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# The process on Interreg 2020 +

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A joint informal initiative by

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with an aim to provide input for the Interreg 2020+ debate,  
Answering two crucial questions:

- What is it really that Interreg does, what are the „specialities“?
- How do we measure this?
  
- Discuss this with experts from Member States and MAs/JS
- Starting out in the transnational world



Series of 4 seminars with MS experts, MA/JS, Commission and Interact

Luxemburg, Amsterdam, Berlin, Valencia,  
May 2016 – February 2017

A product:

„ Ideas for Interreg post-2020 – transnational Programmes  
Input paper“, March 2017

Answering the question „Why Interreg?“  
Focussing on aspects of cooperation and cohesion



What is left open is the question:

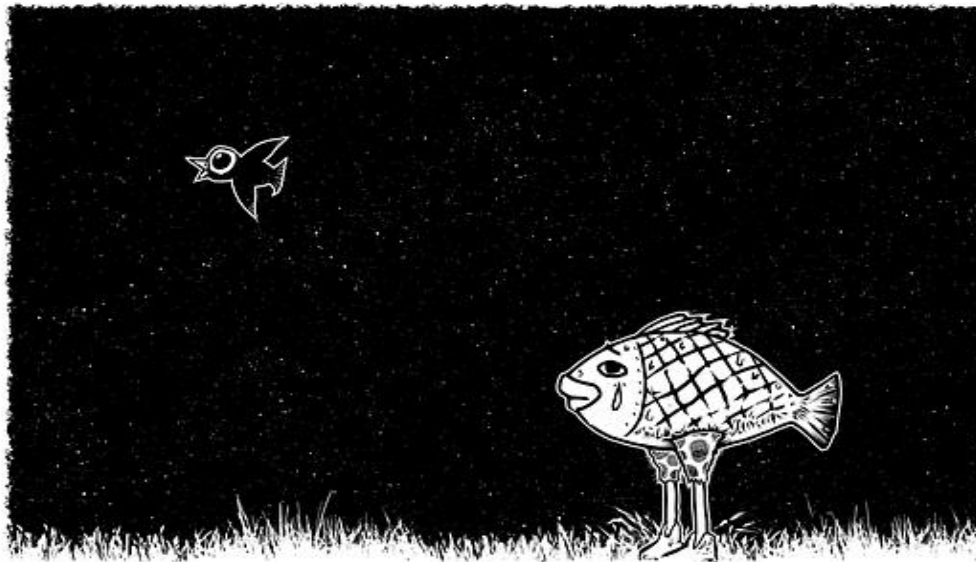
„How do we measure what Interreg really does?“

The current indicator system does not adequately reflect what the projects and programmes actually do.

What we want to set up: A new indicator system that asks the right questions and gives the right answers.

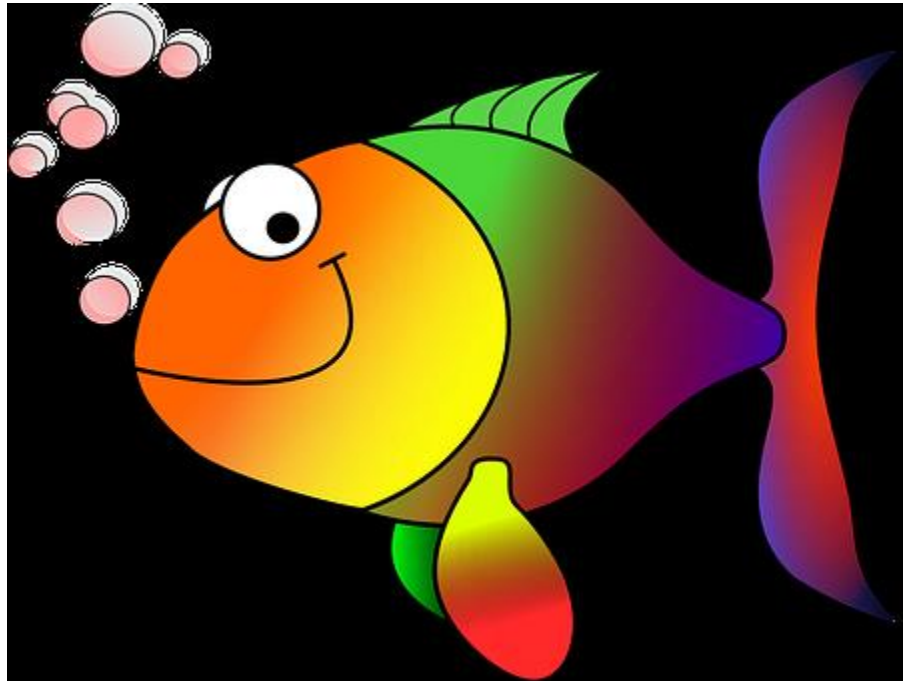


**„If you judge a fish on its ability to fly, that fish will always be a very unhappy creature“**





Let's make the fish happy!



Thank you for your attention!

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