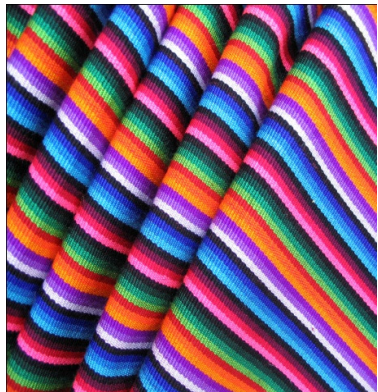


*A further Step toward S&T cooperation in the  
Textile & Clothing field between Italy and Tunisia*



Thursday  
**September 27, 2012**  
Hrs. 02.30 pm

@ **Toscana Promozione**  
**Villa Fabbricotti**  
**Florence**  
Via Vittorio Emanuele II



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## **The objective**

The conference aims to present to Italian textile companies the situation of a fast-growing country in textile technologies and manufacturing production: Tunisia. The capitalization of what experienced to date in Tunisia can open the door to several different forms of cooperation and business opportunities.

The TEMP Project focuses on improving a more tight relationship between Italy, Portugal and Tunisia, in the field of textile & clothing technology, promoting a closer cooperation between complementary organizations, namely in the following topics:

- Development of Scientific and Human Potential;
- Exchange know-how and best practices;
- Increasing S&T research capacities.

The major expected impacts of the TEMP Project are:

- Better integration of EU and MED countries strategies;
- Improved S&T capacities in the MPC (Mediterranean Partner Country) country and convergence region;
- Reinforcement of the regional economic and social development;
- Stronger and more effective link between partner's organization and further RTD organizations in the partner's countries.

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## **The programme**

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**14.30-15.00**

**Registration**

**15.00-15.10**

**Welcome address**

Toscana Promozione, Next Technology Tecnotessile

**15.10-15.30**

Introduction of TEMP project: exchange of experiences between Italy and Tunisia (*E.Venturini – Next Technology Tecnotessile*)

**15.30-15.45**

Tools available for euro-med cooperation: Temp Gateway (*Anilkumar Dave – Treviso Tecnologia*)

**15.45-16.00**

Planning your businesses in Tunisia: methodologies and experiences

(*Riccardo Cecconi – Consultant expert, .....Textile company*)

**16.00-16.45**

The current manufacturing framework in textile sector in Tunisia; technology overview; opportunities and advantages (*Adel HAJRI - CETTEX –Textile Technical Centre, Tunis Hedfi Nidhal - Pôle de compétitivité (MFC Pole), Monastir*)

### **Coffee Break**

**17.10-17.20**

Advanced Technologies in Tuscany and business relations with Tunisia (*Patrizia Belfiore - Toscana Promozione*)

**17.20-18.20**

Opening Brainstorming: generate new ideas and initiatives for a better integration between Italian and Tunisian Textile and clothing sectors.  
*Moderator: Next Technology Tecnotessile, TV Tecnologia*

**18.20-18.30**

Definition of a draft agenda for future cooperation actions

**18.30 Conclusions**



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