

Some examples of MFG's current projects

MFG Baden-Württemberg is the Centre of Excellence for IT and Media in the Southwest of Germany. Over 50 employees are currently involved in close to 100 projects. With a certified innovation management system (ISO 9001) and over 60,000 documented technology partnerships, MFG is the ideal partner for successful project development and management – on regional, national and international scales. MFG coordinates a variety of business clusters and networks, such as Baden-Württemberg: Connected (www.bwcon.de), one of Europe's largest IT and high-tech clusters, as well as the Linux Solutions Group European initiative (www.lisog.org). MFG is also embedded in

a range of national and international networks, for instance the European Association for the Transfer of Technologies, Innovation and Industrial Information (www.tii.org), the European e-Business Support Network (www.e-BSN.org) and The Competitiveness Institute (www.competitiveness.org).

Types of cooperation

MFG's cooperative efforts take on various shapes: joint projects, especially on a European level, joint cluster or networking initiatives, knowledge and technology transfer or simply informal information exchange.


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Baden-Württemberg: Connected

 MFG is the managing office of Baden-Württemberg: Connected (bwcon), the leading business initiative for innovation and technology in Baden-Württemberg. With close to 4,000 employees in its 400 participating companies, the initiative is one of the most successful business networks in Europe. It promotes innovation and sustainable growth in the areas of ICT, life sciences/health and the creative sectors, as well as at their interfaces.
www.bwcon.de

FAZIT Research

 This four-year research project focuses on the identification of new markets for innovative IT and media technologies. Representative surveys and Delphi studies highlight future business opportunities. As lead partner, MFG carries out research management and coordinates the activities of well-known project partners: the Centre for European Economic Research (ZEW, Mannheim) and the Fraunhofer Institute for Systems and Innovation Research (ISI, Karlsruhe).
www.fazit-research.org

Heidelberg Innovation Forum

 Twice a year, the Heidelberg Innovation Forum brings together IT researchers and entrepreneurs to share high-potential business ideas from current IT research. MFG organises this event in cooperation with the European Media Laboratory (EML), led by SAP-founder Klaus Tschira.
www.heidelbergerinnovationsforum.de

EPROC

 MFG acts as German partner in the Interreg III project EPROC, a collaborative European initiative with partners in the Netherlands, Ireland and Wales. This e-Procurement research project promotes the adoption of new digital procurement processes and tools by SMEs wishing to trade electronically with regional local authorities.
www.eproc.org

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