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Evaluation Design

- Results oriented focused on achievement of Transnational Partnership goals and actual production of the deliverables
- Process oriented focused on what helped and what hindered production of the deliverables and how to make transnational cooperation better



Evaluation Design

- Target Groups each Working Group,
 Steering Committee, Transnational Meeting participants
- Instruments questionnaires, interviews, observations, attendance in Steering
 Committee meetings



Major Findings - Challenges

- Fluctuation of partners
- Different start and end dates of national partners
- Sensitivity to language needs
- Organisational & financial difficulties related to national EQUAL authorities



Major Findings - Challenges

- Priority of national work compared to transnational work
- Balanced representation in Working Groups by country vs. direct link to national work
- Importance of establishing intercultural & conceptual understanding at beginning of the working process



Major Findings - Success Factors

- Product orientation
- Support of Steering Committee
- Development of common understanding of topic
- Diverse composition of working groups national as well as organizational
- Overlap between national and transnational work



Major Findings - Success Factors

- Good organisation & communication among
 Steering Committee members
- Resource flexibility some Working Groups had additional meetings
- Steering Committee members also participated in Working Groups
- Strong leadership moderation skills & guarantee good information flow

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