

COLLABORATION BETWEEN ARCO LAB AND THE IDEASS PROGRAMME

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Collaboration has been established between ARCO Lab and the IDEASS Programme, in order to promote joint projects for human sustainable development.



ARCO, an action research Lab founded in 2008 by professors of the University of Florence and professionals of the consultancy company LAMA d.c.a., supports public authorities and private organizations in promoting local development and community empowerment. ARCO is divided in four strategic units, working both at national and international level.

The collaboration aims at promoting joint initiatives between ARCO Lab and the IDEASS Programme for the design and strengthening of S&T systems for local actors and, in its international dimension, for the search and promotion of innovations for human development. In particular, the involvement of ARCO's research fellows and consultants in specific initiatives of institutional building will be promoted, in order to sustain national S&T systems oriented to local actors and able to mobilize public, private and civil society stakeholders in the systematic sharing and transfer of innovative knowledge. Finally, ARCO will contribute to the identification and systematization of relevant innovations for human development discovered during its activities at international level.

The first joint initiatives are already on course, identifying concrete projects and financial and technical partners interested.

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