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Online Inventory

BILAT-USA provides an overview on existing collaborations in order to strengthen S&T Dialogue and cooperation by increasing their visibility. The online inventory covers existing thematic task forces, working groups, networks of excellences (NoE) and ERA-Nets operating at EU, at U.S. and at the trans-Atlantic level. Information collected is easily searchable along thematic areas and types of organisations.

Thematic areas of the inventory cover:

Energy, environment including climate change, food, agriculture, fisheries and biotechnology, health, information and communication technologies, metrology, nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new production technologies, security, socio-economic sciences and the humanities, space and transport.

As of September 2010, the preliminary results of the inventory provide the details of 63 national thematic task forces/working groups in the U.S, 40 thematic task forces/working groups in the EU, 59 ERA-Nets, 3 joint U.S.-EU thematic task forces/working groups, 35 NoEs, 12 Projects and 256 FP7 Projects with US involvement. According to these latest results, in the fields of energy, nanosciences and environment (including climate change), Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities, Food, Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology, Information & communication technologies and Health there are total numbers of 35 NoEs, 6 of those include partners from the U.S.

New Categories in the Database

There are 2 new category added in the inventory Database.

June 2010 Update: 1st Category called "Projects" has been created for DG RELEX supported projects. The objective of these projects is to promote mutual understanding and learning among EU and US policy researchers and policymakers on a number of challenges with a global dimension. Pilot projects are to be used to fund innovative ventures between European and US policy makers that cannot be pursued under existing instruments of cooperation between the US and the EU. Their purpose is to foster common, more effective transatlantic approaches to key international policy challenges. All of these projects include partners from U.S.

September 2010 Update: The 2nd Category has been created for FP7 projects with US partners. Currently there are 256 FP7 projects with US partners. Details are indicated in below table.

Inventory of existing thematic task forces/working groups and ERA-Nets summary tables:

Category	Number
National thematic task force/working group in the U.S.	63
Thematic task force/working group in EU	40
Era-Net	59
Other	4
Joint U.S.-EU Thematic task force/working group	3
NoE	35
Projects	12
FP7 Projects	256
Sum	472

Themes	Number
Energy	27
Environment including climate change	59
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	51
Health	76
Information and communication technologies	69
Metrology	6
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	47
Others	43
Security	16
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	16
Space	7
Transport (including aeronautics)	8
No theme specific	47
Sum	472

National thematic task force/working group in the U.S./Themes	Number
Energy	5
Environment including climate change	9
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	7
Health	5
Information and communication technologies	5
Metrology	4
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	3
Others	9
Security	11
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	4
Space	1
Transport (including aeronautics)	0
Sum	63

Other/Themes	Number
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Energy	1
Environment including climate change	1
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	0
Health	0
Information and communication technologies	0
Metrology	1
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	1
Others	0
Security	0
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	0
Space	0
Transport (including aeronautics)	0
Sum	4

NoE/Themes	Number
Energy	3
Environment including climate change	4
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	2
Health	1
Information and communication technologies	22
Metrology	0
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	2
Others	0
Security	0
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	1
Space	0
Transport (including aeronautics)	0
Sum	35

Projects (DG RELEX) /Themes	Number
Energy	1
Environment including climate change	1
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	1
Health	2
Information and communication technologies	
Metrology	
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	1
Others	
Security	1
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	
Space	1
Transport (including aeronautics)	
No theme specific	4
Sum	12

ERA-Nets/Themes	
Energy	2
Environment including climate change	8
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	6
Health	7
Information and communication technologies	3
Metrology	1
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	11
Others	15
Security	0
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	2
Space	0
Transport (including aeronautics)	4
Sum	59

FP7 Projects/Themes	Number
Energy	7
Environment including climate change	32
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	25
Health	58
Information and communication technologies	34
Metrology	0
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	19
Others	15
Security	3
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	9
Space	3
Transport (including aeronautics)	4
No theme specific	47
Sum	256

Thematic task force/working group in EU/Themes	Number
Energy	7
Environment including climate change	4
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	9
Health	2
Information and communication technologies	5
Metrology	0
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	10
Others	0
Security	1
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	0
Space	2
Transport (including aeronautics)	0

Sum	40
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Joint U.S.-EU Thematic task force/working group/Themes	Number
Energy	1
Environment including climate change	0
Food Agriculture and Fisheries, Biotechnology	1
Health	1
Information and communication technologies	0
Metrology	0
Nanoscience, nanotechnologies, materials and new producing technologies	0
No theme specific/ Others	0
Security	0
Socio-economic Sciences and the Humanities	0
Space	0
Transport (including aeronautics)	
Sum	3