

Views of the Nordic Region CTP

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NCTPs and the ECTP connection

- Sector wide - focus on the customer
- ECTP – NCTP connection logical
- Efficiency, deliveries and interaction unclear
- Resource demanding

- Our solution – Nordic Region Construction Technology Platform

Why Nordic?

(Denmark – Finland – Iceland – Norway – Sweden)

- Traditional expansion area for domestic companies
- Long tradition of cooperation
- Similarities in standards and regulatory frameworks
- Similarities in climate

OBS. No language advantage!

Nordic Region CTP - a federation of national CTPs

Three members from each country

- Sector actors
- Political system
- Research society

Views:

- ECTP creation positive
- Good deliveries – Vision, SRA, IAP
- Many of our views taken into account
- Construction in EC and in FP 7
- Initiative to create EurekaBuild

Customer focus is needed!!!

- User / client / society values have to be strongly addressed.
- Innovation targeting customer functional requirements
- Who is the major customer? – The Political system!

Thematic approach

- The role of Focus Areas confusing. Not in line with the vision and the SRA.
- Not transparent. Communication missing.
- Work groups and task forces in line with Vision and SRA.

NCTPs

- NCTP structure and mandate unclear
- Weak role of NCTPs. No superstructure.
- Communication missing
- Reconsider the structure of NCTPs.

ECTP Membership

- Sector wide participation
- Clear membership categories
- Fees - benefits
- Install a General Assembly of all members
- GA decision making and nomination

Board and management

- "Board" (limited in number)
- Representativity, mandate
- Strategic decisions

- Management and secreteriat with sufficient resources
- Operational management
- Reporting to the Board.

Conclusions and advices

- Sector wide approach – other ETPs, broad EC interface
- Research and Innovation targeting functional requirem.
- NCTPs with national mandates becoming members
- NCTP organisational framework
- Working groups in line with Vision and SRA
- Membership structure, fees and benefits
- Decision making
- Operational management and secretariat
- Transnational activities (ERAnets, EurekaBuild, Global)