



NEWSLETTER NOVEMBER

NESSI - the European Technology Platform for Software, Services and Data

Dear NESSI Member,

We are glad to present to you the November edition of the NESSI Newsletter 2014. This issue will focus on the workshop on Cloud Computing and Software in Brussels, as well as the NESSI INCO Day 2014. Furthermore, we will present some upcoming events which may be of interest to you.

As always, we hope that you find this edition of NESSI news interesting and would welcome you to follow us on Twitter ([@NESSI ETP](#)) or to check out our website www.nessi-europe.eu for the latest updates.

Best regards,

NESSI Office

Participation in the BDV PPP

The Big Data Value PPP contractual agreement between the Big Data Value Association and the Commission was signed on 13th October as we reported in our last Newsletter. We believe it could be of interest to you to find out about potential involvement. If you do want to get involved in the BDV PPP, please complete the Expression of Interest via the [Big Data Value](#) website. We suggest you try to narrow down your interest since there are many opportunities and possible ways to get involved in this PPP, depending on your interest, commitment level and resource availability.

Consultation on Cloud Computing and Software

A post-consultation Workshop was held in Brussels on Tuesday, 4th November 2014 in order to discuss and validate the views expressed by different actors during a web-based public consultation which was launched by DG Connect (Unit E2) with a view to defining future research priorities in Cloud Computing and Software, ahead of the H2020 ICT Work Programme 2016-17.

Upcoming Events

November 10, 2014

Brussels

[EU-BRAZIL](#)

[Cooperation](#)

[Consultation Workshop](#)

November 20-21, 2014

Barcelona

[NESSI Member's and](#)

[International](#)

[Cooperation Day](#)

April 13-17, 2015

London

[1st IEE Conference on](#)

[Network Softwarization](#)

November 16-17, 2015

Luxembourg

[European Data Forum](#)

[2015](#)

One of the goals of this Workshop was to bring together existing and new stakeholders, in particular from innovative technological SMEs and from the public sector with the aim of better focusing the Work Programme so as to maximise its impact on competitiveness and growth.

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The first WP 2016-17 Call for Proposals is expected to be published by the end of 2015. Hence, new projects are likely to be launched before the end of 2016 and, typically, will run for 2 or 3 years. Therefore, the Programme is expected to focus on infrastructures, services, technologies and innovation ripe for commercial deployment by the end of the decade.

NESSI was actively involved in contributing to the public consultation for both [Software Engineering](#) and [Cloud Computing](#) and was asked to present the findings during the [post-consultation workshop](#) to the wider audience.

NESSI Members and INCO Day 2014

The 2014 NESSI Member's Day in conjunction with NESSI International Cooperation Day will take place on 20-21 November at the "Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona" (Bellaterra, Barcelona). This event shall help to prepare a "Proposal development and consortium formation" workshop in view of the H2020 calls which close in April 2015. The aim is to enhance the collaboration between NESSI members, other ETP members and also organisations from international cooperation partner countries.

NESSI invites for this cooperation day its members and members of other Technology Platforms: NEM (New European Media), Network2020 (ETP for communications networks and services) and PLANETIC (Spanish ICT-Based Technology Platform) and also organizations and researchers from countries that participate in on-going FP7 funded projects in ICT INCO.

[More](#) information and registration.