**Application Form**

**Call for expression of interest to participate in a pilot action on multi-level governance and co-developed cross-border strategies**

Please complete this form electronically and send it to: REGIO-D2-CROSS-BORDER-COOPERATION@ec.europa.eu

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| 1. **LEGAL ENTITY - Information about the applicants**
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| 1.1. | Name of applicant(s)  |  |
| 1.2. | Contact person for this application | Name, surname |  |
| Job title |  |
| Phone |  |
| E-mail |  |
| 1.3. | Language portfolio / profile of the contact person and core team members | Language(s) used for daily work |  |
| 1. **CROSS-BORDER**
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| Please describe the cross-border region that would be concerned by the pilot (functional area, NUTS3, EGTC, Euroregion, etc.). Please list relevant national, regional and local authorities as well as stakeholders and citizens of the cross-border region would be involved and participate in the pilot (in addition to the legal entities that apply). Here it is about the list of these (whilst under 4. it is about the process of involving them). |
| *Max. 500 words* |
| 1. **MOTIVATION and COMMITMENT**
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| Please explain why you are interested in participating in the pilot and to what extent you are able and willing to commit to the project and to its follow-up (e.g. implementation of actions of the blueprint). Please provide an indication of the resources that can be made available for the pilot and whether a dedicated team and interlocutor will be appointed. |
| *Max. 500 words* |
| 1. **INVOLVEMENT - Involvement of relevant national, regional and local authorities as well as stakeholders and citizens of the cross-border region**
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| Please indicate how you envisage to involve the relevant national, regional and local authorities as well as stakeholders and citizens of the cross-border region both from both political and technical / administrative. Here it is about the process of involving them (whilst under 2. it is about the list). |
| *Max. 500 words* |
| 1. **POTENTIAL - Main area for further improvement linked to the effective and efficient implementation of the blueprint**
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| Please provide a description of the main area for further improvement that you see in terms of multi-level governance and co-developed cross-border strategies following the pilot. |
| *Max 500 words* |
| 1. **RELEVANCE - Relevant policy areas for strengthening multi-level governance and co-development**
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| Please select those policy areas that you consider most relevant for your participation in the pilot project. Please give a short explanation why you would be interested in working on those areas. (N.B. no need to address all points below). |
| 5.1. **Healthcare**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.2. **Transport**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.3. **Employment**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.4. **Energy**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.5. **Education**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.6. **Taxation policy**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.7. **Spatial planning**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.8. **Social innovation**  |
| *Max 200 words* |
| 5.9. **Other issues – please specify**  |
| *Max 200 words* |