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The European Research Area Network in Aeronautics

Objectives

AirTN FP7 will strengthen this coordination and strive for long lasting co-operation. It will bring added value to the foundation of the European Research Area and the development of European Research Policy, especially in relation for aeronautics and air transport. The focus will be on the implementation of Joint Activities and the funding of transnational research.

The governing objective of all AirTN activities is to continue strengthening the European Research Area within the framework of the ACARE Strategic Research Agenda.

One of AirTN's foremost goals was to create a better awareness of the research development mechanisms that are already well established in Europe.

AirTN has successfully established and maintained an extensive network of European aeronautics stakeholder groups that include ACARE and GARTEUR along with universities, research institutes, manufacturers and airports.

Other programmes that AirTN is working with include the Clean Sky Joint Technology Initiative, SESAR-JU (Single European Sky Joint Undertaking), the NCP Network (National Contact Points), EUROCONTROL (European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation, which is made up of 38 European Member States and aims to improve and coordinate air traffic control across Europe), and the ETNA-European Transport NCP Alliance. By working together with AirTN for research excellence these organisations are strengthening aeronautics R&D under the ACARE umbrella.

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