



BANDI & OPPORTUNITÀ DALL'UE



Selezione periodica, a cura di Confindustria Piemonte, delle *call for proposals* aperte e in apertura, ritenute di maggiore interesse per la manifattura piemontese, sui principali programmi europei a gestione diretta (Horizon Europe, Single Market Programme, Life, Digital Europe...) e relativi "cascade funding".

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CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

Attraverso i programmi europei a gestione diretta, l'UE sostiene finanziariamente lo sviluppo di progetti che contribuiscono a realizzare gli obiettivi politici della Commissione per la programmazione 2021-2027. Tali programmi prevedono specifiche **call for proposals** pubblicate e gestite direttamente dalla Commissione europea e dalle sue Agenzie esecutive. Ciascun programma può prevedere regole di candidatura distinte e

anche le modalità di gestione e rendicontazione delle attività realizzate e delle relative spese possono essere diverse.

LIFE Programme: 2022 Calls for proposals

On May 17th the European Commission has launched the LIFE Programme 2022 Calls for project proposals. This year, there is €598 million available for nature conservation, environmental protection, climate action, and clean energy transition projects. LIFE funds projects under its four sub-programmes:

- nature and biodiversity - €242 million
- circular economy and quality of life - €158 million
- climate change mitigation and adaptation - €99 million
- clean energy transition - €98 million

Funding programme: LIFE Programme

Deadlines: September 8th / October 4th / November 16th 2022 (depending on the call)

Applicants: legal entities established in different EU Member States or LIFE Programme associated countries

Activity sector: multiple

Partnership: depending on the call

More info: [EULife22 Info Days](#) e [Webinar Confindustria](#)

Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) Programme: Transport - Alternative Fuels Infrastructure Facility

With a total budget of €375 million, this call aims at supporting the deployment of Alternative Fuel supply infrastructure, contributing to decarbonising transport along the TEN-T network, including the following topics:
CEF-T-2021-AFIFCOEN-UNITS: Alternative Fuel Infrastructure Facility - Unit Contributions
CEF-T-2021-AFIFCOEN-WORKS-ZE: Alternative Fuel Infrastructure Facility - Works - Zero Emissions
CEF-T-2021-AFIFCOEN-WORKS-LNG: Alternative Fuel Infrastructure Facility - Works – LNG

Funding programme: Connecting Europe Facility (CEF) Programme

Call & Topic ID: CEF 2 Transport - Alternative Fuels Infrastructure Facility - Cohesion envelope (CEF-T-2021-AFIFCOEN)

Next deadlines: June 7th; November 10th 2022

Applicants: legal entities (public or private bodies) established in different EU Member States or associated countries

Activity sector: transport

Partnership: not required

Horizon Europe: EIC Scale-Up 100 call (Coordination and support action)

The European Innovation Council (EIC) has launched the EIC Scale-Up 100 call (coordination and support action) targeting business support organisations, to identify, promote, and support the growth of 100 promising deep tech companies that show the potential to become 'unicorns' (with a value of over €1 billion). The winning entity or consortia will receive European Commission's funding to help companies develop their corporate and leadership strategies, reach strategic investors and partners, expand internationally and obtain access to other scale-up support programmes.

Funding programme: Horizon Europe – European Innovation Council

Call & Topic ID: EIC Scale Up 100 (HORIZON-EIC-2022-SCALEUP-01)

Deadline: October 5th 2022

Applicants: business support organisations

Activity sector: scale-up support

Partnership: optional

More Info: [EIC Scale up 100 Info Day](#) (onsite)

CASCADE FUNDING

Il supporto finanziario a parti terze o "cascade funding" è un meccanismo di finanziamento della Commissione europea attraverso cui il consorzio beneficiario è incaricato di distribuire sovvenzioni ad entità terze attraverso le cosiddette "open calls". Accedere a una sovvenzione derivante da una open call consente di ricevere un finanziamento pubblico per eseguire specifiche attività di ricerca e innovazione (studi, esperimenti, azioni pilota) senza dover incorrere negli oneri burocratici delle tradizionali call for proposals.

NEW: la Commissione europea ha messo a disposizione delle imprese una nuova [pagina dedicata alle open call all'interno del Funding & Tenders Portal](#).

AI REGIO 2nd Open Call

The objective for the second open call of AI REGIO project is to select up to 17 SME-driven experiments:

- 10 Type A experiments: Single participant (SME) projects, applicable to TOPIC #1 and TOPIC #2
- 7 Type B experiments: Mini-consortia (SME + DIH + optional third partner), applicable to all the topics:

Topic #1: Manufacturing Data Spaces and Data4AI pipelines

Topic #2: AI for Manufacturing Applications and AI-on-demand Platform contributions

Topic #3: AI Didactic Factories for Manufacturing and TERESA Experimentations

Selected SME or consortia will benefit from financial support of up to EUR 100.000.

Deadline: July 29th 2022

Applicants: SMEs and Digital Innovation Hubs

Activity sector: AI for Manufacturing

Partnership: Type A: not required / Type B: required

i4Trust 2nd Open Call

i4Trust is an EU-funded incubator offering a dedicated incubation programme to EU-based SMEs, slightly bigger companies and Digital Innovation Hubs in a form of bottom-up experiments to understand the demand for data, establish data-sharing partnerships and identify concrete use cases relying on trusted and effective sharing of data. Selected SMEs and DIHs will receive up to €120,000 per consortium to design and execute their business case that offers potential socio-economic gains for data sharing and re-use in many applications.

Deadline: September 12th 2022

Applicants: SMEs and Digital Innovation Hubs

Activity sector: data sharing

Partnership: required: consortia should include at least 4 entities per experiment, 1 DIH and a minimum of 3 SMEs. One of the SMEs should be appointed as the coordinator of the experiment.

FORTHCOMING

Horizon Europe: Digital and emerging technologies for competitiveness and fit for the Green Deal (multiple topics)

Proposals for topics under this Destination should set out a credible pathway to contributing to the following expected impact: open strategic autonomy in digital technologies and in future emerging enabling technologies, by strengthening European capacities in key parts of digital and future supply chains, allowing agile responses to urgent needs, and by investing in early discovery and industrial uptake of new technologies.

Funding programme: Horizon Europe – Cluster 4 Digital, Industry and Space

Call & Topic ID: Digital and emerging technologies for competitiveness and fit for the green deal (HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02)

Planned opening date: June 16th 2022

Deadline: November 16th 2022

Applicants: profit entities (Startups, SMEs, large companies); universities; public/private research centres; public administration; non-profit entities

Activity sector: digital and future emerging enabling technologies

Partnership: required (at least 3 independent legal entities established in different EU Member States or Horizon Europe associated countries).



RDRHR20220510003: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02: seeking for partners from Industry and Academia from EU 27, UK, and Norway

Horizon Europe: European Innovation Ecosystems upcoming calls

The European Commission has adopted the amended European Innovation Ecosystems (EIE) 2021-2022 Work Programme under Horizon Europe. It provides new funding opportunities for deep-tech start-ups led by women and the EU angel investment industry on top of existing actions that aim to create more connected and efficient innovation ecosystems.

Funding programme: Horizon Europe – European Innovation Ecosystems

Planned opening date: June 2022

Deadline: September 2022

Applicants: (Women led) SMEs and start-ups, incubators, accelerators, research institutions and technological organisations, public authorities, public-owned enterprises.

Activity sector: support to innovation ecosystems

Partnership: depending on the call

EVENTS

EIC's Women Leadership Programme 2022 Launching Event

Online, May 20th 2022

Tech is increasingly shaping every aspect of our daily lives and it is crucial that women have an equal say in shaping tech. To reinforce women in tech business, the European Innovation Council (EIC) is launching the 2022 Women Leadership Programme, taking place online on 20 May 2022 (10:00 – 11:30). Registration available [here](#) by May 19th.

Webinar Confindustria: I bandi LIFE 2022

Online, June 9th 2022

La Delegazione di Bruxelles, in collaborazione con l'Area Politiche Industriali e l'Area Scienze della Vita e Ricerca di Confindustria, organizza un webinar per illustrare i nuovi bandi del programma LIFE, pubblicati dalla Commissione europea il 17 maggio 2022. All'incontro interverrà Angelo Salsi dell'Agenzia esecutiva europea per il clima, l'infrastruttura e l'ambiente (CINEA). L'appuntamento è gratuito ed è rivolto alle Associazioni del Sistema e alle imprese associate. Iscrizione disponibile [qui](#).

Interregional Innovation Investments (I3) Instrument online information day

Online, June 23rd 2022

The European Innovation Council and SMEs Executive Agency (EISMEA) organises online information day to learn more about the Interregional Innovation Investment (I3) Instrument new calls. The I3 Instrument work programme aims at promoting innovation through smart specialisation and interregional collaboration. Agenda and more information will follow. Registration available [here](#).



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