

# Coordinating Communities, Identifying new research topics for FET Proactive Initiatives

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- Related to Objective 9.12 in Call 7,  
Objectives 8.9, 8.10 in calls 5 and 6

# Coordinating communities

## Expected outcome (a,b,d)

### The activities should

- Reinforce coordination of research projects in proactive initiatives in current or previous calls, helping to consolidate research communities.
- Strengthen European research excellence, including preparation of co-operation and co-ordination with international partners from outside Europe
- Conferences/workshops to increase visibility of FET and boost links between the EU research communities

# New Research Topics, Emerging Trends Expected outcome (c)

These short duration (6-12 months) projects should

- develop novel research topics as inputs for future work programmes, with an estimate of the effort required and a clear description of the expected impact
- identify topics with a greater scope than just 1 RTD project
- identify early on new trends emerging on a global scale in support of future proactive initiatives