Policy Co-operation and Innovation in Lifelong Learning (Key Activity 1)
Studies and Comparative Research
Contribution of LLP to the Lisbon Process

[PCI2]

Within the priorities set in the general call for proposals, the following information can be used

Objectives and description of the action	
The objectives of Action "Studies and Comparative research" are: • to support the "Education and Training 2010" process through studies and comparative research in education and training fields at European level; • to contribute to evidence-based policy-making by producing state-of-the-art scientific knowledge on specific sectors of education and training; • to promote the creation of research consortia and cooperation between European research institutes and researchers in the field. The Action focuses on priority issues which are defined in relation to the needs identified in the "Education and Training 2010" process. These are published in the Call for Proposals of the programme. Particular attention is paid to dissemination and exploitation of the results of studies and research carried out under this Action. The activities of the Action include comparative studies and research, research networks and research conferences as well as publication and dissemination of results.	
Who can benefit	
Academic and research organisations, policy-makers, universities, education practitioners.	

Who can apply	
Organisations which can justify appropriate research ability and experience	

Selection Procedure	COM	**Management of selected projects**	Executive Agency

Minimal size of the consortium	Please refer to EAC Executive Agency website
Participating countries	Please refer to Part II - section 3.1 of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals
Duration , methods of funding, level of funding	Please refer to EAC Executive Agency website
Funded activities	Please refer to Part II – section 7 of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals
Political priorities for this action	Please refer to Part I of the Lifelong Learning 2008-2010 General Call for Proposals

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