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PROJECT TITLE	Seismic Engineering Research Infrastructures for European Synergies
PROGRAMME	FP7: Capacities Specific Programme, Research Infrastructures Integrating Activity - Combination of Collaborative Project and Coordination and Support Action
SHORT DESCRIPTION	This project aims to unlock the huge potential of Europe's Research and Technological Development (RTD) community in earthquake engineering. It intends to bridge the two gaps of RTD in experimental earthquake engineering and structural dynamics: (a) the one between Europe and the US or Japan, and (b) that between European countries with high seismicity but less advanced RTD infrastructures on one hand and some more technologically advanced but not so seismic Member States on the other. The project objects will be achieved by integrating the entire European RTD community in earthquake engineering.
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