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**To:** Liberec Region - Josef Jarý  
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Dear colleagues,

Let me contact you on behalf of our regional authority, especially the Department of regional development and European projects, which would like to propose an international cooperation project within Czech Operational Programme Human Resources and Employment, priority axis nr.5 – International cooperation (first call from May 2008 in English:  
[http://old.esfcr.cz/files/clanky/6437/Czech\\_first\\_call\\_for\\_proposals\\_on\\_TNC.pdf](http://old.esfcr.cz/files/clanky/6437/Czech_first_call_for_proposals_on_TNC.pdf)).

Within the recent call **we are searching for partners willing to share experiences and best practices in two thematic areas: tourism and innovations**. Within the project a delegation from our region would visit your region. On the other hand there are funds intended for an expert to visit our region for a series of lectures. Unfortunately the available funds can cover only the travel expenses and accommodation and no remuneration for the expert.

Within the thematic area focusing on **tourism** a delegation from our region would like to visit a region with experiences in destination management, marketing strategies for tourism, operation of info-centres and their contribution to the tourism development and finally new trends in the field of tourism from the regional point of view.

The thematic area focusing on **innovations** should cover the following topics: preparation of regional innovation strategies as a tool for regional development; creation, support, transfer and adaptation of innovation; increasing of public administration effectiveness throughout the innovation process.

In case of your interest, please reply until 10<sup>th</sup> of December 2009 as a Letter of Intent has to be signed before the submission of project proposal (deadline: 15<sup>th</sup> of January 2010). The realization of the project is expected from June 2010 to May 2013. In this time period the study visits would take place.

If you want to know more about these proposals, please consult the responsible person in our administration:

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We would be grateful if you could pass these back to your regional colleagues as appropriate.

Kind regards,

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