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Introduction to the CEF Transport Project Management Workshop

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INEA's Programmes 2014-2020

- **CEF Transport** (*incl. Cohesion Fund allocation*)
- CEF Energy
- CEF Telecomms



- **H2020 Transport**
- H2020 Energy

**Marco Polo legacy
from
2007-2013 period**
(*previously managed by
EACI – now EASME*)



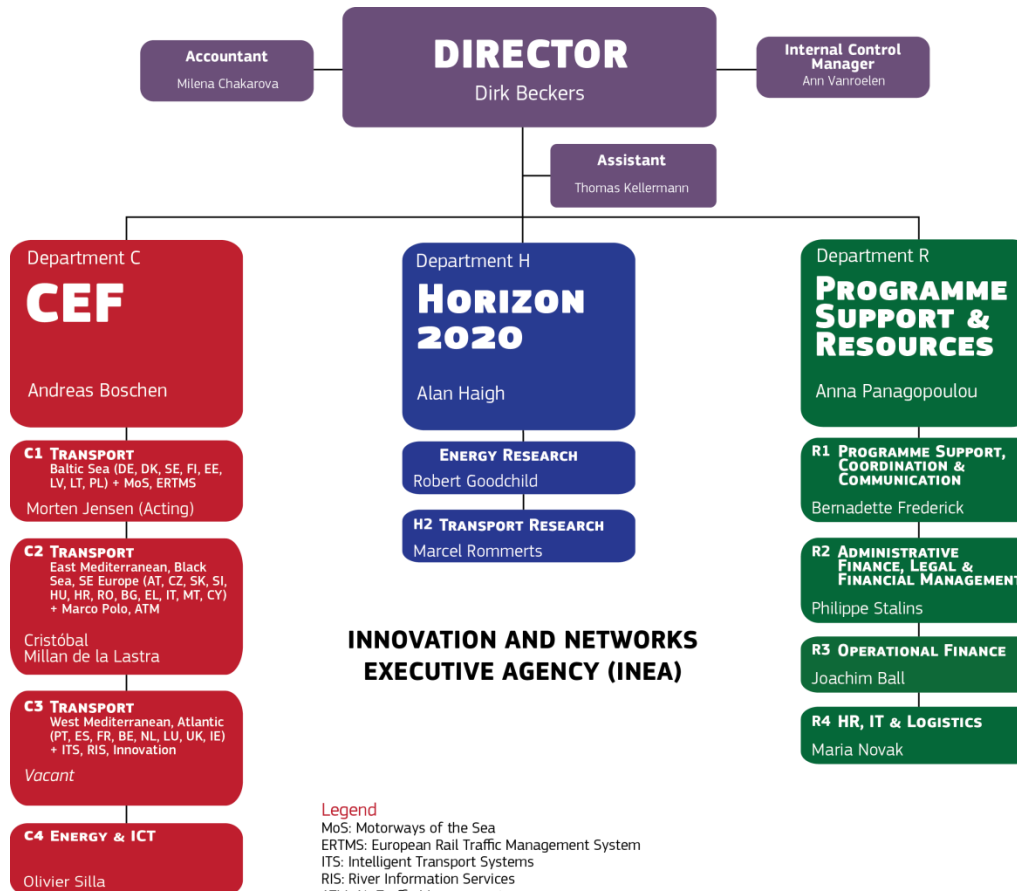
**TEN-T legacy from
2007-2013 period**

Management of some or all of the phases of **programme implementation** and stages in the **project lifecycle**



European Commission

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Legend

MoS: Motorways of the Sea
ERTMS: European Rail Traffic Management System
ITS: Intelligent Transport Systems
RIS: River Information Services
ATM: Air Traffic Management

2014 CEF Transport calls

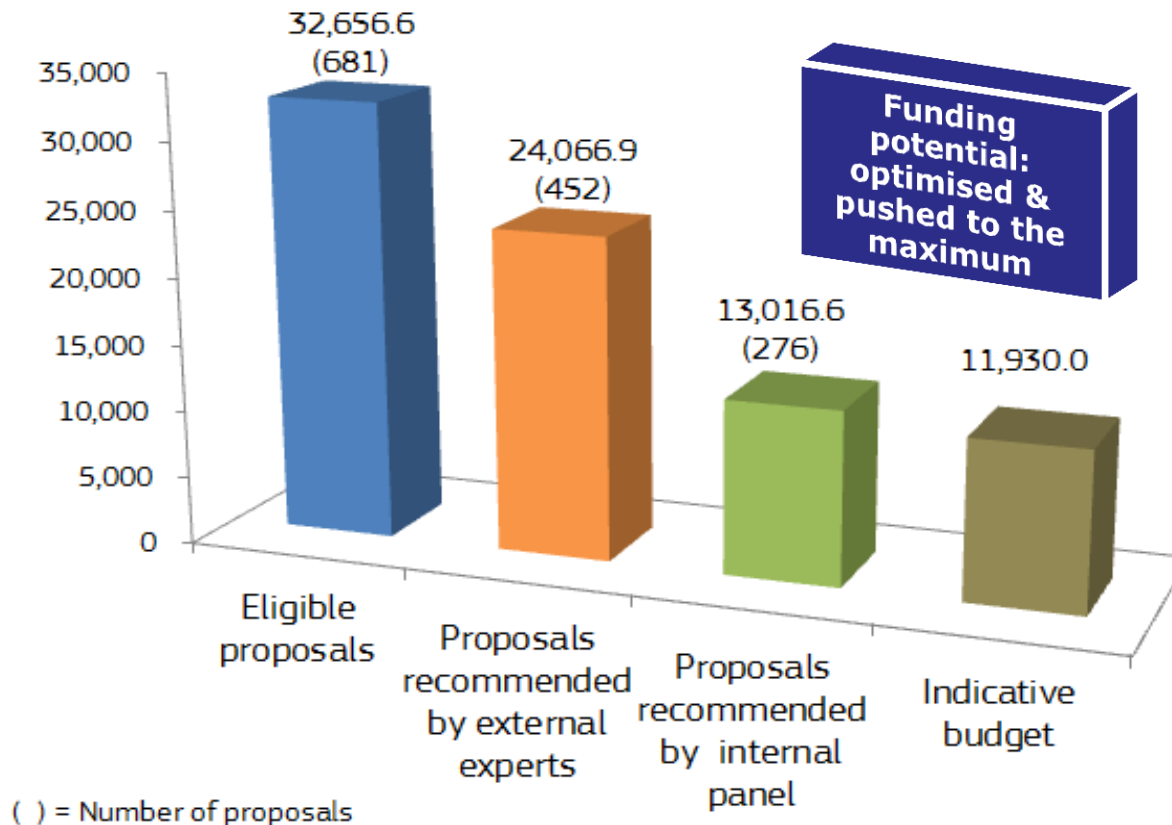


**Unprecedented interest:
record 681 eligible proposals**

**Requested funding 3 x more
than available budget**

**Largest ever
EU investment
in transport
infrastructure**

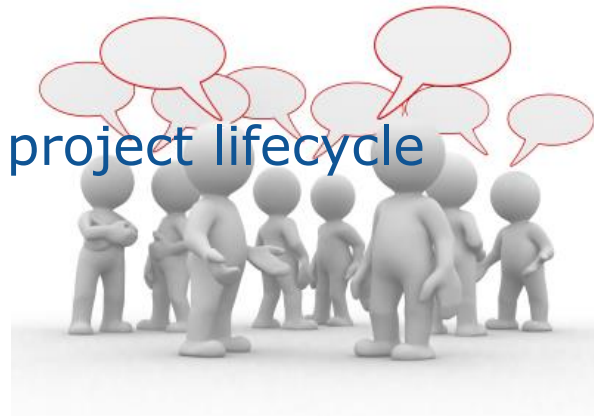
Record **€13 billion** investment in **276** projects with high EU added value



Purpose of today's workshop

To explain and discuss various issues related to CEF Transport projects

- Preparation and signature of the Grant Agreement
- Implementation of the Grant Agreement
- Legal and audit aspects of the Model Grant Agreement
- Financial aspects of CEF Grants
- Communication throughout the project lifecycle





Key Points - I

1. Use of **Grant Agreements** for the first time
2. Exchange of information = important step in **building good working relations** for future cooperation
3. We need to work together closely on **negotiation and signature** of the GAs
4. Ensure your project **coordinators** are appointed and check **who will sign**
5. Grant agreements not signed in 2015 will be **null and void**



Key Points - II

6. Negotiation and signature of 267 grant agreements **must be done before end of 2015**
7. We rely on you to strictly respect the deadlines – **last signature - 3 December 2015**
8. Timely signature = **pre-financing** could be paid before end 2015
9. Help us show the CEF Transport budget is **efficiently managed** – it could result in more funds being made available later
- 10. Good luck and success with your meetings!**

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Thank you!