



# EaP Think Tank Forum 2017

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### Overall Aim:

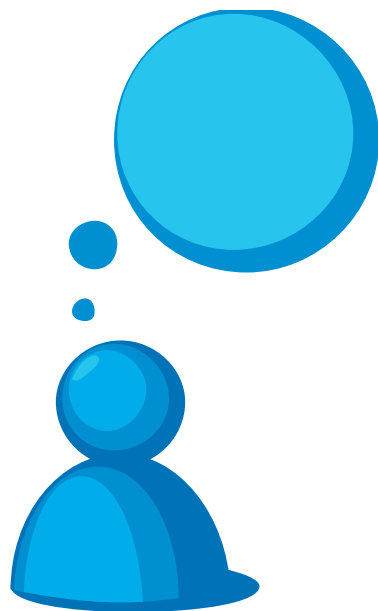
EaP Think Tanks to better connect to the network of European experts for a maximum impact on their research, policy making and advocacy effort.

### Objectives:

- O 1.** Strengthening the regional perspective of EaP think tanks
- O 2.** Contributing to a more effective policy-making and advocacy on the EU level
- O 3.** Promoting policy recommendations for the next Brussels EaP Summit



## Target groups:



- ▶ **Think Tanks** from EaP, EU and WB countries that **will benefit from the cooperation and networking actions** of the project;
- ▶ **EaP Experts** that will use the platform created by the Forum **to reach out to the EU and WB expert community**;
- ▶ **CSOs, EaP authorities, EU institutions and member states** that **will benefit from a set of structured and targeted policy recommendations** on the future of the EaP

## Project Outcomes And Activities



1. **The EaP CSF vision towards EaP Summit in Brussels strengthened** by a set of Policy Recommendations from EaP and EU think tanks' experts
2. **A community for EaP Think Tanks created** and linked to the European network of experts
3. **EaP and EU Think Tanks' recommendations on the future of the EaP advocated in Brussels**



- When?** ➤ 14-22 September 2017 (tbc)
- Where?** ➤ Chișinău, Republic of Moldova
- Who?** ➤ 25-35 experts representing Think Tanks from EaP, EU and WB countries (13 funded participants at least 6 from EaP, 6 from EU and 1 from WB)
- How?** ➤ Call for participants (June 2017)
- What?** ➤ Draft Policy Recommendations for the EaP Brussels Summit discussed and endorsed



- May** ◆ Start of the Project (Inception/coordination meeting)
- June** ◆ Call for participants
- July** ◆ Selection of participants/ logistics and arrangements
- August** ◆ Preliminary consultations of the draft Policy recommendations within the EaP CSF
- September** ◆ EaP Think Tank Forum organized
- October** ◆ Promoting the Forum results and the EaP policy recommendations in Brussels, EU and EaP capitals
- November** ◆ Reporting



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