



Romania-Hungary European Regional Development Fund

3 <sup>rd</sup> Restricted Call for Proposals - Concept Note and Full Application Form	
Investment priority	<b>8/b</b> – Supporting employment-friendly growth through the development of endogenous potential as part of a territorial strategy for specific areas, including the conversion of declining industrial regions and enhancement of accessibility to, and development of, specific natural and cultural resources.
Project Title	Joint Employment-Driven Initiative
Project no.	ROHU-355 CN ROHU-452 FAF
Partnership	LP: Szeged Center of Vocational Training PP2: DKMT Danube-Kris-Mures-Tisa Euroregional Development Agency - Nonprofit Public Benefit Limited PP3: Roman Catholic Diocese of Szeged-Csanád PP4: Homokhát Eurointegration Regional Development Agency PP5: Timis County PP6: Timis Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture
Total ERDF budget	€ 176,579.85 for CN € 5,551,875.30 for FAF
Objective	The project aims to enhance employment of the Romanian-Hungarian CB region by creating favorable conditions for a balanced labor market on the long term.
Contribution to indicators	Number of participants in joint local employment initiatives and joint training (persons): 2,685
Summary	<ul> <li>The PPs wish to address the following challenges in the eligible area:</li> <li>lack of professional, technical and practical skills and experiences of the jobseekers.</li> <li>lack of skilled employees</li> <li>employment problems (low activity rate, long-term unemployment, high unemployment rate in remote rural areas and a lack of a skilled workforce in several sectors such as construction, catering and food processing industries)</li> <li>the institutions offering vocational and adult trainings cannot attract enough students</li> <li>The project's main activities are:</li> <li>creating state of the art conditions for vocational trainings by developing 5 sites for such trainings</li> <li>mapping, networking and joint development of the labor market of the target area</li> <li>joint institutional cooperation in the field of employment and training</li> <li>communication and dissemination</li> </ul> Main expected results of the project are the following: <ul> <li>improved conditions for vocational trainings</li> <li>joint cross-border labor market</li> <li>network of relevant institutions</li> <li>enhanced cross-border mobility of the workforce.</li> </ul>



