

## INCOM NEWSLETTER 37; FRIDAY MAY 29<sup>TH</sup> 2020

### REBUDGETING

The financial statement of INCOM has recently been approved by IFD meaning that we are now able to initiate the rebudgeting of the remaining period and all partners have already received a budget template to carry out the exercise. In general, the anticipation is that all partners are able to fulfill their obligations regarding milestones, deliverables, and KPIs meaning that the rebudgeting just is a change in the funding profile over the course of the entire project. DTU controller Casper Jull Olsen is handling the process and all input are due for submission June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

### SAVE THE DAY – INTERNAL AUTUMN EVENT

The date of the INCOM Autumn Event has now tentatively been scheduled for October 26<sup>th</sup> in the premises of DTU in Kgs. Lyngby and placeholder calendar invites have been forwarded to all INCOM staff members, the Steering Committee, and the Advisory Board. The reason for the changed plan is of course the COVID-19 situation and the uncertainty caused by this also postponing the High Tech Summit 2020 to 2021. Anyhow, our sleeves have been rolled up and the Event Committee will prepare for an interesting and rewarding full-day programme for all INCOM members.

### WORKING GROUP ON INCOM2

A possible INCOM2 proposal is still in the idea phase and a working group will soon be set up to plan for the pre-work on a new proposal. Early September an INCOM2 workshop will convene for all INCOM partners who are interested in contributing to create an ambitious INCOM2 project. For the initial work, we are looking out for members to join the working group with Prof. Leif Oxenløwe and the PMO.

### INCOM LABS

The INCOM labs are undergoing a reorganization where the technologies developed in INCOM will be connected to an optical transmission ring connecting four laboratories in the new building 340 of DTU Fotonik. The four laboratories are the Telco lab, the Datacenter lab, the Optics lab, and the main INCOM lab. The test network is very important for INCOM and likely for INCOM2 as the network connects all the INCOM partners and is a showcase for the outcome of the project. For each technology a main responsible for the supply of components, configuring the components, and assisting with the installation has been appointed. Michael S. Berger, DTU Fotonik is heading the process and the person in charge of each technology will soon receive more specifics on what to deliver.

### WHITSUN



Happy long weekend :-)