# **Norsk Nanomedisin Nettverk**

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### Creating a nanomedicine network in Norway...

- European Technology Platform established autumn 2005 "Nanomedicine, the application of nanotechnology to health"
- SINTEF accepted as a member May 2006
- November 2006, Research Council + SINTEF: Seminar on Nanomedicine in Norway with topics:
  - ETP Nanomedicin
  - 7th FP
  - Interested groups in Norway
  - Networking
- ⇒ Decision of the seminar to establish a website for Norwegian Nanomedicine Network – responsibility of SINTEF

# **Norwegian Nanomedicine Network**

#### Aim:

To gather the main Norwegian players in research, industry and public administration within the nanomedicine field.

An informal structure, no steering committee, main feature is a web-site



## **Norwegian Nanomedicine Network website**

#### Intentions of the website:

- Provide a joint forum for Norwegian competency within nanomedicine
- Present the Norwegian nanomedicine research community and industry to international partners
- Increase the collaboration in national and international initiatives like European projects
- Give relevant information and links to nanomedicine networks and technology platforms in Europe
- Inform about relevant events



## **Norwegian Nanomedicine Network website**

#### 25 participants today, representing:

- Universities (Oslo, Trondheim, Tromsø)
- Research Institutes
- Hospitals
- Private companies

### Fundings:

- Research Council (establishment of website)
- SINTEF (maintenance 2007)
- Private companies (sponsors)
- Contribution to content from the participants



## www.sintef.no/nanomedicine



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- Any comments?
- Improvements?
- Continued life of the website...

