IAR – The French Bioeconomy Cluster

Bioeconomy Conference of the Slovak Presidency of the UE

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THE FRENCH BIOECONOMY

1.7 million jobs

Source: IAR & Nova Institut

€316 billion turnover

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IAR’S STRATEGIC AXIS

INGREDIENTS
BIO-BASED CHEMICALS
ADVANCED BIOFUELS
BIOGAS
BIO-BASED MATERIALS

SUSTAINABLE RENEWABLE RESOURCES
TRAINING & SKILLS

THE FRENCH BIOECONOMY CLUSTER
IAR – COVERING THE FULL VALUE CHAIN

350 members, including large companies, SMEs, start-ups, universities, local authorities throughout France

- SMEs, Startups
- Large companies
- Academics
- Others

End-Users
IAR’S REGIONS

Building on 2 strong agricultural regions
- Over 5 million hectares dedicated to agricultural production
- 75% of the French sugar production
- More than 2/3 of the French potato production
- 20+% of flax production

To support the bio-based development of more than 350 members everywhere in France
BIOECONOMY INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

Since 2005:
- 219 innovation projects
- €1 billion investments
IAR’S SERVICES TO BOOST BIOBASED DEVELOPMENT
EUROPEAN PARTNERSHIPS

EUROPE’S BIOECONOMY INTERCLUSTER

3Bi – Brokering Bio-Based innovation
- Biobased Delta (Netherlands)
- Biovale (United Kingdom)
- Bioeconomy Cluster (Germany)

Non formal
- Greenwin (Belgium)
- Spring Cluster (Italy)
- Agropolis de Meknes (Maroc)

- Member and member of the board of the Biobased Industries Consortium (BIC)
- Membre of the board (SME) of the Biobased Industries Joint Undertaking (BBI)
- Member of EuropaBio
- Member of the EC DG GROW Biobased Products Expert Group
- Member of the Renewable Raw Materials Group (ERRMA – RRM)
- Member of the « biorefinery WG» of the World Economic Forum
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