



PROMISLingua

Multilingual Technologies to support Integrated Compliance in small Organisations

PROMISLingua, a European project partially funded by the European Commission CIP-PSP started on April, 1st 2011 and was kicked-off on the 14th April 2011 in the beautiful scenery of the medieval Chateau de Bourglinster in Luxemburg.

A consortium composed by 6 leading SMEs including the largest European SME Association and 1 public body, have come together to build up a Public-Private-Partnership with the aim to contribute to the consolidation of a pan-European Digital Single Market by stimulating cross-lingual communication, collaboration and participation.

PROMISLingua objectives are the translation, localisation and rollout of the existing PROMIS[®] online service (at present available in English, German and Italian) in additional six languages (Spanish, French, Portuguese, Greek, Romanian and Hungarian), in order to deliver a cost-efficient and easy-to-use Internet based service enabling SMEs to sustain and extend their business cross-border into European markets and to comply thereby with all Safety, Health, Environment and Quality Regulations.

The innovation of PROMIS[®] as highly intuitive **integrated compliance management framework** is raising the interest in additional countries, however, the main barriers to enter these markets are the need for translation and localisation of the broad range of PROMIS[®] services as well as the lack of semi-intelligent ICT tools to support structuring, filtering and optimizing data and content in a way that SMEs can communicate in their own language and get answers to their needs online 'at a fingertip' in the same language.

High potential market perspectives for enhanced multilingual PROMIS[®] service and the Consortium commitment to rollout PROMISLingua into their national markets will ensure sustainability beyond the pilot phase.

Project's duration: 2,5 years

Funding: 2.6 MEuro

The partners:

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PROMIS@Service, www.promis.eu;

LINGUATEC, www.linguatec.net;

ATLANTIS, <http://www.atlantisresearch.gr>;

INOVAMAIS, www.inovamais.pt;

UEAPME, Union Européenne des Petites et Moyennes Entreprises, www.ueapme.com;

INCDPM, Institutul National de Cercetare-Dezvoltare Pentru Protectia Muncii, www.inpm.ro;

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