

Advancing alignment via institutional cooperation and funding

Break-out Group 1

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Speakers

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i) Benefits & challenges

- RPOs alignment across EU countries
- RPOs alignment inside a country varies
- RFOs players (case by case)

- Long term 20+ yrs

ii) Implementation difficulties

- Diversity from one country to another, incl. bottom-up/top-down approach, bureaucracy
- Depends on domain and disciplines
- EC H2020 rules
- Co-funding model (25-50%)
- MS representatives at right level

iii) Suitable context

- Strong policy support
- National program/coordination between and inside multi-layers institutions (Ministries, RFOs, RPOs...)
- Synergy between RFO's JPI & RPO's Alliance ?

iv) Overall values

- P2P efficiency
- Innovation transfer to private sectors
- EU team building

- Impact assessments at international level are required for long term trend...
- but should be complement by short-term milestones.