

The FOODLINKS project develops and experiments with **K**nowledge **B**rokerage (**KB**) activities as new ways of linking research to policy-making in the field of sustainable food consumption and production. The activities are food chains, re-valuing food procurement, and urban food strategies. FOODLINKS is a collaborative project funded brokerage linking scientists, policymakers and civil society organizations. The project runs 3 years from January 2011 until December 2013 and is being carried out by a consortium of 14 partners (universities, regional and local governments and civil society organizations) from 9 European countries.

activities;4) creating a durable virtual brokerage plattorm and a stable network of researchers, policy makers and CoP was established on the UK CoPs for Public Service web platform. This allowed to activate discussions, share Wiki pages). Reflection on the priorities identitfied activated brokerage activities both within the CoP and beyond, regulations on short food supply chains). Our efforts resulted in the elaboration of a joint document, illustrated by 19 case studies drawn from experiences all around Europe.



The diagram demonstrates the development of FOODLINKS as TIMELINE from January 2011 to October 2013

