

Session 17:

How can INTPA-G2 help?

Territorial Approach to Local Development

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Territorial Approach to Local Development (TALD)

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The TALD Facility: (2020-2023)

Four types of support to accompany EU actions in topics related to decentralization, local governance and territorial development:

1. **Diagnosis and in-depth analyses:**

- Integrated **Decentralization** Diagnostic Framework (**IDDF**)
- Integrated Territorial Development Diagnostic (**ITDD**, includes also **urban** and **rural** policies)

2. Policy Dialogue:

- High level Dialogue between EU (possible with Member States) and the **national government**
- Support for **multi-level governance** (National – Sub national)
- Support for horizontal, **multi-stakeholder**, concertation (LAs, CSOs, private sector)
- **Structured Dialogue** between EUDs and Associations of Local Authorities (Tool: *"EU Roadmaps for Engagement with Local Authorities"*)

3. Support during programming process:

- **Identification/formulation** of relevant actions related to decentralization, local governance and local development to include in Annual Action Plans (AAP)
- Technical assistance to embed the Territorial Approach during the **implementation** of a program (throughout the project cycle)
- Support to include TALD and local authorities in **Calls for Proposals** for CSOs, alongside other key actors (private sector and academia)



4. Capacity building:

➤ **Global TALD Seminars:**

For EUDs in all regions: Virtual seminar in July 2020

For staff at HQ, Brussels, July 2022

➤ **Regional TALD Seminars:** For staff in EUDs

➤ Latin America and the Caribbean: Cuba (Sept 2022)

➤ Africa (English-speaking): South Africa (Oct 2022)

➤ Africa (French-speaking): Ivory Coast (Nov 2022)

➤ Asia-Pacific: India (April 2023)

➤ TALD is a **Demand-Driven Facility** and can offer ad-hoc capacity building to EUDs

➤ It can support **Decentralized Cooperation** exchanges (in partnership with TAIEX)



TAIEX INTPA: Introduction

➔ WHAT IS TAIEX?

- ✓ **Demand-driven short-term** assistance provided by EU MS public administrations to **public administrations** in INTPA partner countries
- ✓ Exchange ideas and strengthening **capacities** of the public administrations in implementation of national development plans and SDGs
- ✓ Sharing of EU MS **best practice** and **peer-to-peer knowledge exchange** – available from all EU MS

➔ WHAT CAN TAIEX DO?

- Policy dialogue
- Sector maturity or introduction of new sector ideas
- Stakeholder coordination
- Give input to Programming
- Contribute to budget support



TAIEX INTPA: Application Process

How to apply for TAIEX assistance? Application form

- **Objective** – what do you want to achieve with this TAIEX event?
- **Target audience** – who in your administration will benefit?
- **Main topics / content** – what do you suggest to be discussed, agenda points?
- **Current situation** – what is the situation in your administration? how is your department/institution organised? what are the challenges in your administration? what is in place (policies, laws, strategies, action plans...)?
- **Justification** – why do you want TAIEX to support? Is there any other ongoing assistance? Have you considered any other funding options? Why now?

TALD FACILITY in practice:

- Covers X days of Technical Assistance by international or local senior and junior experts
- Pays for travel expenses of experts (economy airfare and official per-diems)
- In exceptional cases, can support and co-fund logistical needs (venues, catering, local transport)

Steps to access support from the TALD Facility:

- EUD sends a preliminary request (email) to INTPA G2
- G2 schedules a coordination call EUD-G2-TALD to understand the needs
- If pertinent, TALD Facility shares template TORs
- EUD drafts TORs, fine-tuning the request
- G2 approves the TORs
- TALD Facility proposes experts to EUD
- EUD and G2 agree on selected expert(s)
- Experts report directly to EUD
- EUD comments and approves the expert(s) report(s)
- G2/TALD Facility verify contractual compliance

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The 5 Framework Partnership Agreements with global associations of Local Authorities





5 Framework partners agreements (policy)

5 Specific grant agreements (financing programmes)

Objectives (advocacy and capacity building)

Effects of partnerships with INTPA (better coordination and acknowledgement)

A new context for LA in the NDICI (LA budget line and geographization)

EUDEL become entry points for LA

Policy dialogue with EUDEL (NALAs, ex: UCLGA roadmaps)

Signing ceremony of FPAs

12 September 2022





Policy Forum on Development (PFD)

Established **2013** by EC

Aim: improving the effectiveness of EU development cooperation

PFD members include:

associations of local authorities and civil society organisations at the global and European Union level as well as from the four main EU cooperation areas;

representatives of EU Member States;

EU institutions.

Currently there are consulting processes on

EU LAC summit, NDICI Mid-term review, EU SDGs Voluntary review, 10th anniversary of EC Communication



Partnerships for Sustainable Cities

Objective : to promote integrated urban development by fostering peer-to-peer exchanges among Local Authorities of EU Member States and partner countries around shared challenges

- Launched in **2018**
- **164,7M** Euro (under previous MFF 2018-2020)
- Three calls for proposals (2019, 2020, 2021)
- **57** city-to-city partnerships
- **130** local government partners in **34** countries
- **Green deal:** resilience, mobility, waste management, water and sanitation, urban planning, climate mitigation and adaptation, energy transition, circular economy and public space.
- In **APAC:** Indonesia, Tajikistan, Timor Leste and Mongolia



More information

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