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### Afternoon sessions

12:45 – 14:00 Lunch break

14:00 – 14:30 Reporting back from the morning break-out sessions

**14:30 – 15:30 Interactive Session III “Capacity building for better EIP-AGRI implementation”**

#### Introduction (DG AGRI)

Discussion in groups focusing on concrete ideas for the forthcoming seminar

"Experiences and challenges in implementing EIP-AGRI:

where we are and what can we learn"

Collecting ideas from the table discussions

**15:30 – 16:00 Coffee break**

16:00 – 16:50 Session IV: EIP-AGRI evaluation


Presentation of the evaluation study of the implementation of the EIP-AGRI

16:45 – 17:00 Next steps and closing



## EIP-AGRI Seminar

### ""Moving EIP-AGRI implementation forward""

- When? 10-11 May 2017
  - Where? Athens, Greece
  - 2 half days programme - mixture of presentations and interactive discussions, social event
  - Participants: national and regional RDP Managing Authorities, Paying Agencies, NSU / NRNs and OGs who are directly involved in the implementation of the EIP-AGRI
  - By invitation only
  - Save-the-date sent on 3 February + questionnaire ***replies expected by 20 Feb***
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## ""Moving EIP-AGRI implementation forward""

Purpose of the workshop:

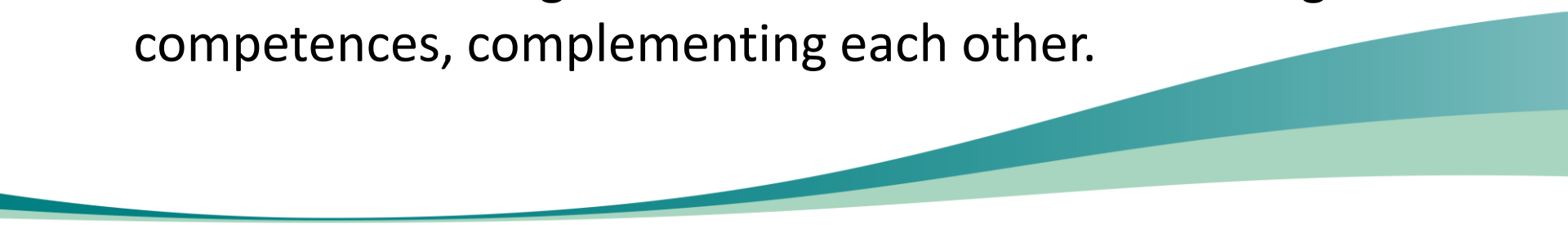
*exploring and sharing the existing experiences and practical approaches to roll out RDP funding in support to OGs, and thus to further improve EIP-AGRI implementation*

- With over 230 OGs projects already ongoing and many more to come, this seminar will focus on sharing current challenges that administrations are facing and **possible ways forward inspired by positive experiences**. What can national and regional Managing Authorities and Paying Agencies do to move forward with the EIP-AGRI?

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## ""Moving EIP-AGRI implementation forward""

### Content of the workshop:

- Discussions will cover the whole timeline of implementation
  - Look at project support, management of administrative and financial requirements and dissemination of results,....
  - Bring in OG experience to understand interaction with OG projects and increase their impact by promoting the involvement of organisations and actors with the right competences, complementing each other.
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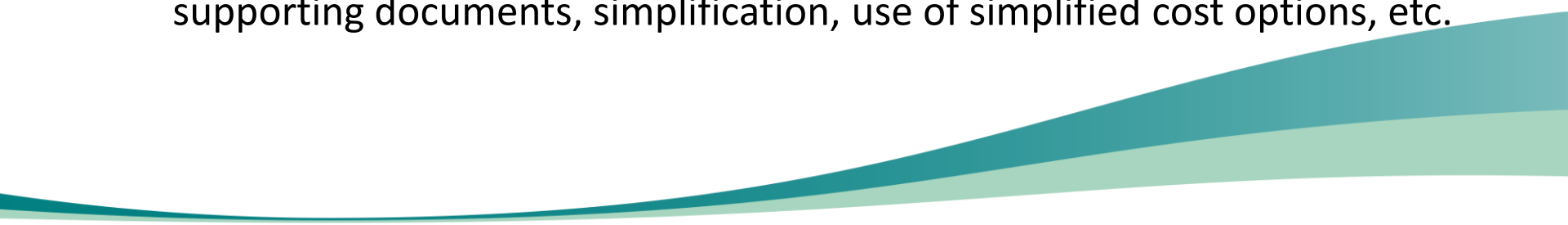
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### **1. Preparing, launching, promoting calls for OG projects**

E.g. choice of themes, two calls (preparation + project) or one call (project funding only), application forms and procedure, partnership agreement, guidelines, cross-border options, etc.

### **2. Preparing the selection and deciding on OG projects**

E.g. selection criteria, selection committee/experts, potential beneficiaries, supporting documents, simplification, use of simplified cost options, etc.



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### 3. Implementing the project and approach for payments

E.g. payment application, payment procedure, controls / verifiability, networking with other OGs and multipliers, connecting the OG with other relevant knowledge sources (e.g. H2020 projects), dissemination and making use of info from practice abstracts etc.

### 4. Promoting interaction within the OG project

E.g. roles of partners, input of partners' complementary knowledge, co-decision, group dynamics for co-creation, getting co-ownership, facilitation, coordination, etc.

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# Questions

## Question 1

From your perspective, which are the 3 main issues to be addressed in the seminar "Moving the EIP-AGRI forward" (Athens 10-11/05/2017) ?

## Question 2

b) Are there any documents you would like to share in this event as good examples