LIFE Capacity Building Networking Workshop

LIFE management in France

November 22nd & 23rd



LIFE results in France

LIFE results in France since 2007			
Year	Nrb of proposals	Incolects	Sucess rate in France
2007	25	8	32
2008	30	13	43,33
2009	23	12	52,17
2010	26	8	30,77
2011	37	14	37,84
2012	43	14	32,56
2013	44	19	43,18
2014	42	8	19,05
2015	31	6	19,35
2016	36	?	

Who takes part in management of LIFE in France

- The Ministry for environment, energy and the sea
 - authority responsible for LIFE
 - provides technical assistance to proponents
 - → 3 National contact points in 3 different Directorates
- An external contractor





What is the difference btw NCP and the external contactor

- Main difference is the audience :
 - NCPs provide assistance to all FR proponents
 - The external contactor to about 30 proponents a year, selected by NCPs
- A few tasks are shared :
 - Informing about the programme
 - Advising proponents and answering their questions

What is the difference btw NCP and the external contactor

- Specific tasks for NCPs
 - Ensure communication with the Commission
 - Organise meeting btw proponents and the experts of the ministry
- Specific tasks required from the external contractor
 - Leads a workshop on how to write a LIFE proposal
 - Reads the final proposal and suggests improvements

What do we do to help proponents

Built a new section on the Ministry website

Le programme européen de financement LIFE



What do we do to help proponents

- Information sessions
 - One national information session a year, in Paris
 - Up to 6 information sessions in regions



- Create tools to help proponents write their proposal
 - FAQ
 - Guidelines to use eproposal
 - Understanding the 102 % rule
 - Guideline « avoiding common failings »

What do we do to help proponents (under technical assistance only)

- Writing workshop
 - Presentation of the forms on eproposal
 - Advices on how to fill in eproposal
- Careful reading of the final proposal
 - According to the evaluation criteria
- Meeting with experts at the ministry
 - Advices on the content

Thank you for you attention

