



## **Towards new avenues in EU-US ICT collaboration:**

**5G, Big Data, Internet of Things and Cyber Physical Systems  
for smart cities, smart transport and smart energy**

**EU-US collaboration on 5G funding opportunities in Horizon 2020 –  
*Webinar***

**ICT Policy, Research and Innovation  
for a Smart Society**

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# What is PICASSO?

- > European Commission funded **collaborative project** (January 2016 - June 2018)
- > **Mission:** Enhance **EU-US ICT research and innovation collaboration** responsive to the societal challenges and industry needs, supported by harmonious policies, to enable economic growth in both the EU and US
- > **Focus:** 4 Expert Groups on 5G, Big Data, Internet of Things / Cyber Physical Systems and Policy Dialogue with approx. 30 members -  
***Unique feature of PICASSO:** synergy between ICT policies and ICT technologies*
- > **Project target groups:** ICT RDI Stakeholders and networks | ICT companies / industry | Policy Makers

# *What's in it for you?* PICASSO Benefits and Opportunities

## **Landscape analyses and Reports**

- **Analyses** of ICT landscape and industrial drivers, societal needs, policy gaps, existing networks/initiatives and collaboration opportunities in EU and US
- **Opportunity report** with recommendations including future topics for EU-US collaboration to funding agencies
- **5 policy briefs and 1 White paper** summarizing recommendations to policy makers based on needs, priorities and strategic activities

***Policy Brief on Privacy and Data Protection available soon!***

## **Tools and Services**

- **ICT Toolkit**, a mobile app providing a smart quick access to ICT activities in EU and US
- **Helpdesk** service, to support access to EU-US ICT-related programmes
- **4+ webinars** on funding opportunities, and **5 webinars** on the identified policy gaps

***Policy Webinar on Privacy and Data Protection in October!***

## **Public Relations and events**

- Next event: **Trans-Atlantic Symposium on Technology and Policy for a Smart Society** in Minneapolis, US: June 19-20, 2017 **SAVE THE DATE!** ***Call for sessions open!***
- **Expert Group meetings** (three in total per group) and related public events



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