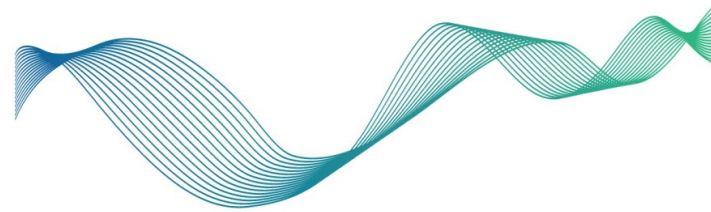


# MarineBiotech



## **WP2: Definition of the Strategic Forum**

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# WP2: Mobilisation and Engagement of Funding Agencies and Stakeholders



Engage funding agencies and stakeholders organizations in order to scope an ERA-NET in Marine Biotechnology

## WP2.1: Mobilisation and Engagement of Funding Agencies

- Establish a Strategic Forum consisting of funding agencies and strategic support organisations
- Expand and establish the network of funding agencies and governmental bodies who will be future partners in an ERA-NET in marine biotechnology

## WP2.2: Mobilisation and Engagement of Stakeholders

- Identify and engage with other relevant European activities and organisations, including Technology Platforms, Networks, Industry Groups, INTERREG actions, ERA-NETs and JPIs



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## Strategic Forum

- Consists of **funding agencies** with interest in marine biotechnology
- Objectives:
  - Strengthen the CSA MarineBiotech
  - Provide important information and insight in shaping and preparing for a future ERA-NET in marine biotechnology
  - **Form the basis for the partnership of an ERA-NET in marine biotechnology**
- Identify priorities in marine biotechnology and define the scope of the initiative to support European competitiveness



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## Expectations for members of the MarineBiotech Strategic Forum

- Strong focus on **strategic support** of marine biotechnology research, development and application.
- Act as advisory forum for the MarineBiotech to **identify shared strategic areas for action**.
- Contribute to **transnational exchange of information**.
- Identify and **mobilise funding agencies** at regional and national level.
- Help to identify realistic targets and innovative topics for projects launched by a future ERA-NET or similar.
- Participation in workshops planned during the CSA MarineBiotech project.
- Help to **position a future ERA-NET in marine biotechnology** within the multiple initiatives of the European Research Area (ERA) landscape, providing strategic and scientific advice on marine biotechnology.



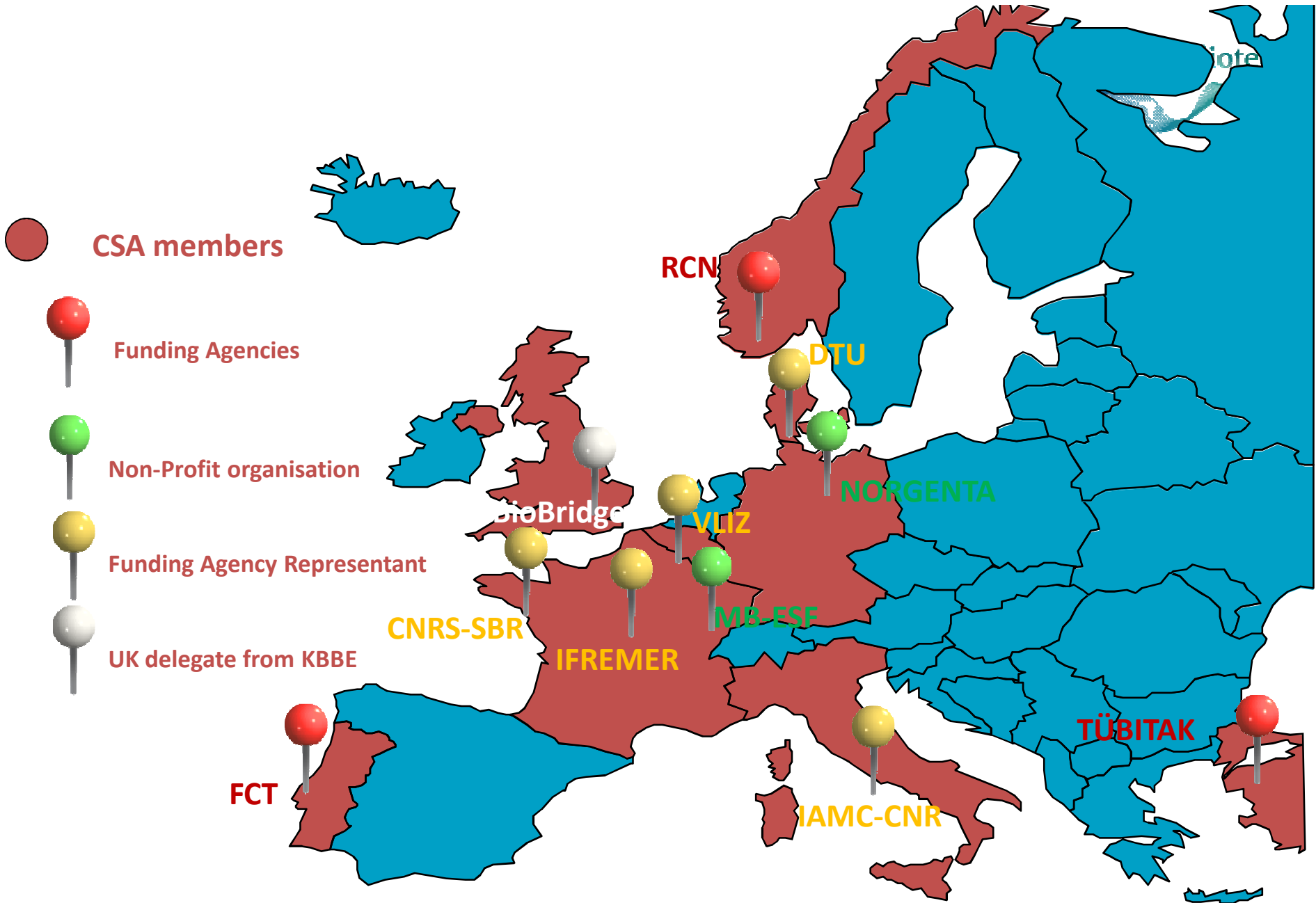
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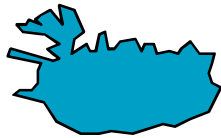


## Benefits for members of the MarineBiotech Strategic Forum

- Participate in the formation of a well-organised research coordination structure within marine biotechnology as established by a future ERA-NET or similar.
- Contribute to **reduced fragmentation** of research efforts in marine biotechnology through better coordination and cooperation between key member states.
- Be **central in forming the basis of the future ERA-NET consortium.**

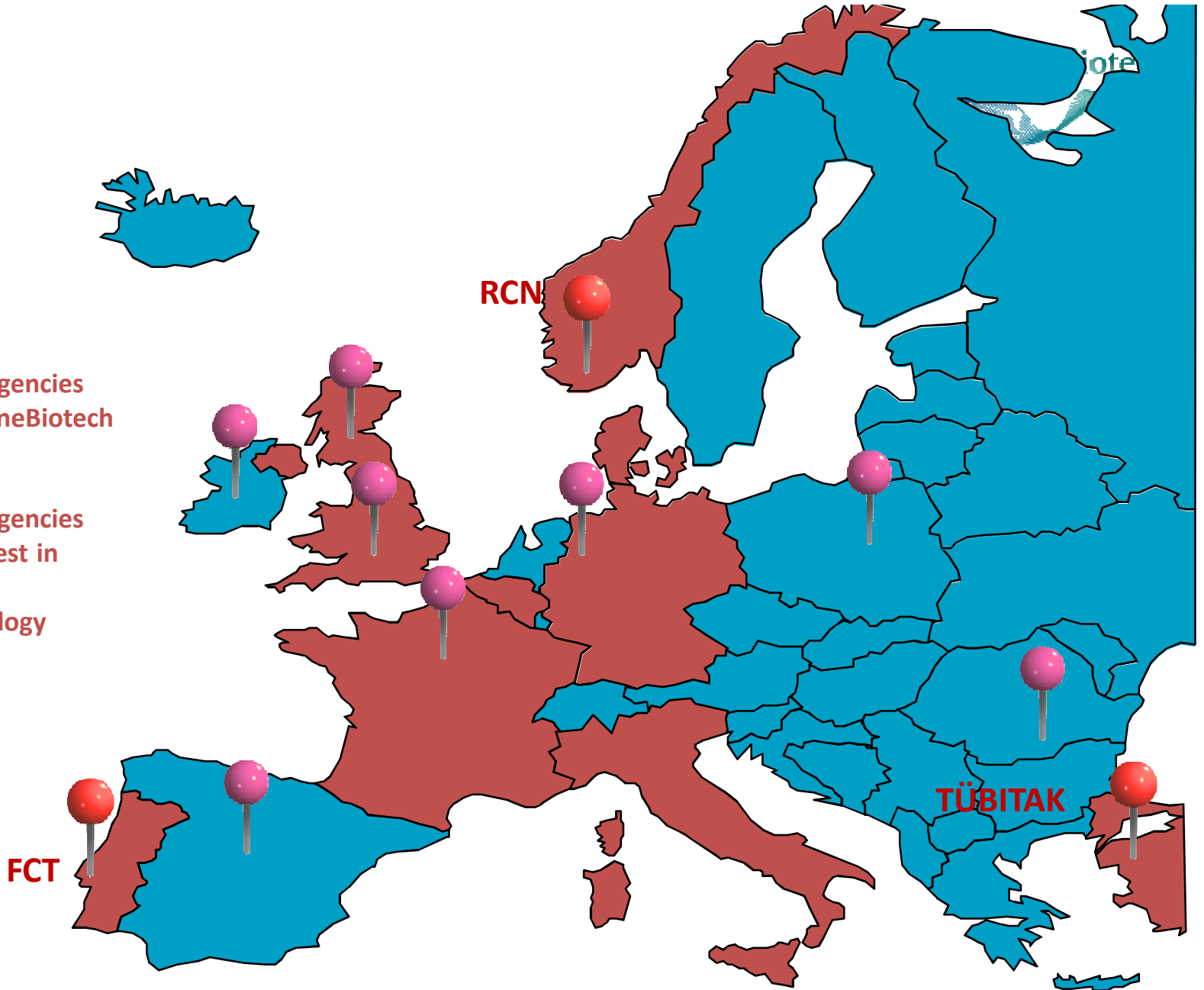






Funding Agencies  
(CSA MarineBiotech  
partners)

Funding Agencies  
with interest in  
marine  
biotechnology



# WP2: Mobilisation and Engagement of Funding Agencies and Stakeholders



- Main objective: an ERA-NET in marine biotechnology

## **KBBE.2013.3.2-01: Marine biotechnology ERA-NET**

**Call: FP7-ERANET-2013-RTD**

Please note that this orientation paper does develop information on Eranet topics.

### **Marine and freshwater biotechnology within the potential "The Ocean of Tomorrow 2013" joint call**

Please note that a separate orientation paper on "The Ocean of Tomorrow 2013" potential joint call will be tentatively published and it is therefore not developed in this orientation paper. For details on the topics, please consult the relevant document on the Participant Portal. The tentative orientation paper for "The Ocean of Tomorrow 2013" will possibly include two actions in the field of marine and freshwater biotechnology:

- **Biosensors for real time monitoring of biohazard and man made chemical contaminants in the marine environment**
- **Innovative antifouling materials for maritime applications**

- ✓ Engage the participating funding agencies in this ERA-NET





# WP2: Mobilisation and Engagement of Funding Agencies and Stakeholders



## Task2.3: Organise two workshops for all participating funding agencies and stakeholders

- 2<sup>nd</sup> workshop in Autumn 2012 at a location to be decided
- Reflect our own national ambitions and common European policies
- Define the consortium of the potential ERA-NET in marine biotechnology
- Discuss the activities in the proposal (WP and tasks)





# Thank you!



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