



*“INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
FUTURE OF LEADER APPROACH
2020+ ”*

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seconded to the European Institutions, European
Commission, European Council and European
Parliament

Italian Lags which I cooperate asked me to bring
you the greetings and the interest to cooperate
through you the trasnational cooperation



Implementation of LEADER/CLLD in Italy

THE LEADER PROGRAM IN ITALY:

LEADER I - 1991-1993..... experimental phase only
in few italian regions

LEADER II - 1994-1999..... national dissemination
of the innovative LEADER methodology

LEADER + 2000-2006..... strengthening of the
LEADER approach



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THE LEADER PROGRAM IN ITALY:

LEADER PSR - ASSE 4 - 2007-2013.....

institutionalization of the LEADER programme and
first bureaucratic signals

MISURA 19 PSR - LEADER 2014-2020..... risk of
excess of bureaucracy?



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THE LEADER PROGRAM IN ITALY:

NEXT LEADER PROGRAM 2021-2027..... The origins

1-bottom up

2-networking

3-Multisectoral approach

4-cooperation

5-local identity

6- territorial partnership

7- Innovation



Implementation of the EU legislation for Innovation in the agro-food sector

(EIP-AGRI) Partnership Agricultural Productivity and
Sustainability

1) Rural Development Policy 2014-2020
(Reg .1305/2013)

2) Research and Innovation Policy "Horizon 2020"
(Reg 1291/2013)

3) Common Provision Regulation "CPR" (Reg
1303/2013)



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1) Innovation under Rural Development Policy 2014-2020

Operational Groups are multi-actor projects funded under the rural development policy.

They have an obligation to make the plans and results of their work available for others in the EIP network to use.



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Innovation under Rural Development Policy 2014-2020

The use of the EIP-AGRI common format for reporting on operational group projects through the EIP-AGRI network help connecting Operational Groups funded under rural development with Horizon 2020 research consortia on specific topics and themes



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The Service Point provides the following services:

- A [helpdesk, answering your questions](#)
- [Focus Groups, addressing specific challenges in agriculture and forestry.](#)
- Organisation of [EIP-AGRI events.](#)
- Feeding the EIP-AGRI network with [publications and coordinating the online Meeting Point](#)



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Research and Innovation Policy "Horizon 2020" (Reg 1291/2013)

Type of actions

Research & innovation actions (RIA) :

Innovation actions (IA):

Coordination & support actions (CSA):

SME instrument:

Era Net Cofund actions:

European Joint Programme (EJP) Cofund actions:

Pre-Commercial Procurement (PCP):

Public Procurement of Innovative Solutions (PPI) actions:

Prizes



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Thanks for your attention

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