## WORKSHOPS DAY 1
## 15 JUNE 15.00 - 16.30

### North Sea Region Programme workshops
- Priority 1 workshop: Thinking Growth, **Mindstorms 2**
- Priority 2 workshop: Eco-innovation, **Room C**
- Priority 3 workshop: Sustainable North Sea Region, **Mindstorms 3**
- Priority 4 workshop: Green Transport and Mobility, **Room U14**

Lots of applications came in for call 1 and 2. Call 3 also looks like it will be busy – but there aren't many ideas yet for call 4 in 2017. These workshops will give you an updated estimate on available funds and an overview of the applications received so far, as well as a chance to discuss new ideas with other project developers and with programme decision-makers. There will also be a chance to ask questions about how to increase your chances of approval whether you're new to the process or hoping to start work on a full application.

### North Sea Commission workshop
- Smart Specialization Strategies and Blue Growth in the North Sea, **Room D**

The workshop will examine the priority areas and the commonalities we find in the regions' smart specialization strategies and NSR 2020. This will create an evidence base and a common understanding of blue growth priorities for strategic cooperation for the North Sea Region.

## WORKSHOPS DAY 2
## 16 JUNE 14.00 - 16.00

**ROOM C**

### 14.00 - 14.20
### Let's get technical
Come and hear what you need to know – or what you may want to know – to successfully submit your application. We will take you through the administrative requirements before submission and help you make sure you have every document in place to pass the dreaded eligibility check. This session is designed for project developers looking to submit either an expression of interest or a full application.

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**ROOM C**

### 14.30 - 14.50
### How to work technically with the Joint Secretariat
Our online monitoring system is your main communication channel with the Joint Secretariat once your project is approved. This session introduces you to the key functions of the system.

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### 15.00 - 15.20
### "Coast is Clear" – innovative climate adaption against storms and flooding in coastal communities
Nature-based and innovative resilience strategies against storms and floods can ensure long-term development and attractiveness of North Sea coastal communities.

Uddevalla Municipality

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**ROOM D**

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### 5 common problems in applications and how to avoid them
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### To CATCH your input
Project proposal CATCH to generate input for the development of the Water sensitive cities-toolbox and stimulate networking.

Waterschap Vechtstromen

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### 15.30 - 15.50
### Enhancing regional growth: Shaping the future
Tackling intra-regional disparity in the North Sea Region: How can cities with strong economies help poorer areas to grow?

Greater Cambridge Greater Peterborough Enterprise Partnership

**ROOM U2**

### 14.00 - 14.20
### Innofest
Innofest is about creating an innovation quarter at festivals, where entrepeneurs can develop and test their new ideas and products in direct contact with the end-user.

Province of Drenthe

### 14.30 - 14.50
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### 15.30 - 15.50
### Innovative agriculture in times of climate change
Innovative farming – addressing the challenges climate change and sea level rise will mean to the North Sea Region's agricultural sector.

Waddenacademie

**ROOM U3**

### 14.00 - 14.20
### Autonomous / Automated transport – potential and risks
What are (potential) impacts of implementing the rapid technical developments of automated and autonomous transport on transport and mobility?

Free Hanseatic City of Bremen

**ROOM U3**

### 14.30 - 14.50
**All you need to know about project results and intervention logic**
Think you know the difference between outputs and results? Want to know what we look for during the assessment and a better chance of getting your application approved? Come and learn how to build a strong project intervention logic in this workshop.

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### 15.00 - 15.20
**E-solutions for commuters – presentation of a project idea**
An EoI for a project on enhancing e-mobility solutions for commuters has been submitted.

Hamburg University of Applied Sciences and Hoje-Taastrup Municipality

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**ROOM U14**

### 14.00 - 14.20
**Programme and project co-creation through social media**
This workshop provides concrete ideas and invites for discussions on how the programme can support your project communication – and how projects can help the programme communicate good project results.

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### 14.30 - 14.50
**Legolisation of bridges**
Bridges can be built more flexible, circular and cost efficient using Legolisation. Legolisation combines standardised and innovative building!

The Province of North-Holland

**ROOM U14**

### 15.30 - 15.50
**5 tips to improve your communication work package**
The communication work package is an integral part of your project application and key to delivering a succesful project. Don't miss these five hands-on tips to improving your communication work package and getting your project communication off to a good start.

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**AUDITORIUM A**

### 14.00 - 14.20 (PART 1)
### 14.30 - 14.50 (PART 2)
**The role of stakeholders in Maritime Spatial Planning**
The new Interreg VB NorthSEE project will develop cooperation actions under Maritime Spatial Planning. We invite the NSC community to take part in a workshop to discuss how to engage with stakeholders around the North Sea basin.

North Sea Commission

### 15.00 - 15.20 (PART 1)
### 15.30 - 15.50 (PART 2)
**NSC 2014-2016 achievements and the way forward**
The North Sea Commission invites participants to learn more about the organization and their recent and ongoing activities.

North Sea Commission

**ROOM U11**

### 14.00 - 14.20
**Economic Development vs. the Environment/Multi-faceted discussion focused on "thinking growth" and resolving challenges produced by different stakeholders approaches**
There are pro-environment groups and also people who promote economic development which have to work together under the programme priority 1 "Thinking growth". Striking a balance to bring these entities with extreme views on a common platform is essential at this time.

Common Wadden Sea Secretariat

### 14.30 - 14.50
**Citizens engagement in "Young Villagelift" behavioural change through schools**
Parent engagement through student play and learn engagement in local schools, supported by survey and "what's in it for me' tool.

GreenDriveThinking

**ROOM U11**

### 15.00 - 15.20
**PurePoints – An open data mapping project idea for local authorities and their citizens**
Engage local authorities and their citizens in mapping public points of interest using OpenStreetMap, a worldwide open data map.

West-Vlaamse Intercommunale

**AUDITORIUM B**

### 14.00 - 14.20
**Power2Gas = Energy4Transport – an intergrated approach to Europe's energy and transport challenges**
Power-to-gas produces clean fuels from renewable energy. Considering electricity, methane and hydrogen as one interactive system can balance the electricity-grid.

Sweco

### 14.30 - 14.50
**GRIP, Public participation in urban green infrastructure planning – how to do?**
Urban biodiversity and ecosystem services planning: Achieve public commitment and guarantee long-term continuity in citizen participation.

Länsstyrelsen i Västra Götaland

### 15.00 - 15.20
**Private matters – how to involve business in your project**
The programme welcomes the involvement of private businesses, but only when they contribute to programme goals and can meet a number of conditions. This session takes you through the whole process of working out how and when to involve businesses and what requirements you will have to meet to do this.

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