General conditions

RISIS aims to serve the scientific community providing a large-scale infrastructure on utilizing data and data analysis platforms relevant for research and innovation dynamics and policies. RISIS includes facilities covering six topics (http://risis.eu/publications/):

i) The *dynamics of the European Research Area* with one dataset on participations to EU-FPs (EUPRO), one dataset on transnationally coordinated joint programs (JOREP) and one dataset on the development of nanotechnology (NANO).

ii) *Firm innovation dynamics* through 3 datasets: the globalization of large firms (CIB), EU start-up firms (VICO) and European mid-size fast-growing firms.

iii) *Public sector research* in Europe with 3 datasets on European Higher Education Institutions (ETER) and on public research organizations and on their academic performance (Leiden ranking).

iv) *Research careers* with access to the European mobility survey (MORE) and the German panel on doctoral students and their careers (early career facility).

v) A specific *repository on policy evaluations*, articulated with the OECD– World Bank Innovation policy platform (SIPER).

vi) Two *textual platforms*, one focused on the construction from web sources (SMS platform) while CORTEXT Manager is an on line platform to clean, structure and treat textual datasets

The objective is to provide support to researchers wishing to use one or more of the facilities for their research work. The RISIS facilities will open step by step, with first facilities open in September 2015.

Financial and legal conditions

Researchers entering RISIS will have the opportunity to stay for up to a week at the research institutions managing the facilities, receive advice and training on the use of the data, access on-site to the data (including the possibility of combining different datasets), develop cooperation on the analysis of data.

RISIS will cover the following costs:
Travel to the hosting site and back (airplane economy fare or train); Accommodation and stay for 3 to 5 days based on per diem.

The researcher entering RISIS has to clearly define the research path that is followed in the registration, including a description of the research purpose and the intended datasets and/or platforms of the RISIS infrastructure to be used.

Registration can be done via the RISIS website under http://datasets.risis.eu/register. To enter the RISIS infrastructure the RISIS Code of Conduct (Cod) has to be signed. The RISIS CoD defines the basic working principles. The application dossier for visits should include:

- The application form completed
- Short description of the research project
- Short CV and publication list of the applicant.

Procedure: Applications can be submitted by via the ***RISIS Datasets portal*** after registration (http://datasets.risis.eu). Applicants are encouraged to contact the facility manager in advance to agree on the work and calendar of the visit.

Applications will be first pre-screened by the RISIS partners involved in the specific facility and then assessed by the RISIS Project Review Board. The final decision will be taken by the Facility Coordination Board. Response will be provided within six weeks.

All documents and detailed information is available on the RISIS website: www.risis.eu

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SEVENTH FRAMEWORK PROGRAMME

Call for visit to RISIS facilities

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