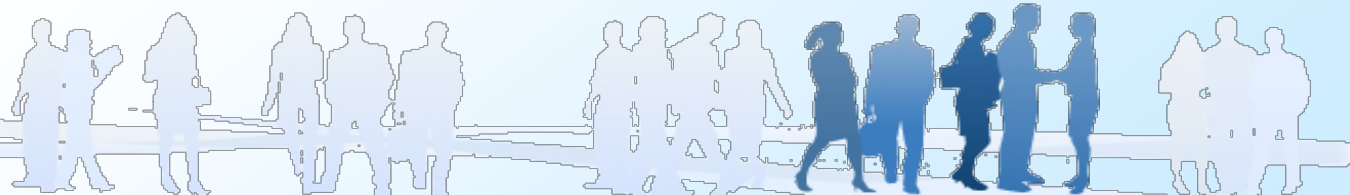


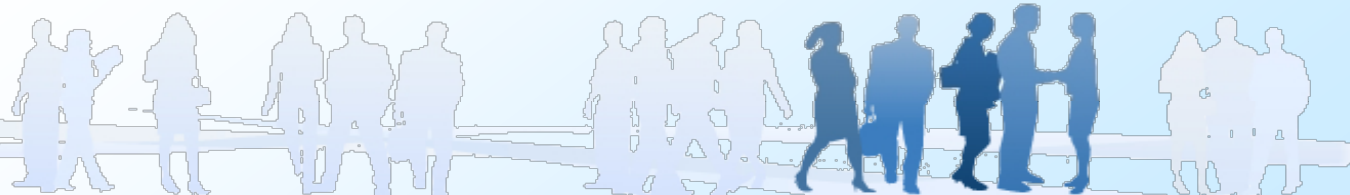
Reinforcing Policy Learning for Roma Inclusion

Brussels, 28th of May 2013



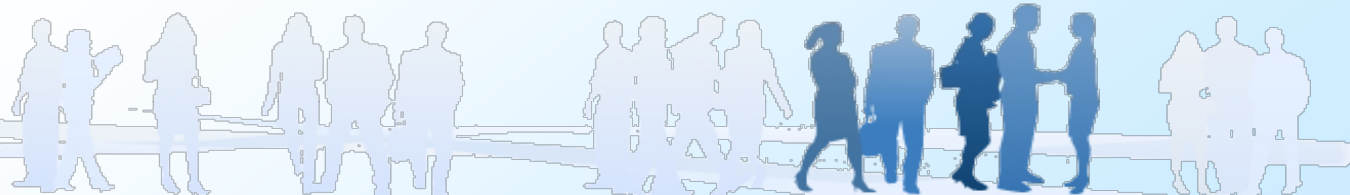
Presentation of the project

- Main objective
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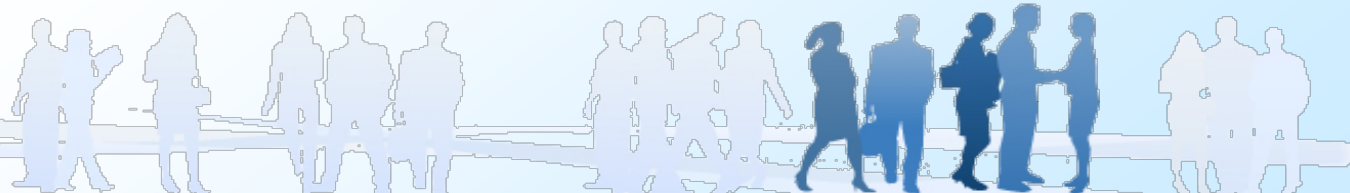
Main objective

- “Reinforcing the EURoma Network for increasing the impact and effectiveness of the Structural Funds for Roma inclusion
 - through achieving a higher political commitment for the planning process of programming period 2014-2020
 - ensuring that the lessons learnt are incorporated as policy decisions”.



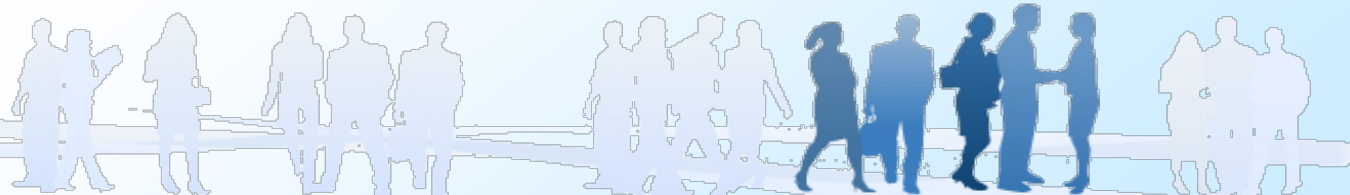
Rationale

- Significant progress in the use of the ESF for Roma inclusion, but further efforts still needed
- Taking stock of existing knowledge (EURoma network)



Specific objectives

1. To increase the political commitment by involving decision makers
2. To support MS in the process of planning the PA and the OPs
3. To foster mutual learning



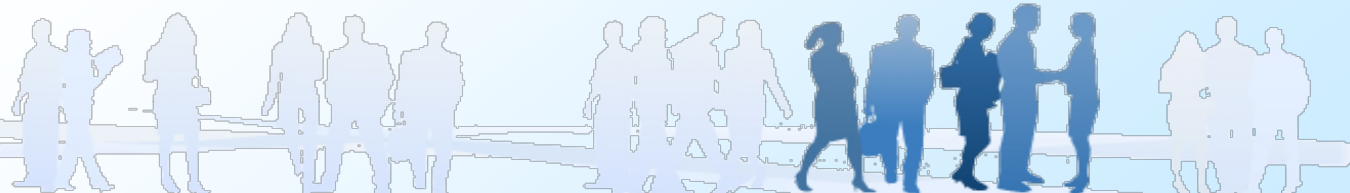
Operational Structure

- **EU Comm- Unit E 1**
- **Network's members:**
ESF MA from 8 countries led by the Spanish MA
- **Steering group:**
 - MA together with NRCP
 - Representatives from the EC + TS
- **Technical Secretariat**
(Fundación Secretariado Gitano)



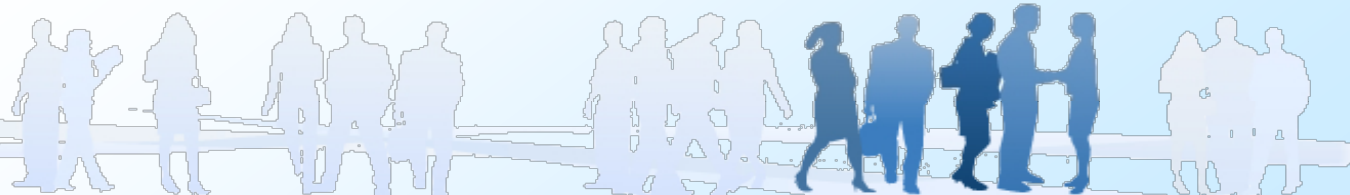
Duration and foreseen activities

- 1st February 2013 - 1st February 2015
- **Foreseen activities:**
 - Steering group meetings (twice)
 - Analysis of lessons learnt with proposals and recommendations (report)
 - Transnational mutual learning workshops (materials)



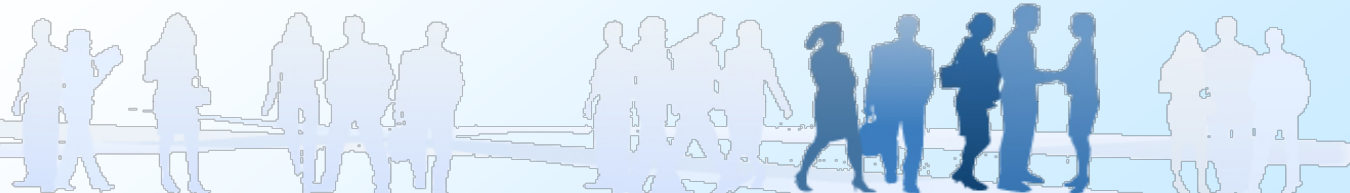
Expected results

- Identification and analysis of the lessons learnt during this programming period
- Policy decisions and planning process of next programming period in line with lessons learnt



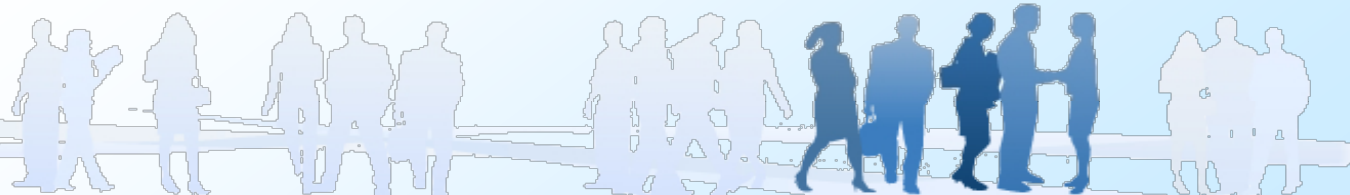
Budget

- **200.000 €**
80% EC + 20 % Spanish Ministry of Employment
- The Network **covers** the participation of **one person (ESF MA + NRCP) per activity.**



Objectives of this meeting

- Presentation of the Network
- Reinforce the political commitment
- Update on the planning process and identification fo lessons learnt
- Achieve a consensus on the implementation of the Network



Thanks for your attention !

