



Aim of the Working Group/ Main areas of interest	Increase number the SIS projects in ERRIN regions in order to give input to relevant societal questions (Ethics in Science, Gender questions, Science Communication)
Structure (Chair/Co-Chair, subgroups, if applicable)	Co-chairs Claire Robertson (Scotland Europa) and Martina Hilger (Bremen)
Strategic context 2011	Preparation of FP 8, Working on the PLACES project in order to formulate recommendations to the commission
Planned focus and form of acti 2011. What are the WG plans in terms of project develop- ment?	<p>Task in 2011</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Analysing the 2012 FP Work Programme in order to stimulating projects</li> <li>Briefing with COM in relevant areas</li> <li>Finalising the mapping of competences and expertise regarding SIS in ERRIN Regions</li> <li>Create interaction with the ERRIN Design Working Group in order to respond to Innovation Union</li> </ul>

Number of regular participants at WG meetings	10?
Planned number of WG meetings	4 p.a.
Planned number of conferences with external participant	?
Planned number of policy or call briefings with EU COM	?
Planned number of training seminars held, if applicable	None
Planned number of projects arised from the co-operation within the TWG	1
Closer co-operation with other related networks and / or observatories	Not yet



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