



## 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.

### Alliances for Education and Enterprises

Alliances for Education and Enterprises are transnational, structured and result-driven projects, in which partners share common goals and work together to foster innovation, new skills, a sense of initiative and entrepreneurial mind-sets.

**Funding programme:** Erasmus+ - Partnerships for Innovation: Alliances

**Deadline:** September 7<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** enterprises, higher education and vocational training providers

**Activity sector:** sectoral / cross-sectoral activities

**Partnership:** required

### Alliances for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills (implementing the 'Blueprint')

This call aims to create new strategic approaches and cooperation for concrete skills development solutions – both in the short and the medium term – in given economic sectors, or in areas implementing a major action of the European Skills Agenda for sustainable competitiveness, social fairness and resilience, the Pact for Skills.

**Funding programme:** Erasmus+ - Partnerships for Innovation: Alliances

**Deadline:** September 7<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** enterprises, higher education and vocational training providers

**Activity sectors:** Tourism; Mobility-Transport-Automotive; Aerospace & Defence; Construction; Agri-food; Low-carbon energy Intensive Industries; Textile; Creative & Cultural Industries; Digital; Renewable Energy; Electronics; Retail; Proximity & Social Economy; Health.

**Partnership:** required

### EIC Pathfinder Open 2021

EIC Pathfinder Open supports early stage development of radically new technology, with potential to create new markets and/or to address global challenges (e.g. various activities at low Technology Readiness Levels 1-4).

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Pathfinder Open 2021

**Next deadline:** May 19<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** universities, research organisations, SMEs, start-ups, industrial partners or natural persons

**Activity sector:** any field of technology or application

**Partnership:** required

\*Partner searches:



**[RDUK20210505001](#)**: Horizon Europe - UK company seeking partners for EIC Pathfinder call on gait analysis



**[RDGR20210422001](#)**: Seeking for elevator or automations manufacturer for Horizon Europe EIC Pathfinder Open 2021 proposal

### EIC Accelerator Open

The EIC Accelerator supports the later stages of technology development as well as scale-up. The technology component of your innovation must therefore have been tested and validated in a laboratory or other relevant environment (e.g. at least Technology Readiness Level 5/6 or higher).

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Accelerator Open 2021

**New deadline:** June 16<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** Startups, Innovative SMEs, Small Mid-Caps

**Activity sector:** any field of technology or application

**Partnership:** not required

### EIC Accelerator Challenges 2021: Green Deal innovations for the Economic Recovery

You should apply to the EIC Accelerator Challenge – Green Deal innovations for the Economic Recovery, if your project supports the Green Deal implementation by significantly contributing to at least one of the sustainability goals described in the call.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Accelerator Challenges 2021

**New deadline:** June 16<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** Startups, Innovative SMEs, Small Mid-Caps

**Activity sector:** Sustainability

**Partnership:** not required

### **EIC Accelerator Challenges 2021: Strategic Digital and Health Technologies**

You should apply to the EIC Accelerator Challenge – Strategic Digital and Health Technologies, if you believe that your company has the potential to be a global leader in developing strategic solutions in digital or healthcare technologies.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Accelerator Challenges 2021

**New deadline:** June 16<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** Startups, Innovative SMEs, Small Mid-Caps

**Activity sector:** Digital / Healthcare

**Partnership:** not required

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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.*

### **KYKLOS 4.0 – Open call #1**

The KYKLOS4.0 Open Call #1 is looking for SME-led consortia of up to three entities to submit project proposals for the development of innovative solutions to improve digital manufacturing processes. Each selected project will be funded with up to €150.000 (for consortia of three entities).

**Deadline:** June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** SMEs

**Activity sector:** digital manufacturing

**Partnership:** required

### **DIGITbrain First Open Call**

This first Open Call is focused on attracting Third Parties to perform experiments to validate the DIGITbrain solution and to make SMEs more competitive by transferring innovative solutions into the wider manufacturing community.

**Deadline:** June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** End users (manufacturing companies): SMEs and mid-caps; Technical partners: Independent Software Vendors, Engineering or Software Consultants, Research Organisations; Other: Digital Innovation Hubs, High Performance Computing providers.

**Activity sector:** digital technologies

**Partnership:** required

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## **FORTHCOMING**

### **EIC Transition Open 2021**

The EIC Transition Open aims at funding innovation activities that go beyond the experimental proof of principle in laboratory, by supporting both the maturation and validation of a novel technology, and the development of a business case and business model towards the innovation’s future commercialisation.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Transition Open 2021

**Planned opening date:** May 19<sup>th</sup> 2021

**Deadline:** September 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021

**Applicants:** SMEs, research organisations

**Activity sector:** any field of technology or application

**Partnership:** optional

### **EIC Transition Challenges 2021: Energy Harvesting and Storage Technologies**

The proposals are expected to develop energy storage technologies or combined energy harvesting/storage technologies ready for investment and business development, with the perspective to capture specific systems integration opportunities.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Transition Challenges 2021  
**Planned opening date:** May 19<sup>th</sup> 2021  
**Deadline:** September 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021  
**Applicants:** SMEs, research organisations  
**Activity sector:** Energy technologies  
**Partnership:** optional

### **EIC Transition Challenges 2021: Medical Technology and Devices: from Lab to Patient**

Proposal submitted to this call can target any technology addressing important health needs in the direct clinical treatment and care of patients. A well thought-out and realistic exploitation path with emphasis on achieving market traction as proof of both clinical and market potential of the idea is needed.

**Funding programme:** Horizon Europe - EIC Transition Challenges 2021  
**Planned opening date:** May 19<sup>th</sup> 2021  
**Deadline:** September 22<sup>nd</sup> 2021  
**Applicants:** SMEs, research organisations  
**Activity sector:** Medical technologies and devices  
**Partnership:** optional

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## **EVENTI**

### **Ciclo di webinar “Direzione Horizon Europe” – Quinto appuntamento: "L'approccio di Horizon Europe alle sfide dei cambiamenti climatici e della gestione delle risorse idriche"**

*Online, 12 maggio 2021*

Il quinto appuntamento del [ciclo di webinar “Direzione: Horizon Europe”](#) si terrà mercoledì 12 maggio 2021 dalle ore 14.30 e sarà dedicato agli strumenti di finanziamento messi a disposizione dall'Unione Europea per il contrasto ai cambiamenti climatici e la gestione sostenibile delle risorse idriche. Il webinar, organizzato da Confindustria Piemonte, nell'ambito della rete EEN, in collaborazione con l'Unione Industriale di Torino e il Polo Clever, è gratuito e non necessita di iscrizione. Per partecipare è sufficiente collegarsi a questo [LINK](#). Per informazioni: [een@confindustria.piemonte.it](mailto:een@confindustria.piemonte.it)

### **Webinar “Ricerca collaborativa e autonomia strategica: il supporto del Fondo europeo per la Difesa”**

*Online, 20 maggio 2021*

Nell'ambito del ciclo di webinar sulla nuova programmazione 2021-2027, la Delegazione di Confindustria Bruxelles, l'Area Politiche Industriali e AIAD organizzano un webinar dedicato allo European Defence Fund, giovedì 20 maggio 2021 dalle 15.00 alle 17.00. Al webinar potranno partecipare le Associazioni del Sistema e le imprese associate. Per iscriversi al webinar è necessario compilare il seguente [form](#) entro le ore 18:00 del 18 maggio 2021. Gli iscritti riceveranno successivamente una email di conferma di avvenuta iscrizione e una seconda mail con il link per il webinar il giorno precedente all'evento.

### **Webinar ‘The Funding & Tenders Portal for beginners’**

*Online, 27 maggio 2021*

The Funding & Tenders Portal is the single gateway for participants in many EU funding programmes and procurement actions. This webinar is addressed in the first instance to (potential) new users of the Portal. We will explain and demonstrate the search for funding opportunities and partners, registration of your organisation, submission of proposals, managing your profile, exploring funded projects and statistics, and many more features. The participation does not require pre-registration; access will be via YouTube web stream only. All details are available [here](#).

### **MOBILITY & TRANSPORT DAYS - Virtual Information & Brokerage Event**

*Online, 27 maggio – 1 giugno 2021*

Confindustria Piemonte, in qualità di partner della rete Enterprise Europe Network, promuove la partecipazione delle imprese piemontesi all'iniziativa [Mobility & Transport Days](#), che si terrà dal 27 maggio al 1 giugno prossimi, in modalità completamente virtuale, attraverso la piattaforma B2match. L'evento prevede una sessione informativa sulle prossime call di Horizon Europe in ambito mobilità e trasporti, seguita da un “pitch” di presentazione di possibili idee progettuali e da un brokerage event per la ricerca partner gestito dalla rete EEN.

La partecipazione all'evento è gratuita, previa [registrazione](#) entro il prossimo 25 maggio.  
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