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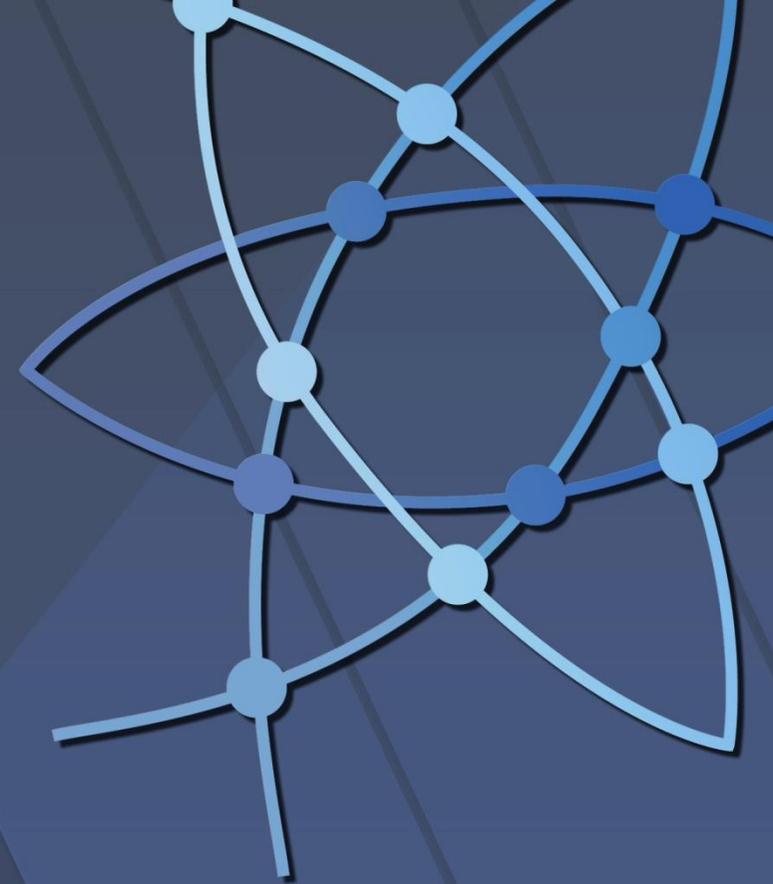
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# PRO-RES

PROmoting integrity in the use of REsearch results in evidence based policy : a focus on non-medical research(PRO-RES)

## PROJECT OVERVIEW

PRO-RES project aims to build a research ethics and integrity framework devised cooperatively with, and seen as acceptable by, the full range of relevant stakeholders.

The framework is required by researchers, research funding and performing organizations (RFPO), in order to balance political, institutional and professional contradictions and constraints. This framework aims to:

- cover the spectrum of non-medical sciences
- offer practical solutions for all stakeholders, that will comply with the highest standards of research ethics and integrity.

In terms of post-2020 European strategic funding policy this offers a strong and sustainable contribution to research ethics and scientific integrity, via a comprehensive ethics and integrity framework similar to Oviedo/ Helsinki which will have been constructed in negotiation with relevant stakeholders.

14 PROJECT PARTNERS

10 EUROPEAN STATES

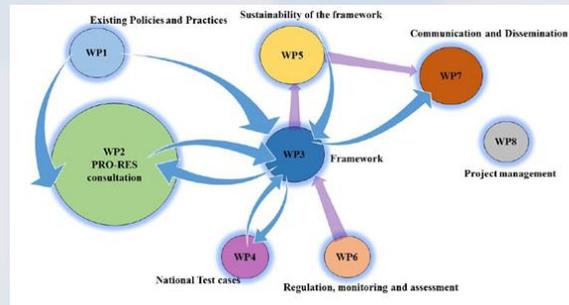
7 MAJOR TECHNICAL OBJECTIVES

35 DELIVERABLES

## CONCEPT AND APPROACH

As its ultimate outcome, PRO-RES will create an Oviedo/Helsinki type framework that could apply to the full range of non-medical sciences drawing upon previous foundational work funded by the EC, and other national and international agencies. Several specific issues related to integrity in the use of research results in evidence-based policy making which will be unpacked during the PRO-RES project. Understanding how each of these issues can be addressed is core to the work.

1. Drafting the Framework
2. Testing the Framework
3. Finalising the Framework
4. Consultation process
5. PRO-RES website
6. Sustainability
7. Providing innovative tools for the Framework



## OBJECTIVES

The main objective is supported by the following 7 strategic objectives

1. Identify and categorise stakeholders, guidelines and codes, across the EU area and across non-medical disciplines, to ensure that the organisation and channelling of expertise, in the context of policy advice, is well understood.
2. Activate and engage stakeholders across the EU and across disciplines.
3. Construct a normative framework for evidence based policy originating from cutting edge research responses to ethical challenges.
4. Understand the implications and pragmatic issues that are entailed in the implementation of such a framework at a national level and analyse the relationship between science based policy advice, responsible conduct of research and research ethics.
5. Ensure that the produced framework is sustainable and adaptive and can anticipate future needs that may arise from new scientific discoveries and new available technologies.
6. Provide a toolbox to policy makers to monitor ethical use of research results and be able to perform impact evaluation and gauge the socio-economic impact of not conducting responsible research.
7. Ensure that the needs of society are well encapsulated in the framework.