



## BANDI & OPPORTUNITÀ DALL'UE



Selezione periodica, a cura di Confindustria Piemonte, delle *calls 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 **calls 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.

### **Horizon Europe: Expanding Entrepreneurial Ecosystems (Coordination and Support Action)**

The Expanding Entrepreneurial Ecosystems should enhance entrepreneurial skills of youth in 'modest' and 'moderate' innovation ecosystems by supporting entrepreneurial education through programmes designed in closed collaboration with the private sector and business acceleration entities. The proposals should leverage on the best practices of the private sector in Europe's well performing innovation hubs and the existing collaboration with educational institutions.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe – European Innovation Ecosystems

**Call & Topic ID:** Elevating the scalability potential of European business (2022.1) (HORIZON-EIE-2022-SCALEUP-01)

**Deadline:** May 10<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Applicants:** Vocational schools, higher education establishments, public authorities in the field of education and employment, SMEs, corporations.

**Thematic areas:** entrepreneurial education

**Partnership:** Consortia must have at least 3 independent legal entities, of which at least 1 is established in 'modest' or 'moderate' innovator region and at least 1 in 'strong' or 'innovation leader' innovator region according to the [Regional Innovation Scoreboard](#).

### **Erasmus+: Alliances for Education and Enterprises**

Alliances for Education and Enterprises bring together enterprises and both higher education and vocational training providers to work together in partnership. Operating within one economic sector or several different economic sectors, they create reliable and sustainable relations and demonstrate their innovative and transnational character in all aspects. While each partnership must include at least one VET and one higher education organisation, they can address either both or one of these educational fields.

**Funding programme:** Erasmus+

**Call & Topic ID:** Partnerships for Innovation: Alliances (ERASMUS-EDU-2022-PI-ALL-INNO)

**Deadline:** September 15<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Applicants:** public or private organisations legally established in an EU Member State or third country associated to the Programme or in any third country not associated to the Programme, including Small and medium-sized or large enterprises (including social enterprises), intermediaries that represent education, training or youth organisations or enterprises, sectoral or professional associations.

**Thematic areas:** vocational education / digital skills / green skills

**Partnership:** Minimum 8 full partners including at least 3 labour market actors (enterprises or companies, or representative intermediary organisations, such as chambers, trade unions or trade associations) and at least 3 education and training providers (VET and HEIs), as full partners.

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## **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 calls for proposals.*

### **EIC-EIT Digital Venture Acceleration Programme (for EIC beneficiaries and Seal of Excellence holders)**

The EIC - EIT Digital Venture Acceleration Programme welcomes all EIC Accelerator companies and Seal-of-Excellence recipients to apply for the EIT Digital Accelerator scaleup programme and to be supported by venture capital experts & business experts specialized in deep tech. The EIT Digital Accelerator leverages a pan-European network of investors and top corporations to help companies not just raise funding, but also expand their market share as well as acquire international customers.

**Deadline:** May 10<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Applicants:** EIC/SME Instrument beneficiaries or Seal of Excellence holders

**Activity sector:** digital technologies

**Partnership:** not required

### **NEDO Supply Chain Data Challenge**

NEDO (New Energy and Industrial Technology Development Organization) of Japan, is inviting corporations, individuals, and groups to submit ideas and systems that contribute to the development of supply chain

monitoring and management by combining various types of information, including satellite images and other mobile data. Innovative and outstanding solutions will be awarded by NEDO.

**Deadline:** May 17<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Applicants:** companies of any size

**Activity sector:** Supply chain management technologies

**Partnership:** not required

### **AMULET 1st Open Call**

The H2020-INNOSUP-1 project AMULET published its first open call for cascade funding for SMEs, with a budget of 1.277 M euros. The goal of AMULET is to create new value chains through projects that will foster the penetration of advanced lightweight materials in specific sectors. AMULET will select up to 36 projects invited to a Jury Day, from which up to 26 will pass to the programme support services, and out of them, up to 7 will complete the full programme, following a funnel approach:

- up to 26 consortia (2-3 SMEs) to submit a feasibility study: 23.000 €
- up to 7 consortia (2-3 SMEs) to demonstrate their solutions: 80.000 €
- up to 7 consortia (2-3 SMEs) to get follow-up support services: 17.000 €

**Deadline:** June 30<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Applicants:** SMEs

**Activity sector:** automotive; aerospace and aeronautics; energy; building.

**Partnership:** required (minimum 2 SMEs)

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## **FORTHCOMING**

### **Horizon Europe: Designing inclusive, safe, affordable and sustainable urban mobility (Innovation Action)**

In line with the provisions under the implementation plan of the Cities Mission that specifies its goals and objectives, actions envisaged by the topics of this Work Programme will provide a strong and direct support to cities that will commit to climate neutrality and enable them to roll out their climate action plans and achieve climate neutrality by 2030, in synergy with significant progress towards zero pollution. In turn, the cities benefitting from these actions will act as experimentation and innovation hubs for other cities to become climate-neutral by 2050.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe – Mission: Climate neutral and smart cities

**Call & Topic ID:** Research and Innovation actions for support the implementation of the Climate-neutral and Smart Cities Mission (HORIZON-MISS-2022-CIT-01)

**Planned opening date:** April 28<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Deadline:** September 6<sup>th</sup> 2022

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

**Activity sector:** urban mobility solutions

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

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## **EVENTS**

### **Webinar: Innovation Fund - Bando per small scale projects**

*Online, April 29<sup>th</sup> 2022*

La Delegazione di Bruxelles, l'Area Politiche Industriali e l'Area Scienze della Vita e Ricerca di Confindustria organizzano un webinar di approfondimento sul bando recentemente pubblicato dalla Commissione europea nell'ambito dell'Innovation Fund, riguardante i progetti small scale. Per partecipare è necessario iscriversi a questo [link](#).

### **I partenariati in Horizon Europe: struttura, novità e opportunità. Focus sul cluster 5**

*Online, May 17<sup>th</sup> 2022*

La Delegazione di Bruxelles, in collaborazione con l'Area Scienze della Vita e Ricerca di Confindustria, organizza il secondo appuntamento del ciclo di webinar sui partenariati pubblico-privati nell'ambito dei programmi di finanziamento a gestione diretta, in particolare del Programma Horizon Europe. Il secondo appuntamento si terrà il 17 maggio 2022, alle ore 11.00 e sarà dedicato al cluster 5: dopo una panoramica generale sul cluster, verranno presentate le partnership "Towards zero-emission road transport" e "Clean Hydrogen". Per partecipare è necessario iscriversi a questo [link](#).

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## **A.A.A. PARTNER CERCASI**

Gli uffici di Confindustria Piemonte, oltre a diffondere le opportunità di partnership internazionali, sono a disposizione per creare apposite ricerche partner delle aziende piemontesi e promuoverle attraverso il database gestito in esclusiva dal network EEN.

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