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## Newsletter of the Lithuania–Russia Cross–Border Cooperation Programme 2014-2020

### 3RD CALL FOR PROPOSALS IS LAUNCHED!

By the decision of the Joint Monitoring Committee (JMC) of the Lithuania-Russia Cross-border Cooperation Programme 2014-2020 the 3<sup>rd</sup> Call for Proposals was announced on the 14<sup>th</sup> of January, 2020. It shall be closed on the 31<sup>st</sup> of March, 2020.

For the projects under all the Priorities – 1.1., 2.1. and 3.1., the Programme shall finance project ideas from 100 000,00 EUR to 1 000 000,00 EUR. The duration of projects is up to 18 months.

Applications are to be received in the JTS in Vilnius till the 31<sup>st</sup> of March, 2020 14.00 hour (local Vilnius time) at the latest!

### THE FIRST WORKSHOP FOR PROJECT AUDITORS WAS CARRIED OUT IN KALININGRAD

JTS managers together with the expert from TESIM ENI-CBC project carried out the first workshop for auditors of the 1<sup>st</sup> call for proposals projects in Kaliningrad, on the 12<sup>th</sup> of February and shared the information with the auditors of the Russian beneficiaries about the main requirements of the Programme. Auditors were able to get clarifications on issues related with the approved project budgets and preparation of expenditure verification reports. Materials from the event are available on the Programme website and can be found [here](#).

### INFORMATION EVENTS TOOK PLACE IN KAUNAS AND KALININGRAD

The JTS managers together with the specialists from the Branch office in Kaliningrad have organised information events for potential Applicants of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Call for Proposals in Kaliningrad and Kaunas in February, 2020.

68 participants in Kaliningrad and 30 participants in Kaunas were acquainted with the main Programme requirements and rules, common shortcomings of the applications submitted during the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Calls for Proposals and were able to ask questions during the held Q&A session.

Presentations from information events are available in national languages on the Programme website and can be found [here](#).

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### THE LAST GRANT CONTRACT OF THE 1ST CALL FOR PROPOSALS IS SIGNED

The Grant Contract with the last project out of 12 awarded projects of the 1<sup>st</sup> Call for Proposals is signed and the project No LT-RU-1-042 “LiveHistory: Reconstruction of the common history – thousand years ago” has already started the implementation phase. Due to the changes in the partnership of the project, the process of signing the Grant Contract was delayed for a while. However, the results of the project shall remain the same.

When it comes to the awarded projects of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Call for Proposals, the Lead beneficiaries of the selected projects are in the process of conditions fulfillment which soon will result in signing the Grant Contracts.

### INDIVIDUAL CONSULTATIONS WERE HELD IN MARCH

The first two weeks of March were dedicated to individual consultations in the framework of preparation of applications to be submitted within the 3<sup>rd</sup> Call for Proposals in Vilnius and Kaliningrad.

The individual consultations took place in Vilnius, Lithuania, on the 2<sup>nd</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> of March and in Kaliningrad on the 4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> of March. Consultations shall be the last events for applicants on preparation of applications for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Call for Proposals.

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