# EDIS4SME

# Providing European SMEs with the right skills on location data interoperability

### Welcome to the first DIS4SME newsletter!

The <u>DIS4SME Project</u>, co-funded under the Digital Europe Programme, is aimed at delivering **high-quality specialised training courses focused on location data interoperability** in different areas that can be applied in real work environments and the broader geospatial domain.

- Project starting date: 1st January 2023
- Project ending date: 31st December 2025
- Granting authority: European Health and Digital Executive Agency (HaDEA)



More information

# **DIS4SME Survey**

**Location data interoperability** is the ability of organisations, systems and devices to exchange and reuse data with direct or indirect reference to a specific location or geographical area.

We kindly request that you respond to, and forward, the DIS4SME survey so that we may better **understand the problems related to location data interoperability** in European SMEs and highlight the **skills, tools, and methods** required to overcome these problems.

The analysis your responses will help us design a **training program and related training materials** to help organizations addressing similar challenges.

The DIS4SME Survey is available at <u>dis4sme.eu/survey</u>. It should only take 10 minutes to complete. We appreciate your time and valuable input!

### PARTICIPATE IN THE SURVEY NOW!



# **DIS4SME** Courses

DIS4SME will design and deliver **short-term training courses** for upskilling and reskilling of the labour force, with a particular focus on **SMEs owners, managers and employees**.

The courses will offer content that is suited to the current and future needs of SMEs in the form of **baseline knowledge**, state-of-the-art technology, and policy trends.

The courses will be available next year and they will be designed based on co-creation and collaboration between:

- SMEs business leaders and managers, employees and job searchers;
- European Digital Innovation Hubs;
- Business Associations;
- Public Administrations; and
- Training providers.

DIS4SME will delivers three types of courses (on-line and in presence):

- Short term courses (max 2 days) for SME owners and managers
- Short term courses (max 2 days) for SME employees and job seekers
- Intensive seminars and workshops (max 1 day) focused on Business Cases

## EU policy framework on data interoperability

In this <u>article</u> you can learn more about the current EU policy framework related to data interoperability.

The 'Open Data Directive' introduces the concept of **high value datasets**, associated with important benefits for the society and economy.

The Directive also foresees the rollout of the so-called common **European data spaces**, that will ensure that more data becomes available for use in the economy and society, while keeping the companies and individuals who generate the data in control. Data driven applications will benefit citizens and businesses in many ways.

Read the article in Medium

# **DIS4SME** Partners

The **DIS4SME Consortium** consists of partners with proven experience in managing projects dedicated to training and creating innovative training materials.

