

E.U. Action

What is on the horizon



The Europe 2020

- 3 key priorities:
 - 1) **Smart growth**: Developing an economy based on knowledge and innovation.
 - 2) **Sustainable growth**: Promoting a more resource efficient, greener and more competitive economy.
 - 3) **Inclusive growth**: Fostering a high-employment economy delivering social and territorial cohesion

Five targets

- 1-Employment rate of 75% for people between 20 and 64.
2. Investment of 3% of the EU's GDP in research and development
3. The '20/20/20' climate/energy targets met
4. Share of early school leavers under 10%, and at least 40% of the younger generation with a tertiary degree.
- 5. Twenty million less 'at risk of poverty'

The European Social Fund

- The regulation proposes to target the ESF on four thematic objectives throughout the Union:
- (1) promoting employment and supporting labor mobility;
- (2) promoting social inclusion and combating poverty;
- (3) investing in education, skills and lifelong learning; and
- (4) enhancing institutional capacity and an efficient public administration