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# Action on Climate Change through Engagement, Networks and Tools

## Fact Sheet

### Project Information

**ACCENT**

Grant agreement ID: 230178

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1 April 2009

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31 March 2011


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Specific Programme "Capacities": Science in society

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**EU contribution**  
€ 1 017 880,00

**Coordinated by**  
Fondazione IDIS-Città della  
Scienza  
 Italy

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## Research for regions: a coherent research area for Europe

### Objective

Fifteen relevant organisations among science centres, science museums and aquariums will be engaged by this proposal ACCENT in a coordination action aimed at rationalising their two-way communication practices and at strengthening their collaborations with the scientific community on climate change issues. Climate change issues are clearly a growing concern for the public today. In recent years, people have received a great deal of information from media on the causes and consequences of climate changes, but – depending on countries and regions – the understanding of citizens and their engagement in these topics is still varied. ACCENT proposes to contribute to a global effort to move the campaign on climate change from “informative” to the “active” phase, through the exchange and dissemination of practices, with specific actions that encourage the involvement of citizens in actions and dialogue. The rising demand for public participation is evident when addressing global challenges; in this sense, involvement of the public would be central to the ACCENT strategy to improve the capacity of European democracies to represent and include citizens' perspectives. Through ACCENT, the science centre community is committing itself to strengthening the efforts its institutions made at the local level in a one year European Communication Action on Climate change issues for the dissemination of European research results, and to establishing the dialogue among scientists, stakeholders and the public through participative practices. They will capitalise on their competences in a European sustainable Web platform that will act as “collector” as well as “disseminator” for any organisations dealing with public engagement in science. ACCENT will assess the outcomes from the engagement and participation of the public in order to deliver reliable data on the opinion and perception of European citizens about climate change issues.

### Keywords

[European research](#)

[best practices](#)

[citizens engagement](#)

[climate change](#)

[coordination](#)

[dialogue](#)

[networking](#)

[two ways science communication](#)

## Programme(s)

[FP7-SIS - Specific Programme "Capacities": Science in society](#)

## Topic(s)

[SiS-2008-3.0.3.1 - Encouraging cooperation and networking between scientific events organisers on public engagement with science](#)

## Call for proposal

FP7-SCIENCE-IN-SOCIETY-2008-1

[See other projects for this call](#)

## Funding Scheme

[CSA-CA - Coordination \(or networking\) actions](#)

## Coordinator



**Fondazione IDIS-Città della Scienza**

EU contribution

**€ 98 162,00**

Total cost

**No data**

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Region

**Sud > Campania > Napoli**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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## Participants (14)

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### ASSOCIATION EUROPEENNE DES EXPOSITIONS SCIENTIFIQUES TECHNIQUES ET INDUSTRIELLES

 Belgium

EU contribution

**€ 91 119,00**

Address

**AVENUE LOUISE 89 7EME ETAGE**

**1050 Bruxelles / Brussel** 

Region

**Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest > Région de Bruxelles-Capitale/ Brussels Hoofdstedelijk Gewest > Arr. de Bruxelles-Capitale/Arr. Brussel-Hoofdstad**

Activity type

**Other**

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Total cost

**No data**

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### OBSERVA ASSOCIAZIONE

 Italy

EU contribution

**€ 62 007,00**

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**VIALE A FUSINIERI 65**

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Region

**Nord-Est > Veneto > Vicenza**

Activity type

**Research Organisations**

Links

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Total cost

**No data**



## **COSTA EDUTAINMENT S.P.A**

 Italy

EU contribution

**€ 63 965,00**

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Activity type

**Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)**

Links

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Total cost

**No data**



## **Tiedekeskussäätio**

 Finland

EU contribution

**€ 58 533,00**

Address

**Tiedepuisto 1**

**01300 Vantaa** 

Region

**Manner-Suomi > Helsinki-Uusimaa > Helsinki-Uusimaa**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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[Participation in EU R&I programmes](#) 

[HORIZON collaboration network](#) 

Total cost

**No data**



## LAPIN YLIOPISTO

 Finland

EU contribution

**€ 78 626,00**

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**96101 Rovaniemi** 

Region

**Manner-Suomi > Pohjois- ja Itä-Suomi > Lappi**

Activity type

**Higher or Secondary Education Establishments**

Links

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Total cost

**No data**



## TECHNIQUEST

 United Kingdom

EU contribution

€ 76 353,00

Address

**STUART STREET**  
**CF105BW CARDIFF** 

Activity type

**Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)**

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Total cost

**No data**



## FLANDERS TECHNOLOGY INTERNATIONAL

 Belgium

EU contribution

€ 67 940,00

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**TECHNOLOGIELAAN**  
**2800 MECHELEN** 

Region

**Vlaams Gewest > Prov. Antwerpen > Arr. Mechelen**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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Total cost

**No data**



## UNIVERSEUM AB

 Sweden

EU contribution

€ 60 755,00

Address

40020 Goeteborg 

Region

Södra Sverige > Västsverige > Västra Götalands län

Activity type

Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)

Links

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Total cost

No data



## STIFTELSEN TEKNIKENS HUS

 Sweden

EU contribution

€ 63 028,00

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TEKNIKGRAND 1

977 54 Gammelstaden 

Region

Norra Sverige > Övre Norrland > Norrbottens län

Activity type

Other

Links

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[HORIZON collaboration network](#) 

Total cost

No data





## SOCIETE D'EXPLOITATION DU CENTRE NATIONAL DE LA MER

 France

EU contribution

€ 54 967,00

Address

**BOULEVARD SAINTE BEUVE**  
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Region

**Hauts-de-France > Nord-Pas de Calais > Pas-de-Calais**

Activity type

**Private for-profit entities (excluding Higher or Secondary Education Establishments)**

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Total cost

**No data**



## CENTER FOR FORMIDLING AF NATURVIDENSKAB OG MODERNE TEKNOLOGI FOND

 Denmark

EU contribution

€ 100 334,00

Address

**TUBORG HAVNEVEJ 7**  
2900 Hellerup 

Region

**Danmark > Hovedstaden > Københavns omegn**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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Total cost

**No data**



## SIHTASUTUS TEADUSKESKUS AHHA

Estonia

EU contribution

**€ 30 741,00**

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**51004 Tartu**

Region

**Eesti > Eesti > Lõuna-Eesti**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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[HORIZON collaboration network](#)

Total cost

**No data**



## MADATECH NATIONAL MUSEUM OF SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY & SPACE TECHNION DANIELAND MATILDE RECANATI CENTER

Israel

EU contribution

**€ 56 871,00**

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**SHMARYAHU LEVIN ST 25 BALFOUR ST 12 THE HISTORIC TECHNION CAMPUS**  
**31448 Haifa**

Activity type

**Other**

Links

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Total cost

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## Bloomfield Science Museum Jerusalem (BSMJ)

 Israel

EU contribution

**€ 54 479,00**

Address

**Hebrew University, Givat Ram**

**91904 Jerusalem** 

Activity type

**Higher or Secondary Education Establishments**

Links

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