

**Programming Period:** 2014 to 2020

**Instrument/Program level:** European

**Name of the instrument/Program:** INTERREG V-A

**Instrument/Program application areas:** Italy - Switzerland

**Instrument/Program eligible areas:** Autonomous Province of Bolzano; Autonomous Province of Trento; Como; Lecco; Sondrio; Varese; Biella; Novara; Verbano-Cusio-Ossola; Vercelli; Valle d'Aosta; Valle d'Aosta/Vallée d'Aoste; Graubünden; Valais; Ticino

**Managing authority:**

Lombardia Region - Struttura Autorità di Gestione del Programma di Cooperazione Transfrontaliera Italia Svizzera

### Objectives:

1. Greater collaboration between businesses in the border area;
2. Increased common strategies for the sustainable management of water resources;
3. Improving the attractiveness of areas characterized by environmental and cultural resources with specific common;
4. Improving mobility in border areas;
5. Increase in shared solutions to improve accessibility of social services of general interest on both sides of the border, particularly for the benefit of the bands most vulnerable or at risk of discrimination;
6. Increased cooperation, coordination and integration between administrations and stakeholders to strengthen governance border area.

**Eligible thematics in line with ERC sectors:** Life Sciences; Physical Sciences and Engineering; Social Sciences and Humanities

**Eligible thematics in line with S3:** Agrifood processing; Alpine activities & technologies; Climate Change Mitigation; Food & nutrition (ingredients and modification of food, materials, smart packaging, food quality, quality assurance, food production technologies); Green & Clean energy & technologies; ICTs (Digital technologies & user-friendly systems); Life Science & Biotechnology; Public health & security (e-Health); Specialised production for an excellent mountain; Sustainable innovation & infrastructure; Sustainable Living & mobility

**Action typologies:** Development of transnational schemes for infrastructure sharing for research and innovation (knowledge transfer centres, B2B initiatives); Promoting conditions able to facilitate cross-border collaboration between companies; Contacts with industry partners, societal organisations or potential 'end users' of the projects' results; Best practices exchange (Interregional Cooperation); Implementation of cross-border measures for the exchange of knowledge to support multi and interdisciplinary research teams; Development of applications for mobile

devices, multilingual applications, applications for Handicaps, discovery via images of inaccessible places-interiors of buildings; Development of tools and services (analytical tools, strategies, management tools, capacity building etc.) in relation to jointly developed products and/or services; Best-practice, demonstration, pilot or information, awareness and dissemination projects; Development of pilot programs & projects; Feasibility studies; New technologies for mountain agriculture, security, constructions and mobility in mountains; Creation of joint cross-border platforms for know-how and technology transfer as basis for R&I, applied science projects, etc; Development of a cross-border R&I database and platforms; Building transnational networks for the transfer of knowledge among public administration on technological solutions

**Beneficiaries:** Local public authority; Regional public authority; National public authority; Sectorial agency; Infrastructure and (public) service provider; Higher education and research; Education/training centre and school; SME; Business support organisation

**Status of the eligible institutions:** Public; Private; Public equivalent body

**Programme contribution maximum:** 85%

**Programme contribution note:**

For Switzerland co-financing up to 50% of total eligible cost.

**Programme Budget:** 94 208 179,00 €

**Project duration maximum:** 36 months

**Funded projects under this**

**Program:** <http://www.interreg-italiasvizzera.eu/progetti/>

**Events organized by this Program:** <http://www.interreg-italiasvizzera.eu/notizie/>