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## NACS announces that CAF 2013 was launched

The National Agency of Civil Servants informs that the Common Assessment Framework (CAF) 2013 version was officially launched. The launch took place at the 5<sup>th</sup> European CAF Users' Event in Oslo, Norway, held on 27-28 September 2012.

The new CAF 2013 Model was developed around **concepts** such as public performance, innovation, ethics, effective partnerships with other organisations and social responsibility. The novelty elements are: the stronger role for leaders in supporting innovation, the cooperation of public sector institutions with other organisations in developing public policies, the citizens' involvement, the importance of social responsibility results.

The 2013 version of the CAF Model is the result of an intensive cooperation between the National CAF Correspondents from the Member States and the European CAF Resource Centre within the European Institute of Public Administration.

The Common Assessment Framework was launched in May 2000 as the first European quality management tool specifically tailored for and developed by the public sector itself. The predictions are that by the end of 2012 there will be 2,000 registered CAF Users.