


EXPERIENCE OF PARTICIPATION IN FP6: EUROPEAN NETWORK FOR BETTER REGULATION (ENBR.ORG)



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ABOUT BRC



General Information:

- Consulting company founded in 2005
- Small Enterprise
- Areas of activity:
 - Regulatory Reform
 - Regulatory Impact Analysis
 - Market Research
 - Legal Research and Services

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Experience:

- European Network for Better Regulation (enbr.org)
- National Quality Award 2008
- Business Regulatory and Tax Administration Reform Project (USAID|BIZTAR)
- Building Capacity for Impact Assessment in Moldova within World Bank Competitiveness Enhancement Project
- Market Research, Legal Research and Services
- Associates' Experience

ENBR: GENERAL INFORMATION



- FP6, Priority 7, "Citizens and Governance in a Knowledge-based Society", Coordination Action
- Project title: European Network for Better Regulation (ENBR)
- Project duration: 36 months (2006 – 2008)
- Covered area: EU & Israel, later Moldova, Serbia and Ukraine
- Consortium of 21 organizations (18 initial + 3 later)
- Consortium coordinator: Centre for European Policy Studies, Brussels
- Project Budget: 1,027,701 EUR

CONSORTIUM MEMBERS



- Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS)
- Institute for Advanced Studies (Austria)
- Libera Università Internazionale degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli (Italy)
- Erasmus University Rotterdam (The Netherlands)
- London School of Economics (UK)
- University of Manchester – Impact Assessment Research Centre (UK)
- New University of Lisbon - Faculdade de Direito (Portugal)
- Praxis Institute (Estonia)
- Polytechnical University of Milan (Italy)
- Jacobs and Associates (Ireland)

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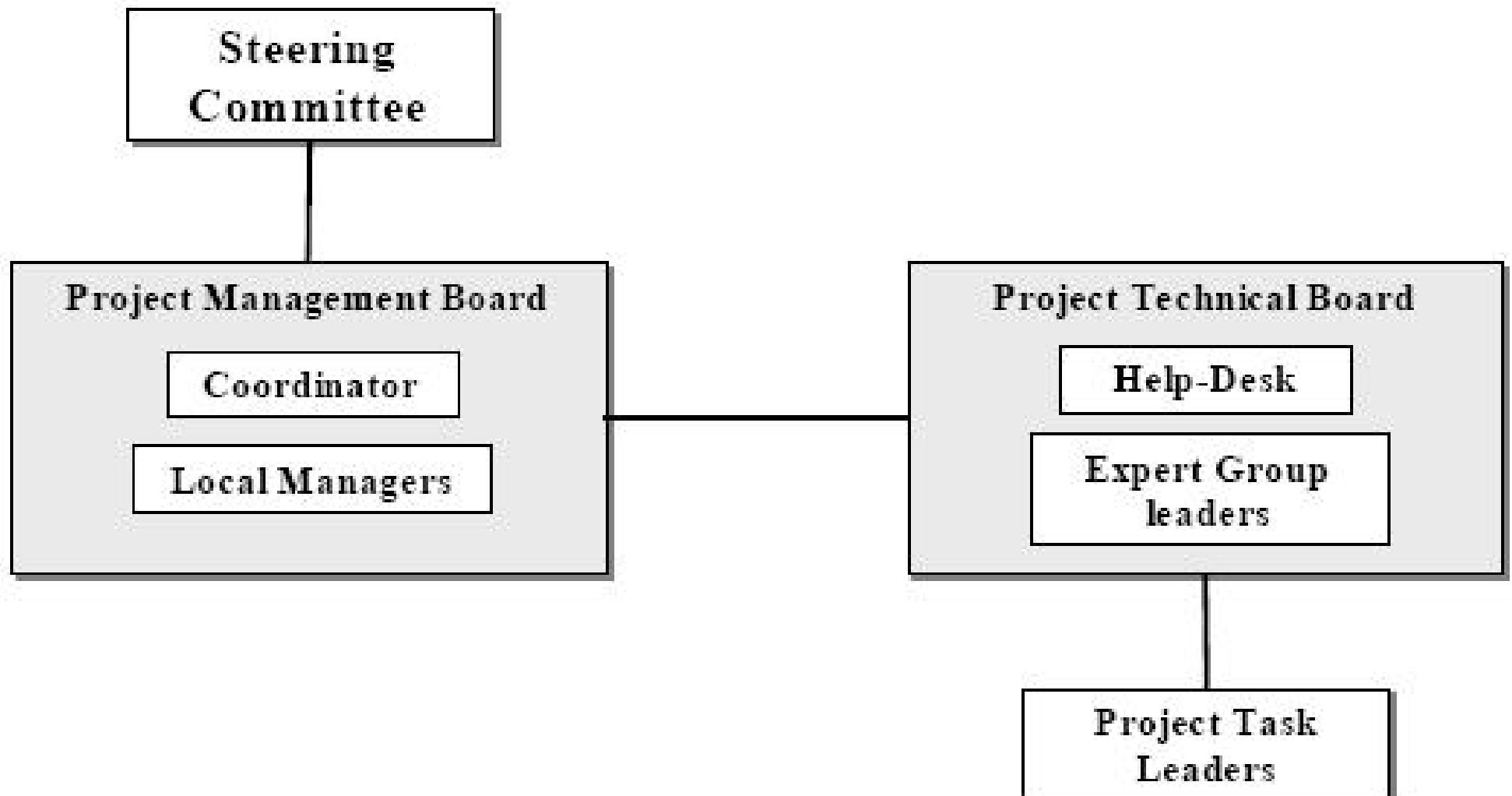
- Haifa University (Israel)
- Slovak Governance Institute (Slovakia)
- University of Exeter (UK)
- National and Kapodistrian University of Athens (Greece)
- Instituto de Empresa (Spain)
- Warsaw School of Economics (Poland)
- University of Osnabrück (Germany)
- Swedish Institute for European Policy Studies (Sweden)
- Balkan Center for Regulatory Reform (Serbia)
- Center for Support of Regulatory Reform (Ukraine)
- Business Research Company (Moldova)

ADDITION OF BRC TO THE PROJECT



- Previous experience in the field of Regulatory Reform and Impact Assessment
- Previous cooperation with one of the consortium members who recommended BRC – Jacobs & Associates
- Submitted information about the organization and CV of the representative person
- Submitted special administrative forms

PROJECT MANAGEMENT



COSTS AND REPORTING



Costs:

- Direct costs: personnel and travel
- Indirect costs: 20% of direct costs
- Management costs: audit certificate

Reporting:

- Initial advance invoice – pre-funding
- 2 annual reports (effort and financial)
- Final audit certificate (standard form)
- Final invoice

PROJECT PURPOSE



To set up and operate a pan-European network aimed at improving and disseminating the current knowledge of regulatory processes as well as the degree and mode of implementation of impact assessment procedures in EU member states, Israel, Moldova, Serbia and Ukraine

PROJECT MAIN ACTIVITIES



- Database on Impact Assessment (IA) Development
- Exploring relationship between IA and regulatory quality indicators
- Disseminating knowledge on the current methodologies
- Development of a website (www.enbr.org)
- Performance of inter-disciplinary studies and analyses
- Organisation of thematic workshops for awareness
- Publication of Annual Progress Reports on IA
- Exploration of new lines of research on better lawmaking
- Networking aimed at coordination/harmonisation of IA
- Ongoing dialogue with other projects

BRC MAIN ACTIVITIES IN THE PROJECT



- Researched legal framework related to regulatory process and impact assessment in Moldova
- Reviewed impact assessment documents produced in Moldova
- Completed Database on Impact Assessment with data on Moldova
- Produced research papers and presentations on Moldova
- Participated to regular project meetings every 6 months

BRC ADVANTAGES



- Improved Skills in field of better regulation and IA
- Improved administrative skills in dealing with FP6 projects
- Promoted organization with potential partners, donors, clients
- Established relationship with organizations and professionals from other countries, including leading experts
- Potential for extension of the project activities under other donors
- Experience counted as an asset for other tenders

THANK YOU!



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