both side of the Atlantic. It addresses areas of common interest to tri-party EU, Canada and US policies: regulatory frameworks, IPR, market regulations, data protection, secrecy requirements and standards.
- The WG will move forward outcome-oriented dialogue and ultimate results to reduce excessive regulatory costs, identify unnecessary red tape and streamline processes to optimize efficiencies and avoid divergent policy approaches.
- The Input Paper on ICT Policy and Regulations will look at standards, regulations, market fragmentation and ICT accessibility, with recommendations to the political dialogue on regulations.
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