






Intelligent Energy Europe Programme Is it for me?

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Introduction

- Helpline introduction
- Key aspects of IEE
- Format of the day




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- Funded by Department of Energy and Climate Change
- Provide support for UK organisations on European Energy Programmes
- Part of European National Contact Point network





Intelligent Energy Europe in a nutshell

IT'S YOUR CALL



> To reduce energy use and increase the share of renewable energies by:

- > Creating favourable market conditions
- > Shaping policy development and implementation
- > Preparing the ground for investments
- > Building capacities and skills
- > Informing stakeholders and fostering commitment



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2012 Call for Proposals

M A I N C A L L	SAVE (15M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Industrial excellence in energy • Consumer behaviour • Energy services
	ALTENER (13M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Renewable electricity • Bioenergy
	STEER (12M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy efficient transport • Clean and energy-efficient vehicles
	Integrated Initiatives (33M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Energy efficient public spending • Local energy leadership • Energy efficiency and renewable energy in buildings • Mobilising local energy investments*

*technical assistance to local or regional public authorities
 **separate Call with different deadline
• Building workforce training and qualification initiative**

2012 Call for tenders and other mechanisms

ELENA (39M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Market replication - Funding for project development services for public bodies
Tenders (19M€)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purchase of services (tenders) and support activities not subject to calls

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- Do you have an idea for a project that tackles a barrier to/encourages the uptake of proven intelligent energy solutions?
Focus of the programme
- Does your idea fit with the Programme priorities?
Award criterion 1 – important to show how you solve user needs and market barriers
- Would your project be action-orientated with high measurable impact in the short term?
Award criterion 3 – vital to convey the expected impact within and after project duration

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- Do you want to be part of a genuine European project?
Award criterion 4 – need to provide evidence that EU collaboration leads to greater benefits
- Are you prepared to share the work and results?
Award criterion 2 – clear work plan involving all partners
- Are you able to make a contribution to the cost of the project?
Award criterion 5 – co-funding sources must be described in the proposal
- Is it a non-technological project, not hardware investment or research and development?
Essential requirement of the programme

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IEE project types

Addressing non-technological barriers through:

- Creating and spreading effective methods and best practice
- Creating networks
- Promoting standards
- Developing finance schemes
- Spreading market intelligence
- Policy implementation

.....resulting in real changes on the ground

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How to benefit from IEE

Directly:

- Coordinate or participate in a proposal submitted in response to the Call for Proposals
- Submit a tender in response to the Calls for Tenders
- Work as an expert

Indirectly:

- Many tools and materials produced through the funded projects are freely available
- Better market conditions

The 2012 call for proposals



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8 May 2012 17.00 Brussels time

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Plan for the day

- Introduction to IEE and priorities (2 slots) – William Gillett, Executive Agency for Competitiveness and Innovation (EACI)
- Financial arrangements and proposal submission
- Case study
- Questions and next steps
- Lunch (including short discussions on financial initiatives that are available for public sector organisations)