RISIS

RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURE FOR SCIENCE AND INNOVATION POLICY STUDIES

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Fostering evidence-based policy making by research infrastructures: the RISIS experience and legacy

RISIS VISION: FREE ACCESS TO DATA

The European Research Infrastructure for Science, Technology and Innovation Policy Studies (RISIS2) aims at building a data and services infrastructure supporting the development of a new generation of analyses and indicators.

RISIS aims to facilitate transnational access to research infrastructure, pursue infrastructure innovation and sustainability thanks to **15 Datasets** and **2 Organisation Registers** (Orgreg and Firmreg) to study the dynamics of knowledge.
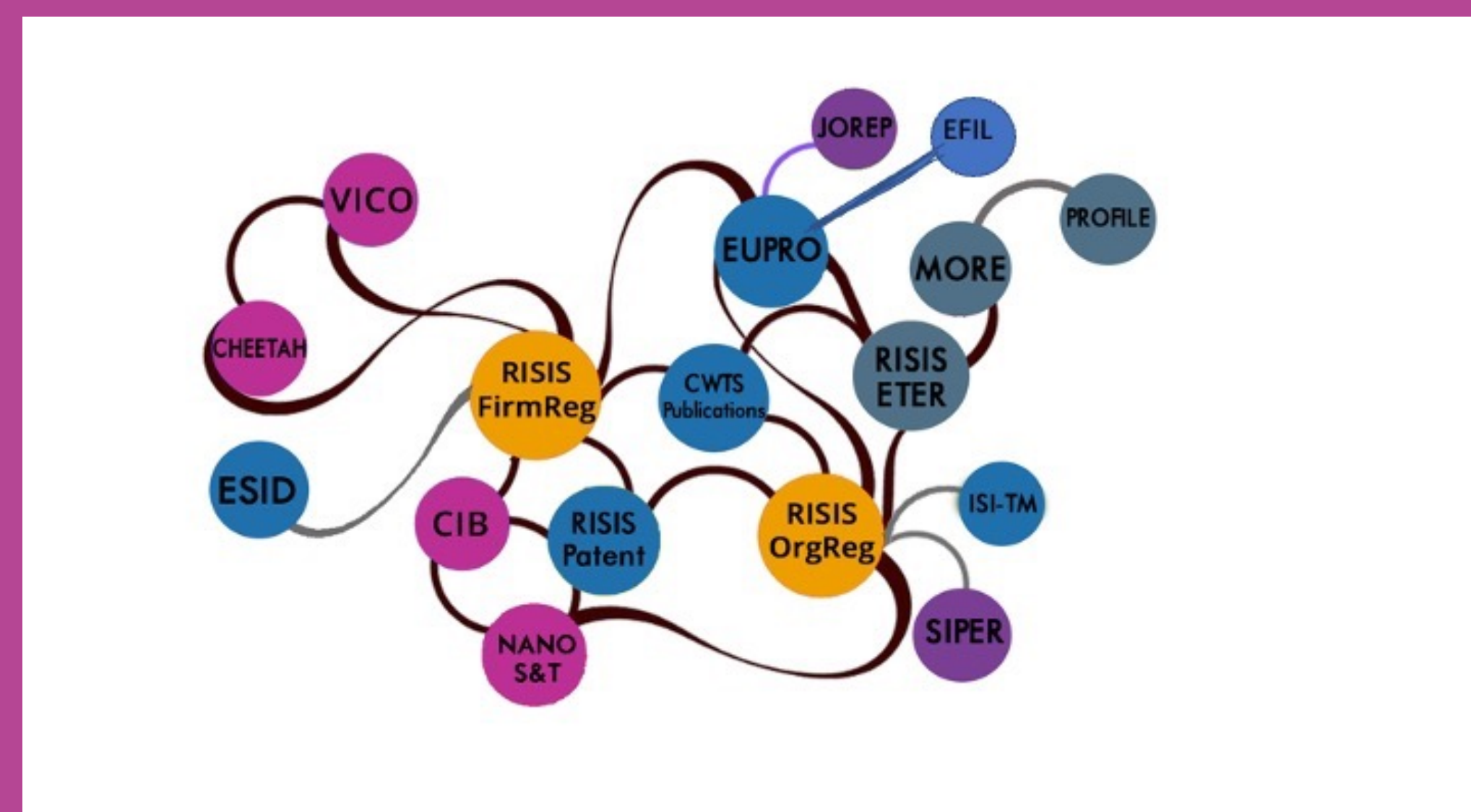
RISIS Core Facility (RCF) gives access to researchers to all RISIS Datasets in a linked structure. The project is clearly inscribed into the open science movement with a RISIS-Zenodo community space, a repository for RISIS research activities and outcomes, and directly embedded in **OpenAire**.

RISIS MISSION

RISIS is working for the exploitation of **new combination of data** to better grasp the different evidence that are available on policies in the field to shed light on contents, impact or influence of policies and expertise.

From the beginning of the project, **11 Policy meetings** on specified Policy briefs were organized involving on average **50 participants** and high-level representatives of institutions sensitive on related topics (**EC, JRC, OECD**). RISIS Datasets as new resources and the potential for addressing research questions on relevant policy were the focus of the meetings, fostering debate and opening new perspectives of studies and analyses.

DATASET FAMILIES IN OPEN ACCESS

RISIS DATASETS are used for studying science and innovation into 5 different families:
FIRM INNOVATION CAPABILITIES, R&D OUTPUT-ORIENTED DATASETS, PUBLIC RESEARCH AND HIGHER EDUCATION, POLICY LEARNING, REGISTERS.

All datasets have been inter-linked after harmonization of integration activities making available analyses on numerous policy relevant topics: social innovation, non-technological innovation, the role of PhDs in society, portfolios of public funding instruments.

The 3 newest Datasets are **ESID** on social innovation, **ISI-TM** on trademarks and **EFIL** on R&D Funding Programs and Instruments.

RISIS COMMUNITY

RISIS SEMINARS AND POLICY SESSIONS

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RISIS COMMUNITY involves more than **1.200** researchers and policymakers all over the world sharing RISIS multidisciplinary approach dealing with crucial issues such as **social innovation, public funding, knowledge concentration and policy mixes**.

WHAT RISIS PROVIDES:
DATASETS
INDICATORS
METHODS
SERVICES
TRAINING

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

Training activities include:

- **APPLIED COURSES** on datasets about how to use the datasets for research aims
- **METHODOLOGICAL COURSES** dedicated to deepen specific methodologies and to enlarge the base of scholars using advanced quantitative methods
- **SUMMER SCHOOLS**

Training courses are free for European researchers

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