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AUSTRIA

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Name of the FPO</p> <p>FWF</p> <p>Logo</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>See “eligible applicants” section</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Individual researcher, working in any kind of non-profit organisation: e.g. University, University hospital, Non-university research institute Please refer also to the general FWF Funding Guidelines: http://www.fwf.ac.at/fileadmin/files/Dokumente/Antragstellung/Einzelprojekte/p_application-guidelines.pdf available on: http://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/application/international-programmes/joint-projects-era-nets/</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>For scientists funded by the FWF, the funding is limited to “project-specific costs, i.e. personnel and non-personnel costs that are essential to carry out the project and that go beyond the resources made available from the research institution’s infrastructure, according to the general FWF Funding Guidelines published at https://www.fwf.ac.at/fileadmin/files/Dokumente/Antragstellung/Einzelprojekte/p_application-guidelines.pdf</p> <p>The FWF does not finance infrastructure or basic equipment at research institutions. Overheads may not be requested. Subcontracts must be well justified, i.e. must represent the only or the most economical way to have the work performed, please contact the FWF directly for clarification of individual cases.</p> <p>The current FWF salary scale (http://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/personnel-costs/) indicates the salaries that may be requested.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>700.000 EUR</p>	<p>400.000 EUR</p>

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<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>Please note that starting on August 1, 2018, the number of ongoing/approved/submitted projects in which one researcher can serve as principal investigator will be limited to three in the Stand-Alone Projects Programme, International Programmes (including ERA-Net projects!), Clinical Research and Arts-Based Research Programmes. Principal investigators who already have three ongoing/approved/submitted projects will not be permitted to submit another application within those programmes until 12 months before the end of one of their ongoing projects. You are strongly advised to contact the national representative in case you may be affected by this regulation.</p> <p>https://www.fwf.ac.at/fileadmin/files/Dokumente/Antragstellung/project_number_limit.pdf</p>
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>FWF Submission:</p> <p>In addition to the application at the call secretariat administrative data (in accordance with the FWF guidelines for stand-alone projects) must be submitted online to the FWF at https://elane.fwf.ac.at/</p> <p>This is required already at the pre-registration stage via the programme category “IK – International Projects.</p> <p>For the full proposal stage applicants must choose the programme category “I – International Projects”. Both steps are mandatory.</p> <p>For submissions to be valid, the cover sheet generated at the end of the online submission process must be printed out and signed. It can then either be sent to the FWF by conventional mail (FWF, Sensengasse 1, 1090 Vienna) or scanned in, given a digital signature and sent to the FWF (office@fwf.ac.at) as an e-mail attachment. Detailed information may be found under the Internet http://www.fwf.ac.at/fileadmin/files/Dokumente/Antragstellung/Internationale_Programme/i_infosheet-era-net.pdf</p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>http://www.fwf.ac.at/en/research-funding/application/international-programmes/joint-projects-era-nets/</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	

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BELGIUM (FLANDERS) - VLAIO

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>		<p>VLAIO</p> <p>FLANDERS INNOVATION & ENTREPRENEURSHIP  Flanders State of the Art</p>
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>	
	<p>Kathleen Goris</p>	<p>Kathleen.goris@vlaio.be +32 (0)2 432 42 82</p>	
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>See “eligible applicants” section</p>		
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>VLAIO is involving the Research and Innovation Programme. Therefore, the involvement of at least one private company (SME or large company) based in Flanders is mandatory (with the possibility to cooperate with research organizations).</p>		
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Personnel cost and related direct and indirect costs according to VLAIO rules.</p>		
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>	
	<p>800.000 EUR (excluding EC top up)</p>	<p>500.000 EUR</p>	
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>Applicants should motivate how the realization of the project will create added value for the company and for Flanders.</p> <p>Subsidies for this call range from: 35-60% for development projects 60-70% for research projects</p>		
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>An annex is to be submitted together with the international project proposal to Flanders Innovation and Entrepreneurship.</p> <p>The annex(es) must be read together with the international project proposal. For this reason, the focus of this annex should <u>only</u> be on the role of your (Flemish) company in the project, the nature of the activities to be carried out by the Flemish partners and the impact of the project results for your company in particular. This information will be used to determine the funding percentage and to evaluate the selection criteria regarding the impact of the project.</p>		

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<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>It is advised to contact VLAIO before submission (see contact point above), in order to avoid ineligible projects and consortia.</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>Application process for research project grant Agentschap Innoveren en Ondernemen (vlaio.be)</p> <p>The template annex for international and interregional projects can be found under the documents section. The template budget application can also be found here.</p> <p>Subsidies voor O&O&I in een internationaal consortium Agentschap Innoveren en Ondernemen (vlaio.be)</p>

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BELGIUM – F.R.S.-FNRS (French speaking, Wallonia-Brussels Federation)

	Funding Organisation:	F.R.S.-FNRS  LA LIBERTÉ DE CHERCHER
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:
	Joël Groeneveld	international@frs-fnrs.be, +32 2504 9270
Eligible Institutions	All eligibility rules and criteria can be found in the PINT-MULTI regulations .	
Eligible Applicants		
Eligible Costs	<p>All eligibility rules and criteria can be found in the PINT-MULTI regulations.</p> <p>Please note that personnel costs (Article III.6) have an annual average cap of 80,000 euros for this call.</p> <p>“Overhead” is not an eligible cost. If the project is selected for funding, these costs will be subject to a separate agreement between the institution of the beneficiary and the F.R.S.-FNRS.</p>	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	300,000 EUR	300,000 EUR
Other Funding Criteria	Applicants to F.R.S.-FNRS funding must provide basic administrative data by submitting an administrative application on e-space within 5 working days after the general deadline of the BiodivERSA+ call to be eligible. Please select the “PINT-MULTI” funding instrument when creating the administrative application. Proposals invited to the second stage will be able to complete the pre-proposal form and provide information for the full proposal upon validation by the F.R.S.-FNRS.	
Relevant documents	PINT-MULTI regulations	
Additional Info	https://www.frs-fnrs.be/fr/financements/credits-et-projets#pint	
Useful Links	www.frs-fnrs.be	

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BELGIUM (FLANDERS) – FWO

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	
<p>National Contact Points (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Toon Monbaliu (general) Kristien Peeters (SBO)</p>	<p>+32 (0)2 550 15 70 +32 (0)2 550 15 95</p> <p>europe@fwo.be</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>The FWO integrates 2 of its national funding channels within this multilateral framework. The choice of funding channel depends on the <u>type of project</u> the researchers from Flanders wish to undertake.</p> <p>The eligibility of institutions and its researchers can be verified in the relevant and respective chosen funding channels regulations, which can be consulted on the FWO website:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - FWO Research Projects (FO) - Strategic Basic Research (SBO) 	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>See 'Eligible Institutions' above.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The respective funding channel regulations apply (see links to national rules above), and both are capped at max. 350.000 EUR per project/consortium (incl. overhead, for which the calculation method diverges per funding channel). ○ The FWO foresees a budget of 700.000 EUR, which allows for the funding of at least 2 projects. 	

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	<p>For the <u>overhead calculation</u>, the fundamental (FO) and strategic research projects (SBO) entail the same approach:</p> <p>A <u>structural overhead rate</u> should be applied on the project costs, with an overhead rate of <u>6% for 'FO' projects</u>, and a <u>17% overhead rate for 'SBO' projects</u>. Some practical examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FO: the sum of all costs (personnel, consumables, travel, subcontracting, etc.) amounts to 200.000 EUR, then the overhead will amount to 12.000 EUR (6% of 200.000 EUR) and the total requested cost is 212.000 EUR. This total requested cost may never exceed the max. available amount of 350.000 EUR. ▪ SBO: the sum of all costs (personnel, consumables, travel, subcontracting, etc.) amounts to 200.000 EUR, then the overhead will amount to 34.000 EUR (17% of 200.000 EUR) and the total requested cost is 234.000 EUR. This total requested cost may never exceed the max. available amount of 350.000 EUR. 	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>700.000 EUR</p>	<p>350.000 EUR</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Participation in this call does not interfere with the 'regular' project submission framework, and is consequently not taken into account for calculating the max. available number of new applications and running projects combined. However, researchers can only participate within 2 different international consortia in this call. ○ When the FWO SBO project channel is chosen, the researchers are asked to provide proactively, and before the pre-proposal submission deadline (preferably one week in advance), a concise – but to the point – valorisation plan to the FWO (no fixed format, max. two A4-pages), which i) clarifies the valorisation context within Flanders (and also internationally preferably), and ii) mentions the involved – and specific - actors from Flanders. This document can be sent towards the europa@fwo.be email address. <u>Failure to comply with this requirement can lead to ineligibility.</u> ○ Projects aiming at the development of a spin-off company are not eligible in this context. ○ The project duration is limited to 36 months, which implies the funding has to be budgeted and spent accordingly. An automatic prolongation and using positive (financial) balances after the end date is not applicable in this framework. As such article 28 of the FWO Research Projects and article 14 of the Strategic Basic Research (SBO) regulations do not apply in this context. 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The PI, for each of the participating institutions applying for FWO funds, must hold an appointment that fully covers the duration of the research project. - Linked to the above, when it comes to the FWO research project regulations (FO): article 10, §7 is not applicable in this call. I.e. supervisors (-spokespersons), or coordinators/consortium partners in this context, who are granted emeritus status during the calendar year of submission of the project application or during the duration of the project, are not eligible.
Relevant documents	No submission at the national/regional level is required. However, if the SBO funding channel is chosen , a valorisation plan has to be submitted before the pre-proposal submission deadline.
Additional Info	It is strongly advised to contact the FWO contact points mentioned above, in order not to jeopardize any research projects/consortia.
Useful Links	FWO European Programmes

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BRAZIL

	Funding Organisations:		   CNPq - Brazilian National Council for Scientific and Technological Development  CONFAP – Brazilian National Council of State Funding Agencies
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:	
	Elisa Natola	For overall issues regarding Brazilian Participation to the Call: elisa.confap@gmail.com Contact points at CNPq and in the involved FAPs are detailed below.	
Eligible Institutions	Public or private (non-profit) Higher Education and Research Institutions, Scientific Institutions, Technology and Innovation Institutions, eligible for the involved funding agencies – CNPq and FAPs.		
Eligible Applicants	Applicants must have a doctoral or equivalent degree, and be linked to a Research Institution located in Brazilian States participating in the call, or eligible for CNPq and have scientific or technological production evaluated by Curriculum (Lattes Curriculum).		
Eligible Costs	As a general rule, Brazilian Funding Agencies finance scholarships, mobility and grants, related to scientific, technological and innovation projects.		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	963.400 EUR (To be updated upon pending confirmations)	Detailed for CNPq and for each participating State Funding Agency - FAP in item below: “Additional Info”, indicating within the maximum budget, the maximum number of projects which may be supported (if applicable). Applicants must verify with the funding agency involved, the maximum amount, also in local currency.	
Other Funding Criteria	Applicants must necessarily comply to the specific eligibility rules and financing modalities, which shall be defined and informed by the participating FAPs and CNPq.		
Relevant documents	Specific Guidelines may be published by the participating FAPs.		

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Additional Info	<p>Brazilian applicants may be supported by CNPq and/or by the following State Funding Agencies - FAPs, participating to the call.</p> <p>Applicants based in the States participating to the call should firstly consult their respective FAPs, whereas applicants that are based in States that did not confirm participation should consult CNPq.</p> <p>Details on the Brazilian Funding Agencies supporting the call, including amount of total funding, maximum number of projects (when defined), and contacts:</p>					
		CNPq and FAPs	State	Budget Euros	Max. No. of projects within the max. allocated budget	Contacts
	1	CNPq	All	100.000,00	Not defined	Dileine Amaral da Cunha dileine.cunha@cnpq.br
	2	Fundação Araucária	Paraná	50.000,00	1	Luiz Márcio Spinosa spinosa@fundacaoaracaria.org.br Barbara Taniguti barbara@fundacaoaracaria.org.br
	3	FAPAC	Acre	TBC	TBC	TBC
	4	FACEPE	Pernambuco	33.400,00	1	Marcelo Nazário Cordeiro marcelo.cordeiro@facepe.br
	5	FAPDF	Federal District	TBC	TBC	TBC
	6	FAPEAM	Amazonas	80.000,00	2	internacionalizacao@fapeam.am.gov.br
	7	FAPEAP	Amapá	30.000,00	2	Rosimeire Lopes da Trindade rositrindade@hotmail.com
	8	FAPEG	Goiás	100.000,00	2	Fritz Eduardo Kasbaum

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					gc.fapeg@goias.gov.br
9	FAPEMA	Maranhão	40.000,00	1	Maurício Sá mauricio.sa@fapema.br
10	FAPEMAT	Mato Grosso	150.000,00	3	Flávio Teles dtc@fapemat.mt.gov.br
11	FAPEMIG	Minas Gerais	TBC	TBC	TBC
12	FAPERGS	Rio Grande do Sul	TBC	TBC	TBC
13	FAPERJ	Rio de Janeiro	100.000,00	3	Ana Beatriz Ramadas assessoria.internacional@faperj.br
14	FAPES	Espírito Santo	50.000,00	1	Marcia Calil Parcerias@fapes.es.gov.br
15	FAPESB	Bahia	20.000,00	1	Adriele Assis de Almeida adriele.almeida@fapesb.ba.gov.br
16	FAPESC	Santa Catarina	50.000,00	1	Pedro Valentim pedro.neto@fapesc.sc.gov.br
17	FAPESPA	Pará	30.000,00	1	Deyvison A. Medrado Gonçalves gab.presidente@fapespa.pa.gov.br ; diket@fapespa.pa.gov.br
18	FAPESQ	Paraíba	TBC	TBC	TBC
19	FAPT	Tocantins	TBC	TBC	TBC
20	FUNCAP	Ceará	80.000,00	2	Luiz Drude de Lacerda ldrude1956@gmail.com
21	FUNDECT	Mato Grosso do Sul	50.000,00	2	Jackline Fermau internacional@fundect.ms.gov.br
22	FAPERO	Rondônia	TBC	TBC	TBC

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	*Other FAPs may still confirm their support
Useful Links	<p>CONFAP website: confap.org.br CNPq Website: https://www.gov.br/cnpq/</p> <p>Links to FAPs websites – for more details on eligibility rules:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Fundação Araucária: http://www.fappr.pr.gov.br 2. FAPAC: http://www.fapac.ac.gov.br 3. FACEPE: http://www.facepe.br 4. FAPDF: https://www.fap.df.gov.br/ 5. FAPEAM: http://www.fapeam.am.gov.br 6. FAPEAP: http://www.fapeap.ap.gov.br 7. FAPEG: www.fapeg.go.gov.br 8. FAPEMA: https://www.fapema.br 9. FAPEMAT: http://www.fapemat.mt.gov.br 10. FAPEMIG: http://www.fapemig.br 11. FAPERGS: https://fapergs.rs.gov.br 12. FAPERJ: http://www.faperj.br 13. FAPES: www.fapes.es.gov.br 14. FAPESB: http://www.fapesb.ba.gov.br 15. FAPESC: www.fapesc.sc.gov.br 16. FAPESPA: https://www.fapespa.pa.gov.br 17. FAPESQ: http://fapesq.rpp.br 18. FAPT: http://www.fapt.to.gov.br 19. FUNCAP: https://www.funcap.ce.gov.br 20. FUNDECT - http://www.fundect.ms.gov.br 21. FAPERO: https://rondonia.ro.gov.br/fapero

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CZECH REPUBLIC

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Technology Agency of the Czech Republic (TA CR)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Aneta Lízancová</p>	<p>aneta.lizancova@tacr.cz +420 778 976 953</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p><u>Enterprises</u> (according to Annex I of the Regulation) <u>Research organizations</u> (according to Article 2 paragraph 83 of the Regulation)</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Enterprises</u> (according to Annex I of the Regulation) • <u>Research organizations</u> (according to Article 2 paragraph 83 of the Regulation) • Enterprises who act as <u>natural persons</u> according to Annex I of the Regulation engaged in an economic activity pursuant to Act no. 455/1991 coll. on Trades (Trade Act) <p><i>The main applicant may be only an entity that has its registered office, establishment or branch in the Czech Republic.</i></p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Eligible costs are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - personnel costs (including scholarships) - subcontracting costs (max. 20% of total eligible costs throughout the whole project period) - other direct costs (write-offs, protection of intellectual property, operating expenses, travel costs, consumables) - indirect costs (overheads) - full cost/flat rate 25% (indirect costs in the respective year are calculated as 25% of the sum of the personnel costs and other direct costs in the same year.) <p>These specific categories of eligible costs are defined under Article 17 of the General Terms & Conditions. Investment costs are NOT eligible in this joint call.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>

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	700.000 EUR	230.000 EUR
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p><u>Eligible projects for TA CR</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the project meets the definition of applied research (i.e. industrial research, experimental development and their combination) the research results correspond to the national rules and are applicable / exploitable. <i>(The project proposal has to include a clear description of the exploitation plan and results)</i> the aim of the project has to be relevant to the overall aim of the funding programme EPSILON project meets conditions of The Recovery Resilience Fund (stated below) the share of industrial research and experimental development corresponds to the activities of the Czech partner as described in the project proposal the applicants are eligible (based on the rules stated below) the costs are eligible (based on the rules stated below) the requested funding meets the national regulations for aid intensity the applicants have published the financial statements for the years 2018, 2019, 2020 submission of the project proposal and its implementation will not give rise to a conflict of interest within the meaning of Article 61 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018. the applicants have submitted TACR Application form via databox before the deadline and have provided TA CR with all mandatory forms <p>Unless the above stated conditions are met, the Czech applicant will not be considered eligible.</p> <p>TA CR excludes the disbursement of individual aid to an enterprise:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> against which a recovery order has been issued which is unpaid meeting the definition of an “enterprise in difficulties” which has not met the obligation to publish the financial statements for the years 2018, 2019, 2020 in the respective register - the so-called "Veřejný rejstřík" who has not indicated his/her ownership structure (if the legal form of the tenderer shows that he/she does not have an ownership structure, this obligation does not apply), which has not indicated its shareholdings in other legal persons and the amount of such holdings, whose submission of a project proposal and its implementation will give rise to a conflict of interest within the meaning of Article 61 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018. <p><u>Start day of accepted projects</u></p> <p>Please note that following national legislation, Czech applicants must start within 120 days from the funding decision being communicated by the Call Management (60-days period to make a contract + 60-days period to start the project).</p> <p><i>According to the international conditions, project duration is set at 3 years. Due to the conditions based on The National Recovery Fund (NRF), from which the successful Czech</i></p>	

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applicants will be funded, Czech applicants can be funded until 6/2026, with the proviso that these applicants can be part of the entire 36-month project, but from 7/26 without funding from the NRF (in this case, the Czech applicant must secure funding from its own sources, or will proceed according to the available financial possibilities of the TA CR).

If the international project will last longer than 6/26, the Czech Principal Investigator will be required to contribute to the final report of the international project.

The Czech applicant shall include in the project proposal only costs related to activities up to 6/26.

Supported results

Projects that achieve at least one of the following types of results can be supported in this call. The type of the [result](#) has to be clearly described in the project proposal:

P - patent;

G - technically realized results - prototype, functional sample;

Z - pilot plant, proven technology;

R - software;

F - results with legal protection - utility model, industrial design;

N - Certified methodologies and practices, treatment, conservation methods, procedures and specialized maps with professional expert content;

O – Miscellaneous;

Results not to be recognized by the programme manager as a single result of a given project, but only in combination with at least one other result listed in the list of result types above:

H - results reflected in non-legislative directives and regulations binding within the competence of the respective provider and results reflected in the approved strategic and conceptual documents of the state or public administration.

Budget & eligible costs

The eligible costs are:

- personnel costs (including scholarships)
- subcontracting costs (max. 20% of total eligible costs throughout the whole project period)
- other direct costs (write-offs, protection of intellectual property, operating expense, travel costs)
- indirect costs (overheads) - full cost/ flat rate 25% (indirect costs in the respective year are calculated as 25 % of the sum of the personnel costs and other direct costs in the same year)

These specific categories of eligible costs are defined under Article 17 of [the General Terms & Conditions](#)

NOT eligible costs are:

- **Investment costs**

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• **VAT**

Funding rates

The aid intensity for each Czech applicant in the project is determined based on the type of entity according to [the Regulation](#) (see table below) and at the same time must not exceed the maximum permissible aid intensity for the Czech part of the project, which is **85 % of the total eligible costs**.

Applicant	Industrial research	Industrial research with a bonus for effective collaboration	Experimental development	Experimental development with a bonus for effective collaboration
Small enterprises*	70 %	80 %***	45 %	60 %
Medium-sized enterprises*	60 %	75 %***	35 %	50 %
Large enterprises	50 %	65 %	25 %	40 %
Research Organisations**	100 %***	100 %***	100 %***	100 %***

* Note: An SME is defined in Annex 1 of the Regulation

** Research organisations must satisfy the definition in the Act and the Framework.

*** While respecting the maximum permissible aid intensity of 85 % per project.

Mandatory forms to be submitted (forms available on TA CR's websites)

The Czech applicants are requested to submit:

- A Sworn statement of the applicant
- Completed "TA CR Application Form" Excel file (submitted by the main Czech applicant only) *
- if the applicant plans to achieve the "NmetS" type of result, the "Confirmation of the Certification authority for NmetS results" needs to be attached*
- if the applicant plans to achieve the "Patent" type of result, patent search must be substantiated*

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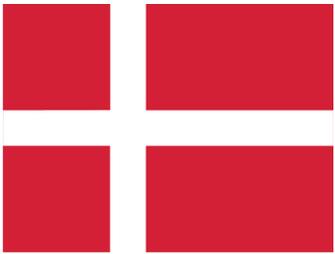
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sworn statement on the consortium composition (needs to be submitted only in case a Czech company is part of the consortium; submitted by the main Czech applicant only) • Declaration of compliance with the 'Do no significant harm' principle(submitted by the main Czech applicant only) <p>*All documents proving the eligibility of the Czech applicant (mentioned above) shall be submitted via the TA CR data box (TACR data box ID: afth9xp) within the same deadline as the project pre-proposals.</p> <p>Please fill in the subject line as: „HorizonEurope - Water4All Call 2022 - prokázání způsobilosti - akronym projektu“</p>
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p align="center"> National website of Water4All Call 2022 Prostředí pro život programme (only in Czech) Definitions of supported outcomes (only in Czech) </p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p><u>Intellectual Property Rights</u></p> <p>The applicants are required to enter into a contract with their foreign partners (sign a so-called <i>Consortium Agreement</i>) which will define the conditions of cooperation on the project where, among other things, they specify the method of allocating rights to the research results, as well as adjustment and management of the rights imported or created during the project's implementation, which are necessary to address the project.</p> <p><u>The Recovery Resilience Fund</u></p> <p>This call is to be financed by the National Recovery Plan. Applicants must meet additional conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The DNSH principle - candidates must comment on all areas of the “Do No Significant Harm principle” via a mandatory annex 2) Indication of CZ NACE (via TA CR Application Form) 3) Digitisation - the project proposal must adhere to at least one of the areas of digitisation (via TACR Application Form) 4) Compliance with publicity (during project implementation) 5) Conflict of Interest - "By submitting a project proposal, the applicant declares that neither the submission nor the subsequent implementation of the project will create a conflict of interest for the applicant within the meaning of Article 61 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018." 6) VAT is not an eligible cost <p><u>Useful documents and websites</u></p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - National rules for Czech applicants - “Podmínky zapojení českého uchazeče - “Water4All Call 2022” (will be available on the TA CR’s website for Water4All) - TACR International Calls - EPSILON Programme - Definitions of supported outcomes (only in Czech) <p><u>Open Access to Publications and Research Data Policy</u></p> <p>TACR enables researchers to license their research outcomes under open access, but the decision whether to choose open access over copyright is made by the beneficiary, TACR has no preferential policy. More information can be found in the General Terms and Conditions.</p>
Useful Links	<p>TA CR website (only in Czech) with all relevant documents TA CR international calls</p>

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DENMARK

	<p>Funding Organisation: Innovation Fund Denmark</p>	<p>Innovation Fund Denmark</p>
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Martin Kyvsgaard International Investment Officer</p>	<p>Martin.kyvsgaard@innofond.dk +45 61905081</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>IFD can fund both Universities, GTS institutes, Hospitals, Public Organizations and Industry.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>At least one Danish non-academia institution as co-applicant in the transnational consortium.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Eligible cost-categories for Danish partners: Salary, Travel, Subcontracting, Materials, Communication and knowledge sharing, 'Other expenses' and overhead.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>1.000.000 EUR</p>	<p>€300.000 (incl. overhead) per partner €500.000 (incl. overhead) per project</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>IFD will automatically register the Danish partners in the applications and create a national application file in our system E-grant. Danish partners will be notified and has to quality check the information and upload the full application as a PDF-file.</p>	
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>New Guidelines for international projects available in Feb. 2022</p>	
<p>Additional Info</p>		
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>https://innovationsfonden.dk/da/programmer/internationalt-samarbejde</p>	

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ESTONIA

	Funding Organisation:	Eesti Teadusagentuur (ETAg) 
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:
	Katrin Saar	katrin.saar@etag.ee ; (+372) 7317386
Eligible Institutions	<p>The Host Institution could be any legal entity that is registered and located in Estonia. The Host Institution (the final recipient) is the applicant to which the grant will be allocated.</p> <p>The Host Institution must confirm to ETAg (with a confirmation letter after the submission deadline) that the project can be carried out on their premises and that they will employ the Principal Investigator during the proposed project, should the project receive funding.</p> <p>If the Host Institution is a for-profit institution, then State aid and de minimis aid must be taken into account.</p> <p>If the support is State aid or de minimis aid, then support will not be granted to a Host Institution who is subject to a support withdrawal decision pursuant to a previous European Commission decision deeming the aid illegal and incompatible with the common market, if that decision has not been complied with.</p>	
Eligible Applicants	<p>The Principal Investigator is a researcher who acts as the Estonian team leader in the project proposal. They will be responsible for how the grant is used and how Estonia's part in the project is executed.</p> <p>The Principal Investigator:</p> <p>1.2.1 must have an updated public profile in the Estonian Research Information System (ETIS) by the submission deadline;</p> <p>1.2.2 must hold a doctoral degree or an equivalent qualification. The degree must be awarded at the latest by the submission deadline of the grant application;</p> <p>1.2.3 must have published at least three articles that comply with the requirements of Clause 1.1 of the ETIS classification of publications, or at least five articles that comply with the requirements of Clauses 1.1, 1.2, 2.1 or 3.1, within the last five calendar years prior to the proposal submission deadline. International patents are equalled with publications specified under Clause 1.1. A monograph (ETIS Clause 2.1) is equalled with three publications specified in Clause 1.1 if the number of authors is three or fewer. If the applicant has been on pregnancy and maternity or parental leave or performed compulsory service in the Defence Forces, or has another good reason, they can request the publication period requirement to be extended by the relevant period of time.</p>	

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<p style="text-align: center;">Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Research expenses consist of direct costs (personnel costs, travel costs and other direct costs) and subcontracting costs. The research expenses must be used to carry out the project and be separately identifiable.</p> <p>2.2 Direct costs</p> <p>2.2.1 Personnel costs are monthly salaries with social security charges and all the other statutory costs of the project participants, calculated according to their commitment and in proportion to their total workload at their Host Institution. Stipendiums are not eligible.</p> <p>2.2.2 Travel costs may cover expenses for transport, accommodation, daily allowances and travel insurance.</p> <p>2.2.3 Other direct costs are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - consumables and minor equipment related to the project; - publication and dissemination of project results; - organising meetings, seminars or conferences (room rent, catering); - fees for participating in scientific forums, conferences and other events related to the project; - patent costs; - all other costs that are identifiable as clearly required for carrying out the project (e.g. translation, copy editing, webpage hosting, etc.) and comply with the eligible costs. <p>2.2.5 Subcontracting costs should cover only the additional or complementary research related tasks (e.g. analyses, conducting surveys, building a prototype, etc.) performed by third parties. Subcontracting costs should not be included in the overhead calculation. The activities and budget should be described in the proposal. Core project tasks should not be subcontracted. Subcontracting costs may not exceed 15% of the total costs.</p> <p>2.4 Indirect costs are overhead from the personnel costs only, which may not exceed 15% and should cover the general expenses of the Host Institution. Costs for equipment and services intended for public use (a copy machine or a printer that is publicly used, phone bills, copy service, etc.) should be covered from the overhead.</p> <p>2.5 Double funding of activities is not acceptable.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">Funding Commitment</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">150.000 €</p> <p style="text-align: center;">150.000 €</p> <p>State Aid EU Regulations on State aid and de minimis aid must be taken into account when requesting funding from the Estonian Research Council (ETAg). Support is not considered to be State aid for research and development, if the project has ties to the non-economic activities of the Research (or Host) Institution, as long as the research and development activities and the related costs, funding and revenue can be clearly separated, thus avoiding the cross subsidisation of economic activity. The criteria defined in Clauses 17-22 of Communication from the European Commission – Framework for State aid for research and development and innovation</p>	

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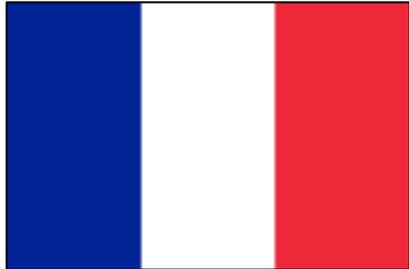
	<p>(2014/C 198/01) forms the basis for determining whether the activities carried out are economic activities and whether the Host Institution is an undertaking who is considered to be a State aid recipient when it receives support.</p> <p>When an entity applies for State aid or de minimis aid, it has to fill in the State aid form. No tax arrears are allowed on the proposal submission date.</p> <p>If State aid and de minimis aid are given, the documents related to giving the support must be kept for 10 years as of the date when the agreement was entered into.</p> <p>State aid pursuant to the Block Exemption Regulation</p> <p>If the support is considered to be State aid, then support is given on the basis of Article 25 of Commission Regulation (EU) No 651/2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty (OJ L 187, 26.6.2014, p. 1–78) (hereinafter the Block Exemption Regulation), and the provisions of the Commission Regulation and Section 34² of the Estonian Competition Act apply.</p> <p>State aid is not given in cases specified under Articles 1(2) to (5) of the Block Exemption Regulation.</p> <p>In case of State aid, the eligible costs of the project activities must comply with the requirements specified under Article 25(3) of the Block Exemption Regulation (except clause (c)), and the maximum aid intensity must comply with Articles 25(5) and (6).</p> <p>If the support applied for can be considered to be State aid, the application must include the information specified in Article 6(2) of the Block Exemption Regulation, and the application has to be submitted before the start of the activities.</p> <p>If State aid is given, then the costs of the activities carried out before application submission will not be eligible for aid.</p> <p>De minimis aid</p> <p>If support is considered de minimis aid, then giving support is subject to Commission Regulation (EU) No 1407/2013 on the application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union to de minimis aid (OJ L 352, 24.12.2013, p. 1–8) (hereinafter the De Minimis Aid Regulation), and the provisions of the Regulation and Section 33 of the Estonian Competition Act apply.</p> <p>De minimis aid is not given in cases specified under Article 1(1) of the De Minimis Aid Regulation.</p> <p>In case of de minimis aid, the maximum aid intensity must comply with Article 3 of the De Minimis Aid Regulation.</p> <p>De minimis aid given to the Host Institution together with de minimis aid applied for as support cannot exceed 200,000 euros during the current financial year and the two previous financial years.</p> <p>Article 5 of the De Minimis Aid Regulation applies to cumulating de minimis aid.</p> <p>A single undertaking is an undertaking specified in Article 2(1) of the De Minimis Aid Regulation.</p> <p>4. Grant Agreement</p> <p>If a positive funding decision is made, the Estonian Research Council enters into a grant agreement with the Host Institution. Information on the transnational project must be entered into ETIS once the agreement has been signed.</p> <p>The Consortium Agreement should be signed at the latest six months after the grant agreement has been signed. If one year has elapsed and the CA has not been signed, the next instalment of funding will not be paid out.</p>
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	<p>5. Research Involving Human Subjects or Animal Testing If human research or animal testing are intended in the project, a positive resolution by the Human Research Ethics Committee or the Authorisation Committee for Animal Experiments must be submitted to the Estonian Research Council by the start of the relevant activities.</p> <p>6. Nagoya Protocol By applying for funding by the Estonian Research Council, the applicants agree to consider the relevance of the Nagoya protocol for their research, and to submit the Due Diligence Declaration, if applicable.</p>
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>https://www.etag.ee/valiskoostoo/euroopa-horisont/partnerlused/era-net-projektid/</p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>If in one project several Estonian partners are participating, the total requested Estonian budget can be max 150.000€ per project and have to be divided between the Estonian partners.</p> <p>It is strongly advised to contact the contact point before submitting the application. The State aid form must be sent to the contact point before submitting the application.</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>https://www.etag.ee/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Riigiabi-vorm-era%C3%B5iguslikele-toetuse-taotlejatele_Lisa-ERA-NET-vastavusn%C3%B5uete-juurde-RE-toetuse-puhul.pdf</p>

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FRANCE

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Agence Nationale de la Recherche (ANR)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p> <p>Armelle Montrose Claire Treignier</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p> <p>Water4All-CallsFR @agencerecherche.fr</p> <p>+33 73 54 82 63</p> <p>+33 73 54 81 43</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>ANR may fund research organisations and undertakings, as defined by the EC regulation on State aid for research, development and innovation (see the ANR Funding regulations for further reference). Only research organisations that have their primary establishment in France may be funded. As for undertakings, ANR may fund those that have their real head office in an EU member State and an establishment (primary or secondary) in France.</p> <p>In this call, to be eligible, the consortium must include at least one French public research organization (EPA, EPSCP, EPST, EPIC).</p> <p>The involvement of an enterprise is encouraged but not mandatory. If a non-French enterprise is involved in a project, it is mandatory to involve a French enterprise; otherwise the French partners will be declared ineligible.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>See above</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Please check the ANR Funding Regulations at: https://anr.fr/fr/rf/</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p> <p>1,700,000 EUR</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p> <p>The maximum amount that can be requested from ANR by each proposal with French applicant(s) is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • €400,000 (if Coordinating Partner is French) • €300,000 (for standard French Partners)

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<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>The minimum amount per beneficiary is €15,000. If there are several French partners, the total requested funding from ANR (300 000 €, extended to 400 000 € if the coordinating partner is French) must be split among them.</p> <p>For calculation of overheads, please check the ANR Funding Regulations for at: https://anr.fr/fr/rf/</p>
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>National Funding Regulations https://anr.fr/fr/rf/</p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Additional eligibility criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To be eligible, a proposal must not be deemed similar to another proposal still undergoing evaluation in another ANR call, or already funded. <p>Regarding project partners' commitment:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to genetic resources and traditional knowledge associated with genetic resources • Ethics and scientific Integrity • Publications and Open Science Policy • Scientific, Technical and Industrial Culture • GDPR <p>please consult the complete terms and conditions for French Partners on the ANR website for more details (Document “<i>Modalités pour les Partenaires sollicitant une aide de l’ANR</i>”).</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>https://anr.fr/JTC1-water4all2022</p>

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GERMANY

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>German Federal Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Anne Petzold</p>	<p>anne.petzold@kit.edu +49 721 608 31410</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Applications may be submitted by German research institutions, universities and companies (in particular small and medium-sized enterprises-SME) based in Germany. Further, local authorities, non-profit organizations or associations are eligible for funding.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Research institutions receiving basic funding from the Federal Government and the <i>Länder</i> can only be granted funds to cover extra expenditure in addition to their basic financing. For information regarding the EU's standard definition of SMEs, please visit http://ec.europa.eu/growth/smes/business-friendly-environment/sme-definition_en.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p><u>Costs of personnel:</u> Costs of scientific staff, technical staff and/or student assistants, required in connection with the proposed project can be funded.</p> <p><u>Costs of durable equipment:</u> Funding for equipment can be provided. However, this only includes equipment that does not form part of an institution's basic equipment (i.e. no laptops, notebooks or equipment which is regularly used by the applicants).</p> <p><u>Consumables and supplies:</u> Any consumables necessary for the project implementation (expendable items, devices, business needs, transportation expenses, literature, rents, orders, etc.) may be considered as direct costs. Consumables are only eligible costs if bought after the start date of the project. Consumables belonging to the basic facilities of an applicant are not eligible.</p> <p><u>Sub-contracting:</u> Implement the project and shall have the necessary resources to that end. However, it should be accepted that as an exception certain parts that are not "core" parts of the project may be subcontracted, such as rent of locations, translation costs, costs for technical equipment in the context of the organization of events or printing services etc. The EU regulation on public procurement has to be considered: https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/DE/TXT/?uri=celex%3A32014L0024</p> <p><u>Travel costs:</u> Project related expenses / costs for travels and stays of German scientists and experts can be funded. Travel and stays of foreign scientists and experts can only be funded in well-justified exceptional cases.</p> <p><u>Indirect costs and overheads:</u> Overhead costs are eligible depending on the type of institution as well as on the respective accounting system.</p>	

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	<p>Projektpauschale: Universities should consider cost for an additional lump sum of 20% of the requested funding for research projects already in the preparation of the proposal.</p> <p>Applicants from Germany should also take the following information into account: Zuwendungsanträge auf Ausgaben/Kostenbasis(AZA/AZK) https://foerderportal.bund.de/easy/easy_index.php?auswahl=formularschrank_foerderportal&formularschrank=bmbf</p>	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	1.000.000 EUR	<p>The maximum budget per German partner per proposal is 250,000 €. If a German partner is coordinator of a proposal, the maximum amount of funding requested can reach 400,000 €. If there are several German partners in the same consortium, the max. total commitment from BMBF is 500,000 € per consortium.</p>
Other Funding Criteria	<p>Only two German partners in a consortium are eligible. The prerequisite for two German partners in a consortium is that at least one partner can be classified as a practice partner (e.g. companies, SMEs, municipalities, authorities, associations, etc.). If there is no German partner from the practice in the consortium, only one German partner per consortium can participate as a coordinator or partner.</p>	
Relevant documents	<p>National Regulations: Research for Sustainable Development, www.fona.de</p> <p>The funding procedure will follow the national criteria of the funding of the Federal Ministry of Education and Research http://foerderportal.bund.de/easy/easy_index.php?auswahl=easy_formulare</p> <p>According to the German funding regulations (German applicant institutions whose project outlines have been reviewed positively) will be invited to present a formal application for funding</p>	
Additional Info	<p>Funding rate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Universities, Research and scientific organisations, Associations and local authorities: up to 100% Companies: up to max. 50 % SMEs: Up to max. 70% (incl. bonus) 	
Useful Links	<p>https://www.fona.de/de/themen/wassermanagement.php</p>	

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HUNGARY

	Funding Organisation:		Nemzeti Kutatási, Fejlesztési és Innovációs Hivatal (NKFIH)  NEMZETI KUTATÁSI, FEJLESZTÉSI ÉS INNOVÁCIÓS HIVATAL
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:	
	Krisztina Hollósi	krisztina.hollosi@nkfi.gov.hu +36 1 896 3750	
Eligible Institutions	Institution of higher education, other budgetary research institution, enterprise-based research organisation, enterprise (non-research type), non-profit research organisation. Reimbursement rate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Research-type organisations: max. 100% ▪ For-profit organisations: max. 80% (fundamental research), max. 50% (industrial research) or max. 25% (experimental development). For further details please consult https://nkfi.gov.hu/palyazoknak/nkfi-alap/era-net-ejp-cofund-2019-217-era-net/palyazati-felhivas-2019-217-era-net		
Eligible Applicants	-		
Eligible Costs	Personnel (including permanent salaries), services (including travel costs) up to 30%, equipment up to 40%, consumables, overheads up to 10%. For further details (e.g. limits on coordination costs) please consult https://nkfi.gov.hu/palyazoknak/nkfi-alap/era-net-ejp-cofund-2019-217-era-net/palyazati-felhivas-2019-217-era-net		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	330.000 EUR	170.000 € (exception: 330.000 € for HU coordinator and further – not subcontracted – HU partner(s) involved in the same proposal)	
Other Funding Criteria	The Hungarian partners of winning proposals should submit a separate proposal for funding to NKFIH after having been informed of the international funding decision. The maximum amount that a Hungarian partner can request is 170 000 EURO. In case there is more than one Hungarian partner in a consortium than this amount should be shared among the Hungarian partners, except for the case where one of the HU partners is the coordinator and the other HU partner(s) are full partners (not subcontracted ones).		
Relevant documents	The dedicated national call is not yet available, however, it will take over the rules of a previous call .		
Additional Info			
Useful Links			

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IRELAND

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>		<p>Environmental Protection Agency</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>	
	<p>Alice Wemaere</p>	<p>a.wemaere@epa.ie – 01 268 0100</p>	
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>For the purpose of this call - Eligible institutions must be located in the Republic of Ireland. For more details and funding rates, check the EPA Research Guides and Terms and Conditions</p>		
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>For the purpose of this call - Applicants must be based in an organisation located in the Republic of Ireland. For more details and funding rates, check the EPA Research Guides and Terms and Conditions</p>		
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Eligible costs are detailed in the EPA Research Guides and Terms and Conditions</p>		
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>	
	<p>500,000 EUR</p>	<p>Up to €150,000 for IE Project Partner participating as a partner (but not coordinating) in a proposal Up to €300,000 for IE Project Partner participating as a coordinator in a proposal Maximum one IE Organisation requesting budget from the EPA</p>	
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>n/a</p>		
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>EPA Research Guides and Terms and Conditions</p>		
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>There is no need to contact the EPA in advance of submitting a proposal All queries MUST be submitted by email - Queries relating to the scope of the call will not be entertained</p>		
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>https://www.epa.ie/our-services/research/</p>		

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ISRAEL

	Funding Organisation:	Ministry of Energy – Chief Scientist Office (CSO-MOE)  Ministry of Energy www.energy.gov.il
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:
	Dr. Olga Zlatkin	olgaz@energy.gov.il
Eligible Institutions	Research institutes for "Academia"; companies and municipalities for "Start-Up" and "Pilot&Demonstration."	
Eligible Applicants	Research institutes for "Academia"; companies and municipalities for "Start-Up" and "Pilot&Demonstration." Research will not be funded simultaneously by CSO-MoE on more than one grant (EC programme or national).	
Eligible Costs	Eligible costs are for salaries, equipment, materials and subcontractors. Funding rates are 100% for "Academia", 62.5% for "Start-up", and 50% for "Pilot&Demonstration"	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	400,000 EUR	The following will be used as national eligibility criteria: 375,000 Euro for "Pilot&Demonstration programme"; 190,000 Euro for "Start-Up" and "Academia" programmes (see at https://www.gov.il/he/departments/guides/rd_grants (Hebrew))
Other Funding Criteria	Submission of financial and scientific reports at national level is required annually.	
Relevant documents	Not applicable	
Additional Info	CSO-MoE funding programmes: "Academia" (Applicative research, TRL 2-4) "Start-up" (TRL 4-6) "Pilot&Demonstration" (TRL 5-8) Prior to submission, researchers will submit to CSO-MoE an abstract approved by their research authority including budget distribution.	

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	The project at the national level will start according to the corresponding CSO-MoE funding programme.
Useful Links	https://www.gov.il/he/departments/guides/rd_grants (Hebrew)

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ITALY - MUR

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Ministero dell'università e della ricerca</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Maria Bianco</p>	<p>Maria.bianco@mur.gov.it</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>The following entities are eligible, providing that they have stable organization in Italy: enterprises including foundations and non-economic entities, universities, research institutions, research organizations in accordance with EU Reg. n. 651/2014 of the European Commission - June 17, 2014;</p> <p>Any participant, in order to be eligible, must comply with the eligibility criteria listed in the "Avviso integrativo nazionale".</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>No restrictions</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>All costs incurred during the lifetime of the project under the following categories are eligible: Personnel, Equipment, Consulting and equivalent services, Consumables and Overheads. Overheads ("Spese generali") shall be calculated as a percentage of the personnel costs and cannot be higher than 50% of them. Travel expenses, dissemination and coordination costs are to be included in the overheads.</p> <p>All activities classifiable as Basic research, Industrial research and Experimental development are eligible for funding. Furthermore, Basic Research and Industrial research activities must be predominant with respect to Experimental development activities (in terms of costs).</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>2.700.000 EUR</p>	<p>Project coordinated by an Italian institution: 400.000 EUR Project not coordinated by an Italian institution: 300.000 EUR</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>The amount of funding which can be granted to each beneficiary is calculated multiplying the eligible costs for the funding rates listed hereafter:</p> <p>Basic research: 70%</p> <p>Industrial Research: 50%</p>	

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	Experimental Development: 25%
Relevant documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decreto legge n. 83/2012 - Decreto Ministeriale n. 1314 del 14 dicembre 2021 - Decreto Ministeriale n. 1368 del 24 dicembre 2021 - Avviso integrativo nazionale
Additional Info	<p>In addition to the project proposal, which shall be submitted at European level, the Italian participants are requested to submit a national additional application to MUR, through the national web platform, available at the following link: https://banditransnazionali-miur.cineca.it</p> <p>This national additional application must be submitted by the same deadline established in the international joint call for pre-proposal submission. Any participant who does not submit its national documents by the pre-proposal deadline will be considered not eligible for funding.</p> <p>More information on the national documentation to be submitted to MUR is available at the web page dedicated to the Underwater noise in the marine environment call: http://www.ricercainternazionale.miur.it/era/european-partnership-2021-27/water4all.aspx</p> <p>It is strongly recommended to contact the National Contact Persons already in early stage of project preparation.</p> <p>The admission for funding is subject to the adoption of the necessary accounting and administrative measures for the allocation of the resources.</p> <p>Funded participants will be requested to submit financial and scientific reports to MUR.</p> <p>The criteria and provisions provided herewith are intended only for informative purposes. The complete list of criteria and provisions legally valid, which must be respected by all the Italian participants, is included in the “Avviso integrativo nazionale”, which will be published on the MUR website, and in the applicable Italian laws.</p> <p>Applicable laws and rules:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decreto legge n. 83/2012 - Decreto Ministeriale n. 1314 del 14 dicembre 2021 - Decreto Ministeriale n. 1368 del 24 dicembre 2021 - Avviso integrativo nazionale
Useful Links	<p>National website: http://www.ricercainternazionale.miur.it/era/european-partnership-2021-27/water4all.aspx</p> <p>National submission platform: https://banditransnazionali-miur.cineca.it</p>

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ITALY - MISE

	Funding Organisation:		Ministero dello Sviluppo Economico 
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:	
	Rosario Gargiulo Valentina Milazzo	rosario.gargiulo@mise.gov.it valentina.milazzo@mise.gov.it	
Eligible Institutions	See “eligible applicants” section		
Eligible Applicants	The following entities are eligible: - Enterprises - Universities, research centers and research organizations - only in collaboration with enterprises with which to set up a Consortium or a Network of Companies.		
Eligible Costs	All costs incurred during the lifetime of a project under the following categories are eligible: personnel, equipment, subcontracting, consumables, and overheads. Overheads are calculated as a fixed percentage 25% of eligible costs of the project, as established by art. 20 of the delegated regulation (EU) n 480/2014 and by art. 29 of the regulation (EU) n. 1290/2013, in line with the provisions of art 53.3 lett.c of Regulation (EU) 1060/2021 as referred to in art. 10 paragraph 4 of Decree 121/2021. They include also communication, dissemination and travel expenses		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	3.000.000 EUR	600.000 EUR	
Other Funding Criteria	The amount of funding which can be granted to each beneficiary is calculated multiplying the eligible costs for the funding rates listed hereafter: Industrial Research: 50% Experimental Development: 25%		
Relevant documents	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regulation (EU) 2021/241, especially the principles of tagging (commitment to the climate contribution of the investment as per the methodology in Annex VI) and complementary funding (as per Article 9 of the Regulation and the circular letter of the Ministry of Economy of December 31 2021 n. 33). 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regulation (EU) GBER n. 651/2014 and Regulation (EU) 2021/1237 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market. • Regulation (EU) 2020/852 art. 17 and the Ministry of Economy circular letter of 30 December 2021, n. 32 on the principle of DNSH. • Articles 2, 3 (3) of the TEU, 8, 10, 19 and 157 of the TFEU, and 21 and 23 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union on the principle of gender equality and the obligation of protection and enhancement of young people. • According to Article 2, paragraph 6-bis of the Decree Law 31 May 2021 n. 77, the Administrations ensure that at least 40% of the resources will be allocated to the beneficiaries of South Italy Regions. Nevertheless, it will be protected the interest in the total allocation of the resources put up for tender if the Ministry doesn't receive a number of applications, from Southern Italy applicants, that would exhaust the financial resources referred to the aforementioned reserve. • Art. 20 of the delegated regulation (EU) n 480/2014 and art. 29 of the regulation (EU) n. 1290/2013 which states that overheads are calculated as a fixed percentage 25% of eligible costs of the project.
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>In addition to the project proposal, which shall be submitted at European level, the Italian participants are requested to submit a national additional application to MISE, through the national web platform, available at the following link: dgiai.div6@pec.mise.gov.it</p> <p>This national additional application must be submitted by the same deadline established in the international joint call for pre-proposal submission. Any participant who does not submit its national documents by the pre-proposal deadline will be considered not eligible for funding.</p> <p>It is strongly recommended to contact the National Contact Persons already in early stage of project preparation.</p> <p>The admission for funding is subject to the adoption of the necessary accounting and administrative measures for the allocation of the resources.</p> <p>Funded participants will be requested to submit financial and scientific reports to MISE.</p> <p>The criteria and provisions provided herewith are intended only for informative purposes. The complete list of criteria and provisions legally valid, which must be respected by all the Italian participants, is included in the “Avviso integrativo nazionale”, which will be published on the MISE website, and in the applicable Italian laws.</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>National website: www.mise.gov.it</p> <p>National submission platform: dgiai.div6@pec.mise.gov.it</p>

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LATVIA

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Latvijas Zinatnes padome (LZP)</p>  <p>Latvijas Zinātnes padome</p>	
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>		<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Ineta Pliksa</p> <p>Dace Tirzīte</p>	<p>Ineta.pliksa@lzp.gov.lv</p> <p>+371 26443380</p> <p>Dace.tirzite@lzp.gov.lv</p> <p>+371 29644426</p>	
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>R&D institutions (research institutes, universities, higher education establishments, research centres etc.) and enterprises. R&D institutions should be listed in the Registry of Research Institution operated by the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Latvia. Private entities must be registered in the Registry of Enterprises of the Republic of Latvia and provide most of its R&D&I activities in the Republic of Latvia.</p>		
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>See above. No more than two partners from Latvia may participate in the same project.</p>		
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Eligible costs are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Direct costs: personnel costs, travel costs, subcontracts (up to 25% of total direct costs), equipment (only depreciation costs), materials and other direct costs such as consumables, publication costs etc. 2. Indirect costs: can reach a maximum of 25% of total direct costs, excluding subcontracting costs 		
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>	
	<p>500.000 EUR</p>	<p>100.000 EUR per project year per partner</p>	
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>Double funding of the same project, as a whole or in part, is prohibited, whether the funding comes from LZP or from another source.</p>		

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<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>The funding of RTD activities is provided pursuant in accordance with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the Regulation of the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Latvia No 259 on the procedure for providing support for participation in international cooperation programs for research and technology (adopted on 26 June 2015) - the COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) No 651/2014 of 17 June 2014 declaring certain categories of aid compatible with the internal market in application of Articles 107 and 108 of the Treaty
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Eligible for funding is fundamental research, applied research and experimental development (TRL1 -TRL8)</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>Further information on the conditions for receiving funding can be found on the LZP website: www.lzp.gov.lv</p>

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LITHUANIA

	Funding Organisation:		LMT  Lietuvos mokslo taryba
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:		Email and Phone:
	Viktoras Mongirdas		Phone +370 676 19613 E-mail: viktoras.mongirdas@lmt.lt
Eligible Institutions	Eligible implementing institution – Lithuanian research and higher education institution which is included in the Register of Education and Research institutions		
Eligible Applicants	Implementing institution together with partners - a public or private legal entities		
Eligible Costs	Personal, travel, purchase (assets, services), indirect, subcontracting		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	150.000 EUR	150.000 EEUR	
Other Funding Criteria	Maximum project duration: up to 36 months VAT is included in the budget Subcontracting rules: subcontracting costs must be incurred in accordance with the provisions of the Law on Public Procurement of the Republic of Lithuania. Expenses incurred according to service and/or copyright agreements where such agreements were concluded for performing minor tasks in the project are eligible.		
Relevant documents	No national official paper work until positive evaluation decision		
Additional Info	-		
Useful Links	www.lmt.lt		

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LUXEMBOURG

	<p>Funding Organisation: Luxembourg National Research Fund</p>		<p>FNR</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>	
	<p>Dr. Helena Burg</p>	<p>helena.burg@fnr.lu +352 691362812</p>	
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>The following Luxembourg based institutions are eligible for financial support from the FNR, i.e. i) public institutions performing research in Luxembourg; ii) non-profit associations, societal impact companies (SIS), and foundations performing research in Luxembourg that have obtained a special authorization from the Luxembourg Ministry for Higher Education and Research. Please check the FNR website for more details: https://www.fnr.lu/fnr-beneficiaries/</p>		
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>For Luxembourg Principal Investigators, the general FNR Requirements for principal investigators and supervisors must be fulfilled (download available here https://www.fnr.lu/fnr-beneficiaries/how-we-fund-research/).</p>		
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>The maximum amount of requested funding per project is 350.000 EUR. Projects must run for a minimum duration of two years. If the project involves the recruitment of a PhD student, the PhD candidate could be supported for up to four years (see FNR INTER guidelines). The details on the eligibility for the various budget categories are available within the FNR Financial Regulations.</p>		
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>	
	<p>350.000 EUR</p>	<p>350.000 EUR</p>	
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>The FNR supports all topics of the Water4All Joint Call 2022.</p> <p>Proposals must be submitted by the coordinating institutions' administrations (not by the PI) in electronic format to the online submission system (FNR Grant Management System) the latest 7 days after the deadline as the consortium application is submitted. Please select the "INTER" – "Water4All" funding instrument when creating the administrative application. The FNR INTER guidelines provide details about the basic administrative data and the documents to be provided.</p> <p>Proposals invited to the second stage will be able to complete the pre-proposal form and provide information for the full proposal upon validation by the FNR.</p>		

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	<p>General rules and regulations of FNR apply: https://www.fnr.lu/fnr-beneficiaries/how-we-fund-research/</p> <p>The FNR attaches great importance to the impact of research outputs on science, industry, policy making and society in general. To maximise the possibilities for impact of research outputs, results from FNR-(co)funded research are expected to be disseminated via high-quality, peer-reviewed publications that are made freely available (FNR Policy on Open Access).</p> <p>Researchers and research institutions are expected to ensure appropriate stewardship and curation of research data generated within FNR funded projects, in accordance with the FNR Policy on Research Data Management.</p> <p>As a signatory of the DORA declaration, the FNR encourages applicants to list a range of research outputs (including datasets and software, training of researchers, intellectual property). Applicants should not use journal-based metrics, such as Journal Impact Factors, as a surrogate measure of the quality of individual research articles, but rather focus on the scientific content.</p> <p>Financial support from FNR must be acknowledged in all publications and other forms of media communication, including media appearances, press releases and conferences, in compliance with the FNR Communication Guidelines.</p>
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>The FNR INTER guidelines and FNR INTER programme description provide details about the basic administrative data and the documents to be provided.</p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Please do not hesitate to contact the NCP if you require any additional information.</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>FNR INTER guidelines</p> <p>https://www.fnr.lu/fnr-beneficiaries/how-we-fund-research/</p> <p>FNR Policy on Open Access</p> <p>FNR Policy on Research Data Management</p>

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MALTA

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	 <p>GOVERNMENT OF MALTA MINISTRY FOR THE ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY AND ENTERPRISE</p>
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Brian Borg</p>	<p>brian.a.borg@gov.mt +356 20953179</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Applications may be submitted by Public Entities, which do not carry out any form of economic activity.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>A Maltese Public Service Department or Maltese Public Sector Entity, or any Maltese Legal Entity which has more than 50% government shareholding. Public Service refers to all Ministries and Departments; and Public Sector Entities refers to authorities and agencies.</p> <p>Public Entities also include foundations, local councils and public academic entities. In the case of public academic entities, this includes but is not limited to a higher education entity or a research institute, whether as a whole body or as a component unit or department within such body, provided that the entity's ongoing education and research is scientifically in line with the subject of the application being submitted during this call provided that the higher education entity must be in possession of a license for Higher Education according to the Further and Higher Education (Licensing, Accreditation and Quality Assurance) Regulations – Subsidiary Legislation 327.433.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Eligible Costs are those costs incurred directly by the project partner during the duration of the project and used primarily for the purpose of achieving the objectives of the project. All expenses must be incurred between the Start Date and the End Date of the project and must be limited to the budgeted value as indicated in the Grant Agreement, and shall be classified under the following cost-categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Personnel Costs (b) Specialised Equipment and research consumables (c) Travel Costs (d) Subcontracted Services (e) Indirect Costs and Overheads 	

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	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
Funding Commitment	300,000 EUR	Eur 150,000 for all Maltese partners in case a Maltese partner is not the coordinator. Eur 200,000 for all Maltese partners in case a Maltese partner is the coordinator of a proposal)
Other Funding Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Only up to 2 Maltese entities can participate in a consortium. Where a consortium includes two partners, the budget allocated to a single partner shall not be less than 25% of the total allocation requested for Maltese partners. - The Project duration shall not exceed a maximum of three years. The earliest possible starting date for projects will be fixed at the beginning of the contract negotiations. - The Lead Researcher of any Maltese partner can only participate in the submission of one project application. 	
Relevant documents	Water4All – National Rules for Participation for Maltese Entities	
Additional Info	Eligible expenses will be fully funded.	
Useful Links	https://energy.gov.mt/	

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NETHERLANDS

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>NWO</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Ron Winkler</p>	<p>r.winkler@nwo.nl</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>See eligible applicants</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>For scientists based in the Kingdom of the Netherlands, the NWO eligibility criteria apply.</p> <p>Full, associate and assistant professors, lecturers, senior researchers and other researchers with a comparable position* may submit an application (i.e. participate in a consortium and request NWO funding) if they have a tenured position (and therefore a paid position for an indefinite period) or a tenure track agreement at one of the following organisations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • universities located in the Kingdom of the Netherlands; • university medical centres; • Institutes affiliated to the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) or NWO; • Universities of applied sciences as referred to in Article 1.8 of the Higher Education and Scientific Research Act (WHW); • the Netherlands Cancer Institute; • the Max Planck Institute for Psycholinguistics in Nijmegen; • the DUBBLE Beamline at the ESRF in Grenoble; • Naturalis Biodiversity Center; • Advanced Research Centre for NanoLithography (ARCNL); • Princess Máxima Center. • TO2 institutes: Deltares, Marin, NLR, TNO and Wageningen research (former DLO) <p>*A comparable position refers to a researcher that has a demonstrable and comparable number of years of experience in carrying out scientific research and supervising other researchers as a full, associate or assistant professor.</p> <p>Persons with a zero-hour employment agreement or with a contract for a limited period of time (other than a tenure track appointment) may not submit a proposal.</p>	

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	<p>It could be the case that the applicant's tenure track agreement ends before the intended completion date of the project for which funding is applied for, or that before that date, the applicant's tenured contract ends due to the applicant reaching retirement age. In that case, the applicant needs to include a statement from their employer in which the organisation concerned guarantees that the project and all project members for whom funding has been requested will receive adequate supervision for the full duration of the project.</p> <p>Applicants with a part-time contract should guarantee adequate supervision of the project and all project members for whom funding is requested.</p>
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>The NWO budget modules (including the maximum amount) available for this Call for proposals are listed in the table below. Apply only for funding that is vital to realise the project. <u>Proposals are required to have at least one personnel position of 12 full-time months</u></p> <p>Available budget modules</p> <p><i>Postdoc</i> – at least 6 full months and at most 36 full-time months, according to VSNU or NFU rates</p> <p><i>Research leave</i> – max. 5 months, 1 fte, according to VSNU or NFU rates</p> <p><i>Personnel universities of applied sciences and TO2 institutes</i> - rates based on Handleiding Overheidstarieven 2021 (HOT) (Manual for Dutch Government Fees 2021, table 2 from section 2.2, hourly cost-covering rate)</p> <p><i>Material costs</i> – max. 15 000 € per year per full-time scientific position (postdoc)</p> <p><i>Knowledge utilisation</i> - max. € 25.000</p> <p><i>Internationalisation</i> - max. € 25.000</p> <p>For the budget module “Postdoc”, a one-off individual bench fee of €5,000 is added on top of the salary costs to encourage the scientific career of the project employee funded by NWO.</p> <p>Note that PhD positions cannot be applied for in this call, due to the maximum project duration of 3 years.</p> <p>The budget items “overhead”, “equipment” and “subcontracting costs” in the Water4All format are not eligible for NWO funding. Please refer to the detailed explanation of NWO budget modules to see which costs are eligible for NWO funding.</p> <p>It is recommended to use the financial details form (obligatory in full proposal phase) in the pre-proposal stage to confirm eligibility of budget items. A more detailed explanation of the budget modules and the financial details form can be found at the following web address: https://www.nwo.nl/calls/partnership-water4all-management-water-resources-face-hydroclimatic-extreme-events</p>

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	<p>At the full proposal phase, it is required to submit a financial details form separately to NWO. This form is available on: https://www.nwo.nl/calls/partnership-water4all-management-water-resources-face-hydroclimatic-extreme-events</p> <p>The deadline to submit financial details to NWO is similar to the official deadline of the call of the European Water4All Partnership at step 2 (25 August 2022, 15:00 CEST).</p> <p>Do not hesitate to contact the national contact person in case of questions.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>1.128.000 EUR</p>	<p>270.000 EUR</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - An application for NWO funding (i.e. the Dutch part of a European consortium) has a single main applicant (i.e. Dutch Partner or Coordinator in the European consortium), responsible for scientific and financial management. - An applicant may only request NWO funding for one project (part of a European consortium) in this call of the European Water4All Partnership. - Applicants may not apply for a post-doc position for themselves. - Impact of the research is at the heart of this call of the European Water4All Partnership. Please refer to the detailed description of requirements and evaluation criteria, including impact, in the full call announcement of the Water4All Partnership. - Stakeholder engagement is essential to maximize the chances of reaching impact and NWO considers engagement of stakeholders an important asset, starting with the design of your project, as well as the definition of active roles for each of them during the course of the project. Valorisation of stakeholder engagement in the project (as self financed industrial and/or societal partner) in the form of in kind or in cash contributions from stakeholders is therefore strongly recommended by NWO - Submission of financial and scientific reports at national level is required in accordance with the rules of NWO. - NWO may award more than € 270.000 to compensate for new personnel VSNU/NFU tariffs 	
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>Full details for project funding in this call is available on the NWO website: https://www.nwo.nl/calls/partnership-water4all-management-water-resources-face-hydroclimatic-extreme-events</p> <p>For full details of the general NWO funding process, please refer to https://www.nwo.nl/en/apply-funding-how-does-it-work</p>	

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<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>The budget for The Netherlands in this call is brought together by the Dutch Ministry of Infrastructure and Water Management (IenW) and the Dutch Ministry of Agriculture, Nature and Food Quality (LNV).</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>The NWO Grant Rules 2017 and the Agreement on the Payment of Costs for Scientific Research are applicable to the part of the project's budget covered by the grant from NWO.</p> <p>Under the Dutch General Administrative Law Act, any interested party has the right to lodge an objection to the decision taken by NWO within six weeks of the date of the decision letter. Further information about the objections procedure can be found on the NWO website.</p>

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NORWAY

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>The Research Council of Norway (RCN)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Linda Jarrett</p>	<p>lja@rcn.no +4793026713</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Applicants for project funding must be affiliated with an academic institution, company/industry, the public sector or an NGO. See definition and specification here: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/apply-for-funding/who-can-apply-for-funding)</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>The Project Leader (PL) or the Principal Investigators (PI) must have completed a doctoral degree or have corresponding qualifications.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>See: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/apply-for-funding/Budget/</p> <p>Applicants that are private companies, that is an actor that carries out an economic activity consisting of offering products or services on a given market, must be aware that their funding will be given within the limits set by the State Aid Rules; https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/apply-for-funding/funding-from-the-research-council/Conditions-for-awarding-state-aid/</p> <p>State aid awarded by the Research Council is granted under the General Block Exemption Regulation for state aid, Article 25: Aid for research and development projects.</p> <p>To ensure that support is awarded in compliance with the state aid rules, the Research Council asks all applicants selected for conditional allocation of funding to provide supplementary information. The Project Owner must be able to document that its own institution and all its partners (all recipients of state aid) are eligible to receive state aid.</p> <p>Support from the Research Council constitutes state aid when it is awarded to an "undertaking", i.e., an actor that carries out an economic activity consisting of offering products or services on a given market.</p> <p>The budget applied for shall be stated in Euro. Conversion from Euro to Norwegian kroner is based on the official exchange rate per application date for preproposals – 1st September 2022. The official exchange rate can be found here: Exchange rate (InforEuro) European Commission (europa.eu)</p>	

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	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
Funding Commitment	1.000.000 EUR	The RCN will fund up to 300,000 Euro per project proposal. In addition, the RCN may fund up to 100,000 Euro per project with a Project Manager (coordinator) from a Norwegian research organisation.
Other Funding Criteria		
Relevant documents	For more general information about Norwegian conditions for funding, please read: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/apply-for-funding/funding-from-the-research-council/	
Additional Info	After funding decision, the Norwegian part of funded projects must register through the RCN portal. Further information will be provided to the relevant partners. Norwegian project partners will have to report to RCN on an annual basis following RCN guidelines and deadlines.	
Useful Links	General information: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/ Annual reporting to the RCN: https://www.forskingsradet.no/en/when-you-have-received-funding/submitting-project-account-reports/	

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POLAND

	Funding Organisation:	National Centre for Research and Development (NCBR)  The National Centre for Research and Development
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:
	Kinga Szymańska-Rzeźnik	Kinga.Szymanska@ncbr.gov.pl
Eligible Institutions	N/A	
Eligible Applicants	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enterprises: micro, small, medium or large 2. Research organisation 3. Groups of entities consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - minimum one research organisation and minimum one enterprise (micro, small, medium or large) - two enterprises (micro, small, medium or large) - two research organisations. 	
Eligible Costs	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Personnel costs (W) 2. Costs of subcontracting (E) 3. Other costs (Op) including: - travel costs, - costs of instruments, equipment and intangible assets - purchase of land and real estate 4. Overheads (O) [O = (W + Op) x max. 25%] 	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	1.000.000 EUR	up to € 200.000,00 for polish consortium partner
Other Funding Criteria	Research organisation: all types of research may be funded. Basic research must not exceed 10% of value of national requested budget. Other type of activities (e.g. coordination, dissemination, management) is not eligible for funding as separate WP/Task.	

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	<p>Enterprises: Only Industrial/Applied Research and Experimental Development will be funded. Other type of activities (e.g. coordination, dissemination, management) is not eligible for funding as separate WVP/Task.</p> <p>National funding rates:</p> <p>Funding quota of Polish participants can be up to 100% for research organisations. In the case of enterprises, funding quota will be decided on a case-by-case basis depending on the size of the company, type of research/development, risk associated with the research activities and commercial perspective of exploitation.</p> <p>The following maximum funding quotas apply:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="544 674 1417 1155"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Type of Organisation \ Type of Activity</th> <th colspan="4">Maximum percentage of costs covered by public funding</th> </tr> <tr> <th>Large Enterprise</th> <th>Medium Enterprise</th> <th>Micro/Small Enterprise</th> <th>research organisation</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Fundamental Research</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>n/a</td> <td>up to 100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Industrial Research</td> <td>Up to 50+15 (max 65 %)</td> <td>Up to 50+10+15 (max 75 %)</td> <td>Up to 50+20+15 (max 80 %)</td> <td>up to 100%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Experimental Development</td> <td>Up to 25+15 (max 40 %)</td> <td>Up to 25+10+15 (max 50 %)</td> <td>Up to 25+20+15 (max 60 %)</td> <td>up to 100%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Type of Organisation \ Type of Activity	Maximum percentage of costs covered by public funding				Large Enterprise	Medium Enterprise	Micro/Small Enterprise	research organisation	Fundamental Research	n/a	n/a	n/a	up to 100%	Industrial Research	Up to 50+15 (max 65 %)	Up to 50+10+15 (max 75 %)	Up to 50+20+15 (max 80 %)	up to 100%	Experimental Development	Up to 25+15 (max 40 %)	Up to 25+10+15 (max 50 %)	Up to 25+20+15 (max 60 %)	up to 100%
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Additional Info	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must be registered in Poland. • For enterprises it is strongly advised to state in the Pre-proposal application form the KRS number of the enterprise and the size of the enterprise (micro/small, medium, large). • A condition for the participation of a group of entities as the Applicant in the competition is its formal existence on the date of submission of the pre-proposal, confirmed by its members concluding, at least conditionally, agreement on the creation of a group of entities. • Please note that group of entities counts as two project partners from Poland (it meets the limit on the number of participants from the same country, please refer to call text for details). • After international evaluation of full proposals and the selection of projects to be funded, Polish participants will be invited to submit a National Application Form (NAF). The NAFs will be examined for the appropriateness of funding requested. The Polish participants are obliged to use the rate of exchange of the European Central Bank dated on the day of opening of the call. 																								
Useful Links	Detailed information about scope, financial rules, national procedure and national regulations is available on the NCBR's homepage: https://www.gov.pl/web/ncbr/wniosek-krajowy																								

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PORTUGAL

	Funding Organisation:	Foundation for Science and Technology (FCT, I.P.) 
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:
	Marco Mota Germana Santos	marco.mota@fct.pt / 213 911 527 germana.santos@fct.pt / 213 911 569
Eligible Institutions	Please check National Regulation at: https://www.fct.pt/apoios/projectos/regulamentofundossnacionais.phtml.en (Articles 3-5)	
Eligible Applicants	Please check National Regulation at: https://www.fct.pt/apoios/projectos/regulamentofundossnacionais.phtml.en (Article 6)	
Eligible Costs	Please check National Regulation at: https://www.fct.pt/apoios/projectos/regulamentofundossnacionais.phtml.en (Articles 7-9)	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	500.000 €	150.000 € (coordination of proposal) 100.000€ (participation of proposal)
Other Funding Criteria	If more than one Portuguese institution participates in a consortium, the budget must be shared, with the maximum limit of requested funding per consortium.	
Relevant documents	National Regulations	
Additional Info	In addition to the national regulations, within a transnational call specific rules of the consortium may be applicable; please read carefully the Call Text and all the related instructions. Portuguese applicants will have to fill in and send a Declaration of Commitment (DC) duly signed and stamped to the NCPs via email. FCT may require the original of the DC in the future (Article 5 of the National Regulation). Check the National Regulation terms for admission and acceptance of proposals and projects, namely concerning the update of technical and financial reports and return of funds of ongoing/concluded projects, and situation of proposals previously submitted to FCT regarding pending decisions, scientific areas and other calls.	
Useful Links		

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REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA

	Funding Organisation: National Agency for Research and Development NARD		
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:	
	Vadim Iatchevici	vadim.iatchevici@ancd.gov.md (+373) 022 27 04 45	
Eligible Institutions	Public research organisations		
Eligible Applicants	Public research organisations		
Eligible Costs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Personnel costs - Travelling - Events - Consumable; - Laboratory equipment - Research papers; - Experimental and production activities. 		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	50.000 EUR	50.000 EUR	
Other Funding Criteria	Will avoid double funding and will not finance projects or part of projects that have been funded through other calls.		
Relevant documents	The additional documents that should be submitted to NARD during the submission phase are published in the call announcement at the NARD website.		
Additional Info	<p>In case a project is selected for funding, Moldovan partners will be invited to sign grant contracts. Successful MD project partners will have two month from the date they are notified of a positive funding decision to submit the grant contract completed.</p> <p>In case a project is selected for funding, Moldovan partners will be invited to sign grant contracts. Successful MD project partners will have two month from the date they are notified of a positive funding decision to submit the grant contract completed.</p>		

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	In addition to reporting requirements set out in the call document, standard ANCD reporting terms and conditions will apply. MD partners are expected to report on outputs and outcomes on a regular basis.
Useful Links	www.ancd.gov.md

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ROMANIA

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>UEFISCDI</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Mihaela Manole Nicoleta Dumitrache</p>	<p>Mihaela.manole@uefiscdi.ro; 0040.21.302.38.63 Nicoleta.dumitrache@uefiscdi.ro; 0040.21.302.38.86</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Eligible entities for funding are universities, public institutions, R&D national institutions, joint-stock companies, SME's and Large companies, NGOs (associations, foundations, etc.), others, with research and innovation within their activities. Funding rates vary in accordance with state aid legislation.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Eligibility of principal investigator.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>a. Staff costs; b. Logistics expenses - Capital expenditure ; - Expenditure on stocks - supplies and inventory items; - Expenditure on services performed by third parties cannot exceed 25 % of the funding from the public budget. The subcontracted parts should not be core/substantial parts of the project work; c. Travel expenses; d. Overhead (indirect costs) is calculated as a percentage of direct costs: staff costs, logistics costs (excluding capital costs and cost for subcontracting) and travel expenses. Indirect costs will not exceed 20 % of direct costs.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>1.000.000 EUR</p>	<p>250.000 euro for all romanian partners in case a Romanian institution is the Coordinator; 200.000 for all romanian partners in case a Romanian institution is not the Coordinator;</p>

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		(please read: https://uefiscdi.ro/pachet-de-informatii-suprogramul-3-2-orizont-2020)
Other Funding Criteria		
Relevant documents		
Additional Info		
Useful Links	https://uefiscdi.ro/pachet-de-informatii-suprogramul-3-2-orizont-2020	

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SLOVAK REPUBLIK

	Funding Organisation:		Slovak Academy of Sciences 
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	Email and Phone:	
	Martin Novak	mnovak@up.upsav.sk 00421 2 57510 119	
Eligible Institutions	SAS Institutes		
Eligible Applicants	Applicant must have more than 50% of the full time employment in the SAS Institute		
Eligible Costs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permanent salaries 45k Eur (36 months) • Direct costs – i.e. other personnel costs (max. 15% if project partner or max. 30% of direct costs if project coordination), consumables, travel costs, services, equipment (capital expenditures max. 40% of direct costs) • Indirect costs – overheads (max. 20% of direct costs) 		
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal	
	240.000€	120.000€/3 years (40.000 per year)	
Other Funding Criteria			
Relevant documents			
Additional Info	Applicants are strongly recommended to contact NCP before the proposal submission. Researchers that are partners in a project recommended for funding will be requested to submit an additional application to the SAS (MVTs form). The SAS Presidium makes the final administrative step for funding of selected projects. Consortium agreement is requested no later than 6 months after the project start.		
Useful Links	https://www.sav.sk/?lang=en&doc=services-news&source_no=25&news_no=7569		

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SOUTH AFRICA

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Water Research Commission (WRC)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Mr Tiyani Chauke</p>	<p>Tiyanic@wrc.org.za +27 12 761 9304</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>South African registered Universities, Science Councils, Research Institutions and Private Sector conducting research, development and innovation.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Any person affiliated with the institution and authorized by the institution to lead the specific proposed project.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>Direct project related cost: personnel, project activities and procurement of equipment and Other direct costs: consumables and travel costs (flight, accommodation, allowance, travel insurance, visa fees, covid and other required vaccination fees) to participate in the project kick-off and other obligatory project consortium meetings.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>90.000 EUR</p>	<p>Maximum of €45,000 per project (approximately R765 000 with the standard average conversion rate of 1R=€17 for all projects regardless of the interest rate at the time of application). This is the total funds committed for the duration of the project and not per annum and will be transferred in tranches as per project contract between the WRC and SA institution participating in the Water4All project</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>1) To access the WRC funding, all SA lead researchers in approved Water4All projects will be required to submit a funding application through the WRC Online Business Management System (BMS) as the first step for contracting process and also for national reporting. The submission on BMS is mainly to capture the already approved project on the WRC system. (2) All projects should be aligned to one or more of the WRC strategic objectives to qualify for funding. Check WRC website for more information and there must be a clear distinction of new elements and value addition to projects that have been</p>	

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	previously funded by the WRC through national calls. Misaligned projects and failure to clearly distinguish the new elements in previously funded projects will lead to funding rejection regardless of Water4All approval.
Relevant documents	National Regulations
Additional Info	<p>(1) SA partners are encouraged to include students in the projects for capacity building.</p> <p>(2) Before submitting the proposal to the Water4All call secretariat, it is advised that the SA partner share the project outline with the WRC also highlighting the required financial cost for the SA partner to get WRC endorsement. The project outlines should be submitted to the WRC NCP not later than 2 weeks before the call deadline to allow sufficient time for the WRC expert to assess the application.</p> <p>(3) The WRC National Contact Point will facilitate and assist with partner matching between SA and for Water4All call partners countries should assistance be required by the SA or other Water4All partners.</p> <p>(4) To raise awareness and promote the call in SA, the WRC will share the call information using its website and social media platforms. The WRC NCP will also be available for bilateral virtual meetings with individual institution as per invitation.</p>
Useful Links	Any concerns relating to the FMS can be directed to bms-suppot@wrc.org.za

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SPAIN – AEI

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI)</p> 
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>E-mail:</p>
	<p>Maja Kolar Silvia Lorrio</p>	<p>water4all.aei@aei.gob.es</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Eligible entities for the AEI funding are: Non-profit research organizations (such as universities, public research institutions, technological centres and other private non-profit institutions performing RDI activities in Spain), which must comply with the requirements established by this transnational call and with the rules on eligibility defined in the corresponding Spanish national funding instrument “Proyectos de Colaboración Internacional” (PCI) and the PCI Requirements document. The entities must have been previously beneficiaries of any of the AEI calls. They have to ensure contractual relationship with the Principal Investigator (PI) during all the implementation of the project.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Principal Investigators (PIs) requesting funding to the AEI must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be eligible to the corresponding PCI call and the PCI Requirements document • Demonstrate experience as investigators in projects funded by the different Plan Estatal I+D+i: 2013-2016, 2017-2020, 2021-2023, ERC Grants, European Framework Programmes or other relevant national or international programmes. <p>Incompatibilities: These must be taken into account when participating in different ERA-Nets or other international initiatives.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PIs <u>are not allowed</u> to apply for funding in (i) more than one proposal of this transnational call, (ii) in more than one proposal in the same PCI call and (iii) in PCI calls in consecutive years. • PIs must remain unchanged between the proposal to this transnational call and the corresponding PCI call should the proposal be recommended for funding. <p>Important: The applicants should include the PI’s full name and the full name of their institution in the original language in the application form.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research and innovation activities are eligible. Mere dissemination, communication or other similar activities will not be eligible. 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personnel costs for new temporary employment contracts are eligible. The costs of permanent staff linked to the beneficiary entity or members of the research team will not be considered eligible costs. • Direct costs such as current costs, small scientific equipment, disposable materials, travelling expenses, coordination costs and other costs that can be justified as necessary to carry out the proposed activities. • Overheads (15% of all direct costs, <u>including the subcontracting costs</u>). <p>The AEI will avoid double funding (overlapping with other EU or National funding) and will not grant projects or parts of projects already funded.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call (National contribution)</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>1.500.000 EUR</p>	<p>The following funding limits (<u>including direct + 15% indirect costs</u>) are considered eligibility criteria. Proposals not respecting these limits could be declared ineligible.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the consortium is NOT COORDINATED by an AEI-applicant and: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - there is only one AEI-applicant in the proposal: max. € 200.000 - there are two AEI-applicants in the proposal, the amount for both Partners is: max. € 250.000 • If the consortium IS COORDINATED by an AEI-applicant and: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - there is only one AEI-applicant in the proposal acting as Coordinator: max. € 300.000 - there are two AEI-applicants in the proposal and one of them is acting as Coordinator, the amount for both Partners is: max. € 350.000 <p>IMPORTANT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a maximum of two AEI-applicants in the same proposal are allowed; • the direct costs in the application must be rounded to the thousands.
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>Centres formed by different Spanish legal entities will be considered as a unique entity, and thus the maximum funding should not exceed the limits per proposal established above (for example, mixed centres).</p> <p>NEW!! Two centres or institutions belonging to the Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC) will be treated as two separate partners one from another when one of them is acting as Coordinator of the proposal and their tasks and identity in the project are sufficiently separated and justified.</p>	

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	<p>The final funding will take into account the transnational evaluation of the collaborative proposal, the scientific quality of the Spanish group, the added value of the international collaboration, and the financial resources available.</p> <p>The Spanish industrial sector is strongly encouraged to participate in the transnational consortia, principally obtaining funds from the CDTI participating in this transnational call (see CDTI's requirements), from other innovation and technological development funding agencies, or using own funds.</p> <p>All themes in this transnational call are eligible for funding.</p>
<p>Relevant information and documents</p>	<p>Funding Programme: The framework for this funding action is the Plan Estatal de Investigación Científica, Técnica e Innovación 2021-2023. On a national level, the Call will be managed by the Subdivisión de Programas Científico-Técnicos Transversales, Fortalecimiento y Excelencia (STRAN) of the AEI.</p> <p>Funding Instrument: The instrument for funding the Spanish groups requesting funding to the AEI is the corresponding Spanish call “Proyectos de Colaboración Internacional” (PCI) (to be published in due time). As a reference, the applicants are strongly advised to read the call text of the PCI 2022-1 (“Resolución de 8 de marzo de 2022”) and especially the PCI Requirements document on the national call website.</p> <p>Data Protection: By submitting a grant application to the AEI, the applicants consent to communication of the data contained in the application to other public administrations, with the aim of further processing of the data for historical, statistical or scientific purposes, within the framework of the Organic Law 3/2018, of December 5, on Personal Data Protection and Guarantee of Digital Rights.</p> <p>Do No Significant Harm (DNSH) principle: The projects granted under this call must comply with the DNSH criteria (see Article 6.4 of the PCI 2022-1).</p>
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Acknowledgement: Any publication or dissemination activity resulting from the granted projects must acknowledge the AEI funding: “Project (reference nº XX) funded by Agencia Estatal de Investigación (AEI) through the PCI (year) call”.</p>
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>The applicants are strongly advised to read the call text of the PCI 2022-1 (“Resolución de 8 de marzo de 2022”) and especially the PCI Requirements document</p>

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	<p><u>on the national call website, as well as check their eligibility with the National Contact Point prior to the submission.</u></p>
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SPAIN - CDTI

	Funding Organisation:	<p style="text-align: center;">CDTI</p> 
National Contact Point (NCP)	Name:	E-mail:
	Héctor González	partenariadoshe@cdti.es
Eligible Institutions	For-profit enterprises (large or SMEs) established and carrying out RTDI activities in Spain. Other entities such as Universities, Public Research Institutions, Technological Centres, and other not-for-profit private institutions are not eligible.	
Eligible Applicants	For-profit enterprises (large or SMEs) established and carrying out RTDI activities in Spain.	
Eligible Costs	<p>Projects should support transnational collaboration; therefore, no single participant or country can exceed 70% of the total project costs.</p> <p>Eligible costs</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff costs related to technical staff directly involved in the R&D project. Project management costs, max. 58 hours per month (approximately 0,4PM) • Instrument and equipment costs • Implementation costs e.g., technical knowledge, patents, or consultancy services, intended exclusively for the research project and procured from external sources at market price. • Other costs including goods and services to be used exclusively for the research project e.g.: (national) audit costs max 2.000€ per year/beneficiary, travel costs associated with the implementation of the project, (8.000€ max. for the duration of the project). <p>Overheads (indirect costs as a percentage of personnel costs) are calculated automatically by CDTI's electronic submission system.</p> <p>CDTI will only fund technology-based activities within industrial research and/or experimental development projects (in accordance with the definitions of the General Block Exemption Regulation, EC Regulation nº651/2014) representing outstanding scientific-technical quality and high innovative potential.</p> <p>Please note that non-technological activities e.g. developing new business models, are excluded from CDTI funding.</p>	

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	R&D activities to be financed must belong to TRL 4-7 range and be implemented in Spain	
Funding Commitment	Total Amount for the Call (National contribution)	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
	1.200.000 EUR	N/A
Other Funding Criteria	Minimum limit of 175,000 euros of eligible budget per Spanish company in the project.	
Relevant information and documents	<p><u>Each Spanish company participating in a project and requesting funding from CDTI, must apply via CDTI's electronic submission system (https://sede.cdti.gob.es).</u></p> <p>CDTI's application process consists of completing an online application form which is accompanied by a short technical report written in Spanish. The report must focus on the activities (and associated budget) that the company will assume in the project (please check <i>Type of research funded</i> and <i>Eligible costs</i> sections in this table).</p> <p><u>Deadline to complete CDTI's application process: The same end date as the first phase international application.</u></p> <p>Applicants are strongly advised to check the detailed information available on CDTI website and to contact the NCP for advice about national funding rules, before submitting a proposal.</p>	
Additional Info	<u>Please note that failing to comply with the national application process by the deadline, will deem the company ineligible to participate in the call.</u>	
Useful Links	https://www.cdti.es/index.asp?MP=101&MS=936&MN=2	

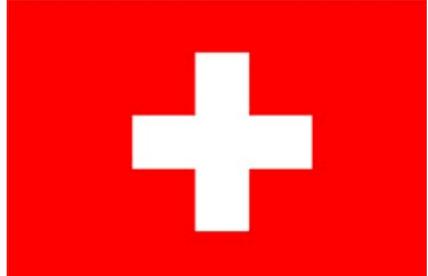
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SWEDEN

	<p>The Swedish Research Council for Environment, Agricultural Sciences and Spatial Planning</p>	
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Kristina Laurell</p>	<p>Kristina.laurell@formas.se +46704404059</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>FORMAS Grants for research projects can only be administered by a Swedish university or other research organizations that fulfil the grant administrating organization eligibility requirements of FORMAS, see: How it work - Formas</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>Principal applicants and co-applicants must have completed their PhD degree and be affiliated with a Swedish higher education institution, research institute or government agency with a research assignment that meets the FORMAS requirements for administrating organisations, see: How it works - Formas</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>FORMAS' standard eligibility criteria for research projects apply, please see Formas' general instructions: How it works - Formas VAT should not be included in the budget figures.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>2.000.000 EUR</p>	<p>Maximum funding from FORMAS is 300,000 € per proposal, or a maximum of 500,000 € per proposal if the Swedish applicant is also the project coordinator (regardless of how many Swedish partners participate in the project).</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>Swedish applicants in a consortium must apply to FORMAS under one single project application. Project duration is 3 years.</p>	
<p>Relevant documents</p>	<p>Applying for funding - Formas</p>	
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>For Swedish applications to FORMAS, both the pre- and full proposal for research projects must be submitted to Water4All. Swedish applicants who have submitted a pre-proposal will be contacted by FORMAS for further information on how to register their proposals with FORMAS. Reports are to be submitted according to the regulations of Water4All and FORMAS.</p>	
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>Formas all calls</p>	

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SWITZERLAND

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	<p>Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF)</p>  <p>Swiss National Science Foundation</p>
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Martina Kern</p>	<p>water4all@snf.ch +41 308 23 24</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Applications must comply with the SNSF Project Funding regulations and practices.</p>	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>All Swiss applicants and co-applicants must be eligible for the SNSF Project Funding Scheme. Please note that applications submitted by a non-eligible person will not be considered nor evaluated. Please refer to the regulations and contact the national contact person for questions and re-assurance. Notice that Switzerland is among the countries involved in the Joint Call, in the category „Third countries and other countries“. Researchers from Switzerland should therefor <u>not</u> be considered as self-funded partners.</p>	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>According to the regulations on project funding (article 8). Overhead contributions cannot be applied for: they are calculated on the basis of the total research funding given to a particular institution through all SNSF funding instruments, and are paid directly to the applicant’s institution on a yearly basis. The SNSF exclusively funds research conducted for purposes that are not directly commercial. Pursuant to the Research and Innovation Promotion Act RIPA and the legal framework of the SNSF, no research grants are awarded if the relevant research is conducted for directly commercial purposes or if the persons involved in the research work are not scientifically independent.</p>	
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>	<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>900.000 EUR</p>	<p>To provide for a greater degree of flexibility, there is no maximum contribution set per project for the Swiss part. Nevertheless, budgets of a collaborative research project must be balanced and the SNSF expects that applicants carefully</p>

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		consider the budgetary request in a relation to the effective needs of the project.
Other Funding Criteria	<p>Article 7.3. of the Regulations on SNSF project funding applies. Swiss based applicants may participate in at most one proposal per call.</p> <p>Partners of the international project consortium applying for funding at other funding agencies than the SNSF cannot be declared as project partners in the sense of article 11.2 of the SNSF Funding Regulations. They should be declared as consortium partners instead and apply for their funding at their respective research funding organisation.</p> <p>Article 17 of the SNSF Funding Regulations only applies in the sense that proposals with overlapping funding periods are only approved if the research projects pursue different goals in the context of this European programme than any ongoing projects by the same applicant.</p> <p>Grants will be managed according to standard SNSF rules. Yearly financial reports for the use of SNSF funds and a scientific report at the end of the project will be required.</p>	
Relevant documents	<p>National Regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SNSF Funding regulations • SNSF Project Funding regulations • General implementation regulations for the Funding Regulations 	
Additional Info	<p>Swiss based partners must provide basic administrative data by submitting administrative applications via the online submission system <i>mySNF</i> for the same deadlines as the consortium applications. For this, Swiss based partners need a personal account on www.mySNF.ch.</p> <p>Please select the “Projects/Partnerships/Water4All” funding instrument when creating the administrative application for the pre-proposal and “Projects/Partnerships/Water4All” if you are invited to submit a proposal for the second stage. The pre-proposal can be used as a template when the full proposal is created in <i>mySNF</i> and should be referred to in the section “Relation to pre-proposal” of the full proposal.</p> <p>In case of funding, consortia including Swiss partners must submit a data management plan (DMP) on <i>mySNF</i> which complies with the SNSF policy on open research data.</p>	
Useful Links	www.snsf.ch	

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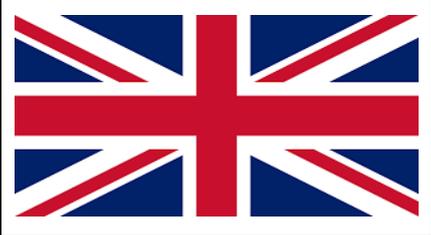
	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>	
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>	<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>AZMi SERHAT YILDIRIM</p>	<p>azmiserhat.yildirim@tubitak.gov.tr +90 312 298 1765</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Higher education institutions, training and research hospitals, public institutions and organizations (including public research centers, metropolitan/city municipalities), SMEs and large companies established in Turkey are eligible to be supported. Applications are NOT accepted from foundations, associations and their economic enterprises, cooperatives, unions, sole proprietorships and unincorporated associations. 	
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Principal Investigator (PI) and Lead Principal Investigator (LPI) from academia are expected to hold PhD. The LPI/PI from public institutions/organizations and private sector are expected to hold at least BA/BSc degree. PI and researchers (except researchers abroad) must reside within the borders of Turkish Republic. A foreign national can take place in the project providing that she/he is employed at an institution within the borders of Turkish Republic. 	
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel Expenses (For private sector only) Consumable Expenses. Travel Expenses Service Procurement Expenses (Consultancy and service purchase expenses from national and international project partners are not supported). Tools and Equipment Expenses. Scholarship expenses (For universities and public sector only) Project Incentive Premium (PIP) and overhead (For universities and public sector only) <p>A balanced distribution between the project budget items is required.</p>	

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	Total Amount for the Call	Maximum Amount Per Proposal
Funding Commitment	500.000 EUR	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The size of the grant may vary depending of the needs of each project and must be fully justified. TÜBİTAK-funded costs of each grant will be issued and managed by TÜBİTAK according to its funding guidelines and procedures.
Other Funding Criteria	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be a researcher in a project, contribution rate to project should be equal or over 10%. In order to assign an advisor to a project, the project must have specific topics or topics that require special expertise, and this should be justified in the project proposal. The number of advisors who will be employed in a project is limited to the number of topics required for that particular project. Public institutions and universities can hire scholars for their projects. "Students" who are studying their undergraduate and postgraduate education in higher education institutions in Turkey or "Research Assistants" (RA) in student status and postdoctoral researchers can take place in the project team as scholars. 	
Relevant documents	<p>https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/sites/default/files/yonetmelik_iii_2_0.pdf</p> <p>https://tubitak.gov.tr/sites/default/files/32_YK_Islenmis_Hali-ARDEB_Idari_Mali_Esaslar.pdf</p> <p>https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/sites/default/files/250_sayili_bilim_kurulu_karari_islenmis_hali_son.pdf</p> <p>https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/sites/default/files/tubitak_tarafindan_ozel_kuruluslar_ve_vakif_universitelerine_proje_karsiligi_yeni_2.pdf</p>	
Additional Info		
Useful Links	<p>https://www.tubitak.gov.tr/en</p>	

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UNITED KINGDOM

	<p>Funding Organisation:</p>		 <p>Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council</p>
<p>National Contact Point (NCP)</p>	<p>Name:</p>		<p>Email and Phone:</p>
	<p>Maria Calderon Munoz</p>		<p>EngineeringPeerReview@epsrc.ukri.org</p>
<p>Eligible Institutions</p>	<p>Only Research Organisations eligible for UKRI funding can apply. For more information go to: https://www.ukri.org/apply-for-funding/before-you-apply/check-if-you-are-eligible-for-research-and-innovation-funding/who-can-apply-for-funding/#contents-list</p>		
<p>Eligible Applicants</p>	<p>For UK applicants, the standard UKRI eligibility criteria apply. See the Funding guide on the EPSRC website: https://epsrc.ukri.org/funding/applicationprocess/fundingguide/</p>		
<p>Eligible Costs</p>	<p>For eligible costs please see: https://www.ukri.org/councils/epsrc/guidance-for-applicants/costs-you-can-apply-for/</p>		
<p>Funding Commitment</p>	<p>Total Amount for the Call</p>		<p>Maximum Amount Per Proposal</p>
	<p>£250.000 100% FEC (€ 299.546)</p>		<p>£125.000 100% FEC (€ 149.773)</p>
<p>Other Funding Criteria</p>	<p>The UK component of the proposal must be at least 50% within EPSRC's remit. More information can be found here: https://www.ukri.org/councils/epsrc/guidance-for-applicants/epsrc-remit/ In line with UKRI funding guidelines, proposals will be funded at 80% FEC. PhD studentships cannot be included.</p>		
<p>Relevant documents</p>			
<p>Additional Info</p>	<p>Open data: UKRI is strongly committed to opening up research data for scrutiny and reuse, to enable high-quality research, drive innovation and increase public trust in research. See our open data policy here: https://www.ukri.org/publications/ukri-open-access-policy/</p>		
<p>Useful Links</p>	<p>https://www.ukri.org/ https://www.ukri.org/councils/epsrc/</p>		