Europe’s world class research and technology infrastructures as strategic assets for talent to Choose Europe

Horizon Europe

PENDING

Code
HORIZON-BRIDGING-2027-03-07

Scope
International - Europe

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FINANCIAL DETAILS

Support type
Non-Refundable

Maximum Funding Rate
100%

Budget
7.5M€

Eligible Project Value
Up to 1.5M€

Bonuses & Majorations

- Gender-balanced participation in project activities
- Inclusion of ESFRI Landmarks and/or ERICs as beneficiaries
- Collaboration with the European Commission's Joint Research Centre (JRC) where relevant
- Coverage of as many thematic areas as possible for balanced portfolio

The support is provided as a non-refundable lump sum grant under Horizon Europe Coordination and Support Actions (CSA). Each grant is set at 1.500.000 EUR, with a total topic budget of 7.500.000 EUR and an expected five grants to be awarded. Eligible costs are covered as a lump sum, simplifying financial management for beneficiaries.

DATES & DEADLINES

Opening Date
March 9, 2027

Deadline
June 15, 2027 at 05:00 PM

OBJECTIVES

This call aims to leverage Europe's world-class research and technology infrastructures to attract global scientific talent and strengthen Europe's position as a preferred partner for international scientific cooperation. The initiative supports the creation of interconnected international scientific networks centered around European research and technology infrastructures, including their university partners and alliances. It seeks to promote Europe as a destination for top scientific talent and to enhance the visibility and communication of European infrastructures as world-class hubs for science and innovation. Eligible applicants are consortia that must include at least one ESFRI Landmark and/or European Research Infrastructure Consortium (ERIC) as a beneficiary. Legal entities from EU Member States, Associated Countries, and, in exceptional cases, non-associated third countries may participate. The Joint Research Centre (JRC) may participate as a beneficiary with zero funding or as an associated partner.

ELIGIBLE EXPENSES

- Personnel Costs
- Travel costs
- Equipment costs
- Other goods, works and services costs
- Subcontracting
- Indirect Costs

ELIGIBILITY

Application Mode
Consortium / Copromotion

Company Typologies

- Micro
- SME
- Small Mid-Cap
- Mid-Cap
- Large
- Private non-profit entities
- Public entities

Action Types

- Building international scientific networks around European research and technology infrastructures
- Partnering with non-associated third-country scientific institutions and universities
- Organising joint workshops, training programmes, summer schools, and scientific visits
- Promoting uptake of European research practices in other world regions

- Supporting design of distributed research ecosystems, including data and cloud platforms
- Targeted dissemination and outreach activities for international engagement
- Production of reusable communication assets and coordinated presence at international fora
- Reinforcing links with initiatives such as EURAXESS
- Promoting gender-balanced participation in scientific activities
- Coordination and Support Action

EU PROGRAMME DETAILS

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Cluster
Horizontal Activities

Destination
Bridging Actions

Submission Mode
single-stage

EU Contribution
€1,500,000.00 per project

Expected Projects
5

Funding Rate Rule
Up to 100% of eligible costs for Coordination and Support Actions (CSA)

OFFICIAL LINKS

Official Regulation
https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/HORIZON-BRIDGING-2027-03-07

Grantavia page
https://grantavia.com/en/incentives/europes-world-class-research-and-technology-infrastructures-as-strategic-assets-for-talent-to-choose-europe

Schedule a meeting
https://calendly.com/filipa-silva-epsa/reuniao