

SEARCH FOR PARTNER / PROJECT PROPOSAL

Partner	
Organisation	Campidano Agrozootecnica SRL - Società Agricola - Decimoputzu (Ca)
Country	Italy
Type of organisation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enterprise <input type="checkbox"/> SME <input type="checkbox"/> Academic <input type="checkbox"/> Research institute <input type="checkbox"/> Public Body <input type="checkbox"/> Other: Association
Description of the organisation	Campidano Agrozootecnica is a company that deals with the breeding of dairy sheep and the cultivation of land necessary to guarantee the self-supply of their livestock. There are 2,200 farmed animals and the cultivated land (cereals and fodder) amounts to around 250 hectares. Milk production is around 800,000 lt / year. The turnover is given by the sale of milk and meat lambs. The milk is provided to a major dairy company in Sardinia.
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Call	
Call - Funding programme	Food security Horizon 2020 Topics: Climate-smart and resilient farming Improving animal welfare
Title & reference numbe	=====
EC service	=====
Link to the call document	=====
Deadline of the call of proposals	=====
Project	
Project Title	Stalla Etica (Stable Ethics), aimed at breeding dairy cows for the production of organic milk for fresh consumption and for dairy processing.
Thematic areas	Agriculture - Bovine Dairy Breeding
Main issues	The project stems from the belief that in the agricultural world can economize even in strict compliance with environmental factors. In collaboration with an important Italian company leader in breeding technologies and with the University, we want to propose an ethical stable that is able to produce revenues respecting animal welfare, the reduction of emissions into the atmosphere, the structure of the soil and the aquifers. At the same time, thanks also to technology, it is able to guarantee income, employment, safety and wellbeing in the workplace, permanence and stability of production activities in the countryside, safeguarding the territory. The designed model is able to handle all the criticalities mentioned.
Description of the background	In Europe, dairy cattle breeding is generally managed according to an intensive model, with large investments concentrated in a minimum area, in order to produce the maximum profit with minimal cost. Intensive livestock farms, in the European zootechnical reality, are the only ones able to guarantee adequate remuneration. The project was designed to ensure a good economic and financial performance using a system of extensive typology, in strong relation with environmental sustainability and animal welfare.
Project objectives	Start an income-generating activity based on high ethical principles, with a

	high technological content, which can increase animal welfare factors, greatly reduce emissions into the atmosphere, respect the structure of the soil and the water tables, limit the factors of impact on the landscape, create stable employment, increase safety and well-being in the workplace, counter the depopulation of the countryside, garrison and safeguard the territory.
Project actions	Construction of the breeding structure for dairy cattle; breeding facilities; machines and equipment for storage and preparation of zootechnical foodstuffs; machines and equipment for reuse of zootechnical waste; machines and equipment for growing fodder species.
Indicative budget	€ 2.500.000,00
Lead partner	Rota Guido SRL -Fiorenzuola d'Arda (PC) - Italy
Expertise	
Expertise offered	The proposing company has over 20 years of experience in the breeding sector, a period in which the members have been able to develop a wide professionalism both on crops and on animal husbandry
Former participation in european projects?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
List of previous projects	=====
Partners requested	
Desired partner profile (country, activity/sector, experience, skills)	The ideal partner to start the project initiative (ethical stable for the production of high quality organic cow's milk, obtained with ethical farming methods and with high environmental value) is located in Italy and should be involved in processing milk or processing for fresh consumption; the partner should operate according to ethical and sustainable principles, and demonstrate profound experience in the processing and marketing of organic milk.
Expertise requested	Transformation and processing cow's milk
Keywords describing the expertise requested	Milk quality, total bacterial load, certified organic processing.
Deadline for responding to the partner search	=====
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