



COOPERATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN

Idealist2014 (hereinafter referred to as "Ideal-ist") represented by DLR

and

AAL represented by Ambient Assisted Living Joint Programme

1. Purpose of this Cooperation Agreement

The main goal of Ideal-ist is the enhancement of the trans-national cooperation between the ICT National Contact Points (NCP) within FP7 and an overall improvement of NCP service quality across Europe in the dynamically growing area of ICT. Ideal-ist is partly funded by the European Commission; its network consists of 85 international partners from EU and Non-EU countries.

Amongst others Ideal-ist facilitates the participation of all eligible organisations in the European Commission's Information & Communication Technologies Theme in FP7. Ideal-ist helps proposers to find the most appropriate partners for their ICT proposals. The Ideal-ist partner searches are rapidly disseminated via the Internet in a very efficient way, thanks to the network.

Ideal-ist started offering its partner search service not only to the Joint Undertaking of ARTEMIS and ENIAC but also to the ICT Policy Support Programme.

The objective of the Ambient Assisted Living Joint Programme (AAL JP) is to enhance the quality of life of older people and strengthen the industrial base in Europe through the use of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT). Main activity under the AAL Joint Programme is the funding of R&D projects in the AAL domain that result from regularly published calls for proposals.

50% is public funding - from the AAL Partner States and the European Commission - and approx. 50% is private funding from participating private organisations (e.g. enterprises).

Both projects receive funding support from the EU and have a common interest in cooperation in order to better support their clients.

This Agreement specifies the way in which such cooperation will be undertaken.

2. Coverage of cooperation

Partner search:

Ideal-ist is pleased to offer its partner search service to the Ambient Assisted Living Joint Programme under the following conditions:

1. AAL Joint Programme contact person informs Ideal-ist leader of work package 3 Hadas Daar (hadas@iserd.org.il) early enough about the call topic and other relevant information.

2. According to Ideal-ist quality check procedures AAL should nominate three Contact Points (preferably FP7 NCP for ICT too) who will be in charge of checking the incoming partner searches against objective and subjective criteria within 48 hours after the partner search submission.
3. Ideal-ist will grant access for those contact points to Ideal-ist administration site and train them about the quality check procedures if necessary.
4. The AAL contact points involved in the quality team agree not to disclose privacy protected information such as contact details of the partner search proposer and repliers to any third party unless expressly agreed by both parties in writing as this is not in line with the policy of the Ideal-ist project.

The projects may want to add other activities to this agreement. In such case the new activities to be added will be agreed in writing by the respective project managements, and to be defined by an amendment of this agreement, simply by adding it to an Annex.

3. Administrative Matters

This agreement will terminate when both tasks are completed, either of the projects is completed or when either project gives notice of termination to the other, in which case a minimum notice of one month will be given.

Signed on behalf of Idea-ist by:

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Signature



Date

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Date

18/01/12

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Date 18/01/12