

Enhancing Cyprus business development through the Structural Funds

Your challenge – What are typical situations in which you may require our assistance?

- The Structural Funds are allocated by the EU as part of its regional policy and can be used for a wide range of activities including enterprise and business development.
- If you are looking for opportunities to help your business grow or invest, we can assist you with the process of selecting the most suitable source of funding, incorporating Structural Funds in the project design.
- If you need accurate and up to date information on opportunities to participate in projects funded from Structural Funds, we can supply all the information that is necessary for the programme, strand or action that best meets your interests and requirements.
- If you are planning to submit an application to national authorities for subsidies available from Structural Funds, we can support you with the preparation of feasibility studies to accompany such applications as well as with all the guidance that is necessary throughout the process of preparation of the application package and its submission to the relevant authorities.
- If you are in need of support and assistance to manage funding received from Structural Funds, we can assist you with this demanding and time-consuming process for the entire funding period according to your requirements.

Assisting you to prepare a convincing grant application

What are the benefits of our approach?

- EU Structural Funds are one of the most important elements of EU policy and spending. That is why Deloitte is working closely with both EU Institutions and beneficiaries in order to ensure that these are properly and efficiently utilized.
- Deloitte's experts across Europe provide professional advice to public and private organisations on how to utilise the available grants through the Structural Funds.
- We have detailed and up-to-date information on all open schemes and Structural Funds' Programmes.
- We have an experienced team of devoted consultants who will handle your request on a timely and efficient manner.
- We are in direct communication and close co-operation with the national authorities that are responsible for the distribution of the Structural Funds and the implementation of the respective programmes.

EU Structural Funds play a key role in supporting European strategic objectives to stimulate economic and social development in the EU

- We work with you as a team at all stages, during the pre-application stage, the application stage, as well as after the application has been approved for funding.
- We have the technical know-how and expertise to prepare the feasibility and other studies that are necessary to accompany your application.

Our solutions - What can we offer?

- We provide information dissemination and notification services to interested parties regarding funding opportunities from Structural Funds on a frequent or an ad hoc basis, according to the clients' specific requests.
- We provide solution and advice with regards to the utilization of various programmes / subsidy schemes for realising a project, an investment or even hiring personnel.
- We evaluate eligibility to receive funding for planned investment on the basis of detailed analysis of the project.
- We assist clients in preparing application documentation (including business plans, feasibility studies, cost-benefit analysis and other required documents), which must comply with the requirements set by national and EU law.
- For the successful applications we offer project management services.
- We offer audit and control services to authorities receiving funding through Structural Funds Programmes.



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