Instruments of Promoting Research Cooperation in South Eastern Europe

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## Shareholdings in other companies

- **Advanced Computer Vision GmbH**
- **Angewandte Biokatalyse Kompetenzcentrum GmbH**
- **BIOENERGY 2020+ GmbH**
- **BioNanoNet Forschungsgesellschaft mbH**
- **FH JOANNEUM Gesellschaft mbH**
- **Human.technology Styria GmbH**
- **HyCentA Research GmbH**
- **Kompetenzzentrum – Das virtuelle Fahrzeug Forschungsgesellschaft GmbH**
- **Kompetenzzentrum für Wissensbasierte Anwendungen und Systeme Forschungs- und Entwicklungs GmbH**
- **Holz.Bau Forschungs GmbH**
- **Kompetenznetzwerk Wasserressourcen GmbH**
- **Materials Center Leoben Forschung GmbH**
- **NanoTecCenter Weiz Forschungsgesellschaft mbH**
- **Polymer Competence Center Leoben GmbH**
- **Research Center Pharmaceutical Engineering GmbH**

1. Competence Center within the Kran/Krafi Programme
2. Competence Center within the Kplus Programme
3. Competence Center within the COMET(K1) Programme
4. Competence Center within the COMET(K2) Programme

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**a TRADITION of INNOVATION**
Locations of JOANNEUM RESEARCH

Vienna

Graz

Leoben

Frohnleiten

Niklasdorf

Hartberg

Weiz

Graz
International Activities of JOANNEUM RESEARCH

- Ownership of JOANNEUM RESEARCH
  - Styrian Government (90%)
  - TNO (10%)

- Projects worldwide
  - EU Framework Programmes
  - Research Programmes of the European Space Agency (ESA)

- EARTO European Association of Research and Technology Organisations

- YEAR Young European Associated Researchers

- South Eastern European region
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Activities in South East Europe

- Status of JOANNEUM RESEARCH projects with partners from South East Europe (from 1.1.2002 till 31.08.2008)
  - 113 projects (30 assigned, 5 offered, 78 completed)
  - Topics: Water, Energy, Climate Change, Nanotechnology, ICT
  - Partner: University of Ljubljana, Jozef Stefan Institute, Rudjer Boskovic Institute, ASO Ljubljana, University of Maribor, University of Zagreb, Geological Survey of Slovenia etc.
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Strategic partnerships

- ASO Ljubljana
- Slovenian Science Institute, Vienna
- Cooperation Agreement with the Slovenian Jozef Stefan Institute
  - signing in 2006
- Cooperation Agreement with the Croatian Rudjer Boskovic Institute
  - signing in 2007
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- Forschung Austria Mobility Programme (Austrian Federal Ministry of Transport, Innovation and Technology)
  - 17 exchanged researchers (14 incoming, 3 outgoing) from research institutions from Slovenia, Serbia, Bulgaria, Montenegro, Rumania, Hungary, Poland, Czech Republic

- WTZ Programme of Scientific and Technological Cooperation between Austria and Croatia
  - Scientific exchange with the Rudjer Boskovic Institute

- European Mobility Programmes
  - Marie Curie, Leonardo da Vinci
Premises for a successful cooperation in R&D (1/2)

- Cooperativeness at all hierarchies in the involved organisations
- Well-defined benefits for all partners
  - Transfer and exchange of knowledge
  - Access to new methods and technologies
  - Joint use of equipment
  - Access to new markets
- No direct competition between the partners
  - Partners should have different core competences
  - Complementary activities and tasks
  - Complementary infrastructure for R & D
  - Partners should work along the value-added chain
  - Partners should be active in different markets
Premises for a successful cooperation in R&D (2/2)

- Well-defined project goals for all partners
- Well-defined project schedule and tasks
- Clear and strict regulations
  - Intellectual property rights
  - Joint use of equipment
  - Economic transfer of the project results
- Personal relations between the researchers and project collaborators
  - Fairness, trust, sympathy
  - Openness for foreign civilisations
  - Willingness to travel
It is all about people...

- Bernhard
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Vincenc
  Slovenian Science Institute
- Jadran
  Jozef Stefan Institute
- Špela
  Jozef Stefan Institute
- Gorazd
  ASO Ljubljana
- Neven
  Ruđer Boškovic Institute
- Miro
  ASO Ljubljana
- Renata
  Rudjer Boskovic Institute
- Vesna
  Rudjer Boskovic Institute
- Boris
  Jozef Stefan Institute
- Albrecht
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Susanne
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Andrejka
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Mladen
  Rudjer Boskovic Institute
- Ines
  Rudjer Boskovic Institute
- Christian
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Polona
  Jozef Stefan Institute
- Wolfgang
  JOANNEUM RESEARCH
- Marijana
  Rudjer Boskovic Institute
- Miha
  Jozef Stefan Institute

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Thank you very much for your attention!

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