**EU-SOUTH MED CLUSTER MATCHMAKING EVENT & TECHDAYS**

In the context of the Logismed Fair

organised by the **European Cluster Collaboration Platform (ECCP)**

in cooperation with **THE NEXT SOCIETY (TNS)**

and **Logismed**

*Dates: 9th to 11th April 2019*

*Location: Casablanca, Morocco*

Call for Expression of Interest

**Cluster Participation Questionnaire**

**Focus areas:**

* Transport and logistics
* Agriculture and food industry
* Energy and environment
* Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) and mechatronics
* Textile

## 1. Cluster profile

**All fields are mandatory.**

**The content of the form will be published to other matchmaking event participants so they can evaluate if a matchmaking appointment with you is of interest.**

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| **Cluster Organisation:** |  | **City:** |  | **Country:** |
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| **Street:** |  | **Postal Code:** |
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| **www-Address:** |  | **General E-mail Address:** |
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| **Contact Person:** |  | **Telephone:** |  | **Mobile Phone:** |
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| **Position/Title:** |  | **Contact Person E-mail:** |
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**Cluster established in (year):**

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**Focus area(s):**

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| [ ]  | Transport and logistics |
| [ ]  | Agriculture and food industry |
| [ ]  | Energy and environment |
| [ ]  | Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) and mechatronics |
| [ ]  | Textile |
| [ ]  | Others. please specify (max. 60 characters)  |

**Field(s) of Activity (in short):**

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## 2. Membership/Labels

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| Are you registered on the European Cluster Collaboration Platform (ECCP) with a complete profile? ([www.clustercollaboration.eu](http://www.clustercollaboration.eu/))Yes [ ] No [ ] ***Please provide a screenshot of the profile registered on the ECCP with your application. This is mandatory for the validation of your participation in the matchmaking event.*** |
| Are you a member of a European Strategic Cluster Partnership – Go International (ESCP-4i)?Yes [ ] No [ ] If yes, please indicate if the ESCP-4i is funded under strand-1 or strand-2:Strand-1 [ ] , name of the ESCP-4i:      Strand-2 [ ] , name of the ESCP-4i:      If the ESCP-4i is a strand-2, please indicate if any of the targeted South-MED countries (Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon and Palestine\*) is among the target countries included in the ESCP-4i’s internationalisation strategy.Yes [ ]  If YES, please specify the country(ies) No [ ]  |
| Are you a certified cluster organisation by the European Cluster Excellence Initiative (ECEI)?

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| Bronze[ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Planned  | Silver[ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Planned  | Gold [ ]  Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Planned  |

Other: Yes [ ]  If YES, please specify (max. 150 characters) No [ ]  |

\* This designation shall not be construed as recognition of a State of Palestine and is without prejudice to the individual positions of the Member States on this issue

## 3. Background information of interest

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| How many members (including SMEs) does your cluster encompass? |
| Please explain your cluster focus. (max. 1/2 page) |
| Please summarise the key activities of your cluster organisation. (max. 1/2 page) |
| Please summarise your cluster organisation’s previous international activities. (max. 1/2 page, for instance targeted countries, ongoing partnership with other clusters, etc.) |
| Please explain why your cluster organisation is explicitly interested in participating in this cluster matchmaking event. Please list up to 5 mission objectives your cluster wants to achieve through this event. (max. 1/2 page) |
| Please explain what kind of partnerships your cluster organisation is looking for, or offering, in the context of this event. (max. 1 page) |
| Has your cluster organisation already had contact, or pursued, a partnership with clusters or business associations from South-MED countries (Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon and Palestine\*)?Yes [ ]  If YES, please specify (max. 1/2 page) No [ ]  |
| Has your cluster organisation already identified South-MED potential partners?Yes [ ]  If YES, please specify (max. 1/2 page) No [ ]  |

## Cluster SMEs invited to the Event

The activities in the scope of the [Logismed 2019](http://logismed.ma/) tradeshow offer great opportunities for European SMEs in the Fair focus areas, to exploit business opportunities with Morocco and the region. Therefore, the ECCP encourages European cluster organisations to disseminate this opportunity among their SMEs.

Furthermore, cluster organisations have the opportunity to bring a representative of one of their SME members to participate in the EU – South-MED matchmaking session, coming at own costs.

In this section you can identify a SME member that is interested in participating in the EU – South-MED matchmaking session. To do that, please fill in the fields below:

* SME name:
* SME website:
* SME work field:
* Name of SME representative:
* Email of SME representative:

**The ECCP DOES NOT provide financial support to companies in the scope of this call for expression of interest.**