

Follow Me

Part One

Administrative Forms

FollowMe
Proposal Administrative Summary

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Programme Name: Esprit	Acronym: FME
Proposal Title: FollowMe	

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FollowMe - Project Synopsis

Information is currently tied to devices, whether desktop or portable. Mobile users do not always use the same device and cannot freely access the information they need. FollowMe solves this by decoupling information from the device used to access it - portables, gsm phones, organisers ...

Market Drivers

- Electronic commerce
- Communications
- Network computers
- Service providers.

Applicable to 10-15% of desk-top users, this is an excellent market with particular European needs.

Results

- architecture
- infrastructure prototype
- seedware
- two demonstration “proof of concept” pilots
- a book describing the architecture, seedware and pilot experiences.

Partners, countries, skills and roles

APM	UK/SME	Software products	Project management, distributed systems architecture
IZB	D/SME	Internet services provider	User access, Internet application pilot
INRIA	F	Intelligent agents & systems	News application pilot
C&T	F/Industrial	Newspaper publishing products	User needs, news application pilot
FAST	G/ /SME	Advanced systems/consulting	Internet application pilot
UWE	UK/Academic	Intelligent agents	Mobile agents software.

Declaration:

Please sign your answer to the following question

To the best of your knowledge, has this proposal, or a proposal that is similar in content, with your involvement or with the involvement of any of the partners in your consortium, been submitted to any other domain of Esprit or EU research programme?

No

If your answer is Yes, please give details (title of proposal, coordinator, name of programme, when submitted).

Signature of Contact Person

William A Gibson

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Programme Name: Esprit	Action Type: (b) PI	Acronym (max 10 char): FME
Proposal Title (max 160 char): FollowMe		
Work Programme Tasks (c):		Duration (in months)
1st Choice: 1.24	2nd Choice: 1.9	3rd Choice: 1.7
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List of participants		

No	Organisation names	Country	Admin role	Org type	Funding regime	Global costs in ECU	Effort in person years
1	APM	UK	C	I	S	1155000	8.75
2	FAST	D	P	R	S	649440	4.92
3	INRIA	F	P	R	A	627000	4.75
4	IZB	D	A (of 2)	I	S	451440	3.42
5	TC	F	A (of 3)	I	S	132000	1
6	UWE	UK	A (of 1)	U	A	571560	4.33
Total costs 3586440 Ecu		Total funding 2079000 Ecu			Total person years 27.17		

2. INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPANT PROFILE

Programme Name: Esprit	Acronym: FME
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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : APM	Legal Status ^(l) : Limited company	Organisation Type ^(l) : I
Legal Name ^(j) : APM Ltd		
Department Name (if applicable): None		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

Street Name: Poseidon House, Castle Park		Street Number: -
Post Code: CB3 0RD	City: Cambridge	Country ^(l) : UK

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): C	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): S	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 35	Is the participant an SME (Y/N)? ^(k) Yes
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) No	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	

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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : FAST	Legal Status ^(l) : Verein	Organisation Type ^(l) : R
Legal Name ^(j) : Forschungsinstitut für Angewandte Software Technologies		
Department Name (if applicable): None		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

Street Name: Arabellastrasse		Street Number: 17
Post Code: D-89125	City: Munich	Country ^(l) : D

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): P	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): S	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 34	Is the participant an SME (Y/N)? ^(k) Yes
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) No	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	

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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : INRIA	Legal Status ^(l) : EPST	Organisation Type ^(l) : R
Legal Name ^(j) : Institut National de Recherche en Information at en Automatique		
Department Name (if applicable): IRISA		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

Street Name: Domaine de Volceau		Street Number: BP105
Post Code: 78153 Le Chesnay cedex	City: Le Chesnay	Country ^(l) : F

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): P	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): S	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 1400	Is the participant an SME (Y/N)? ^(k) No
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) No	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	

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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : IZB	Legal Status ^(l) : Gmbh & Co. KG	Organisation Type ^(l) : I
Legal Name ^(j) : Informatik-Zentrum Bayern		
Department Name (if applicable): None		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

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Post Code: D-80333	City: Munich	Country ^(l) : D

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): A	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): U	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 200	No
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) : N	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	

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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : TC-Multimedia	Legal Status ^(l) : SARL	Organisation Type ^(l) : I
Legal Name ^(j) : TC-Multimedia		
Department Name (if applicable):		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

Street Name: rue du Breil		Street Number: 13
Post Code: 35051	City: RENNES CEDEX	Country ^(l) : F

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): A	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): U	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 17	Is the participant an SME (Y/N)? ^(k) Y
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) N	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	

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Legal identification of the Participating Organisation

Short name ^(h) : UWE	Legal Status ^(l) : Statutory Public Corporation	Organisation Type ^(l) : U
Legal Name ^(j) : The University of the West of England		
Department Name (if applicable): Intelligent Computer Systems Centre		

Legal address of the Participating Organisation

Street Name: Coldharbour Lane		Street Number: -
Post Code: BS16 1QY	City: Bristol	Country ^(l) : UK

Organisation's role in the proposal

Administrative role ^(l) (C/P/A): A	Functional role ^(l) (S/U): S	Relevant industrial sector ^(l) : IS
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Organisation details (if applicable)

Number of employees: 2500	Is the participant an SME (Y/N)? ^(k) N
Is your organisation affiliated to any other participant(s) in the proposal (Y/N)? ^(k) N	
If the answer is Y, please indicate the participant(s) name(s):	