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Enabling Social Innovation Entrepreneurship in Agri-food through Digital Transition

The agri-food sector is subject to strong external pressures, such as a rising demand for food world-wide, competition for land, the globalisation of trade, threats from animal/plant diseases, environmental changes or public health considerations. To survive and thrive, the European agri-food industry must become more efficient and sustainable and take advantage of the opportunities offered by new technological developments. Therefore, the general objective of the ENACT project is to promote digital transition and entrepreneurship among the social economy actors in the agri-food value chain. To do so, it will support transnational cooperation in capacity raising and developing responses to drive the transformation of the European food system into a more sustainable and regenerative system, contributing to more resilient, just, and solidary territories.

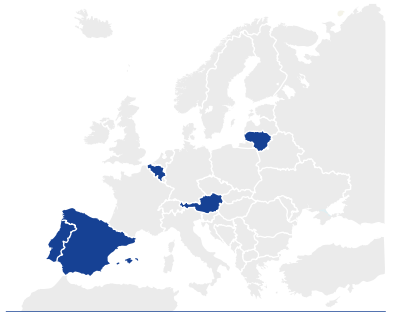
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Specific objectives

- Improve the access of the social economy actors in the agri-food sector to digital solutions and boosting digital skills in the social economy
- Foster and support cooperation between social economy actors of the agri-food sector at local and transnational level
- Harness innovative ecosystem networks by applying digital technologies and strategies to create new or improved products, services, processes, and business models for a fairer, more resilient and more equitable food system

Key outcomes

- Induced tangible and sustained change in the integration of digital innovation in the social economy ecosystem within the agri-food sector
- Raised the capacities of key enabling organisations and social economy actors by delivering direct support and facilitate the access to digital innovation
- Facilitated the training of socio-economic stakeholders, as well as public authorities, academics and participants in digital innovation, and translated these lessons into mainstream solutions that can serve as levers for digital innovation in the socio-economic sector



Countries involved

Spain
Belgium
Portugal
Lithuania
Austria

Barcelona Chamber role

Coordinator

Duration

From September 2ⁿ 2024
To March 1st 2026

Budget

Global: € 1,233,772
For Barcelona Chamber of Commerce: € 301,047
Cascade funding for agri-food SMEs: € 54,560

Programme contribution

90%

Tags

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