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1. /BMBF*/ „Additive Fertigung“ mit der Republik Indien (2 + 2 Projekte), Frist: 25.02.2021 (MEZ), 1. Stufe

Indien zählt zu den strategischen Partnerländern Deutschlands, insbesondere im Bereich der wissenschaftlich-technologischen Zusammenarbeit (WTZ). Um diese Kooperation auszubauen, haben das Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung (BMBF) und das indische „Department of Science and Technology“ (DST) 2010 das „Indo-German Science and Technology Centre“ (IGSTC) gegründet. Wesentliches Ziel des IGSTC ist es, die Zusammenarbeit zwischen akademischen und industriellen Partnern beider Länder im Bereich der industriellen Forschung und experimentellen Entwicklung zu fördern.

Mit dem gesetzten thematischen Schwerpunkt wird das Rahmenprogramm „Innovationen für die Produktion, Dienstleistung und Arbeit von morgen“ um eine bilaterale deutsch-indische Komponente erweitert. Die Fördermaßnahme richtet sich insbesondere an kleine und mittlere Unternehmen (KMU), die sich im Markt etablieren und wettbewerbsfähiger werden wollen.

Die Produktion von Gütern hat sowohl für Deutschland als auch zunehmend für Indien eine hohe Bedeutung mit Bezug auf die gesamte Wirtschaftsleistung. Der Nutzen von Produkten wird zunehmend durch innovative, technikbasierte Dienstleistungen erhöht. Forschung und Entwicklung sind Ausgangspunkt für die Etablierung neuer Produktionstechnologien. Besondere Bedeutung nehmen hier KMU ein, die nicht nur wesentlicher Innovationsmotor sind, sondern auch eine wichtige Nahtstelle für den Transfer von Forschungsergebnissen aus der Wissenschaft in die Wirtschaft darstellen. Auf diese Weise sichern Investitionen in Forschung und Entwicklung Arbeitsplätze und den Lebensstandard in der Zukunft. Gefördert werden im Rahmen dieser Fördermaßnahme Forschungsprojekte als Verbundvorhaben, die entsprechend des oben beschriebenen Zweckes in internationaler Zusammenarbeit mit Partnern aus Indien eines oder mehrere der nachfolgenden Schwerpunktthemen im Bereich Additive Fertigung bearbeiten:

- o Neue Materialien für Additive Fertigung
- o Gedruckte und tragbare Elektronik
- o Additive Fertigung im Großmaßstab
- o In situ Prozessüberwachung und -kontrolle
- o Mithilfe von 3D-Druckverfahren hergestellte biomedizinische Produkte und Implantate

Vorhaben, die sich mit der biologischen Transformation der industriellen Wertschöpfung befassen, sind von besonderem Interesse. Ziel dieser ist die Steigerung der Wertschöpfung durch Anwendung von Erkenntnissen aus der Natur und deren Umsetzung in technische Lösungen.

Antragsberechtigt sind Unternehmen der gewerblichen Wirtschaft, insbesondere KMU, sowie Hochschulen, außeruniversitäre Forschungseinrichtungen und andere Institutionen, die Forschungsbeiträge liefern.

Das Antragsverfahren ist zweistufig angelegt.

Mit der Abwicklung der Fördermaßnahme hat das BMBF derzeit folgenden Projektträger beauftragt:

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<https://www.bmbf.de/foerderungen/bekanntmachung-3238.html>
<http://www.internationales-buero.de>

2. /DFG/ Joint Sino-German Research Projects 2021 in Chemistry, Life Sciences, Medical Sciences and Management Sciences (NSFC-DFG 2021), Deadline: 3 March 2021

The Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation) and the National Natural Science Foundation of China (NSFC) are continuing their long-standing collaboration in the field of joint Sino-German research projects.

This initiative aims to bring together relevant and competitive researchers from Germany and China to design and carry out jointly organised research projects of outstanding scientific quality. Funding within this initiative will be available for collaborative research projects consisting of researchers from both partner countries. Within these research teams, each national funding organisation will generally only fund those project components that are carried out within its own country. The collaborative research projects must involve active communication and cooperation between the participating researchers.

The present initiative is open to joint research projects in the fields of chemistry, life sciences, medical sciences and management sciences. A further call for proposals, dedicated to the fields of mathematics and physics, geosciences, engineering and material sciences and information sciences, is scheduled for launch at the end of 2021 with a tentative deadline in February 2022.

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www.dfg.de/foerderung/info_wissenschaft/2020/info_wissenschaft_20_88

3. /DFG/ Taiwan-German International Research Training Groups, Deadline: 30 June 2021, first stage

The Ministry of Science and Technology of Taiwan (MoST) and the Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft (DFG, German Research Foundation) are pleased to announce a standing open call for proposals for German-Taiwanese International Research Training Groups (IRTG) with two application deadlines per year.

International Research Training Groups (IRTG) are structured doctoral programmes run by German universities in conjunction with universities in Taiwan. As bilateral collaborations, they provide a structured research training programme for doctoral researchers. IRTG promote systematic research cooperation through joint research and qualification programmes as well as through cooperative cross-border supervision of doctoral researchers. A central feature of International Research Training Groups are the coordinated and reciprocal research visits by doctoral researchers at the respective partner institutions.

The application is carried out in two stages. Draft proposals are prepared jointly by the German-Taiwanese applicant group in accordance with the proposal preparation guidelines of DFG (see below). Draft proposals are submitted in parallel to both organisations and shall be reviewed by both organisations separately. The results of the review process will be shared between the agencies. Applications evaluated positively on both sides will be invited to the full proposal stage. The full proposals will again be prepared jointly by the Taiwanese-German applicant group, according to the DFG proposal preparation instructions. Full proposals are submitted in parallel to both organisations and will be reviewed by both organisations. Support will be granted for those proposals where both DFG and MoST recommend funding.

For the first round of applications, the following schedule applies:

- o Submission of draft proposals no later than: 30 June 2021
- o Submission of full proposals no later than: 1 April 2022
- o Grant decisions: November 2022
- o Start of funding: April 2023

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www.dfg.de/foerderung/info_wissenschaft/2020/info_wissenschaft_20_89

4. /Aif*/ ZIM: Vorankündigung: 4. Ausschreibung für Deutsch-Schwedische FuE-Projekte

Die nächste Ausschreibung für Deutsch-Schwedische FuE-Projekte öffnet voraussichtlich im Februar 2021. Die Antragstellung wird zum vierten Mal werden deutsche mittelständische Unternehmen eingeladen, mit ihren schwedischen Kooperationspartnern Anträge für gemeinsame FuE-Projekte einzureichen.

Die Fördermittel werden jeweils aus den nationalen Programmen bereitgestellt - in Deutschland durch das Zentrale Innovationsprogramm Mittelstand (ZIM), in Schweden durch Vinnova, die Staatliche Schwedische Agentur für Innovationssysteme. Weitere Informationen zu Schweden können über die Website von Vinnova und die Website der GTAI abgerufen werden.

Beachten Sie bitte, dass alle bewilligten Projekte dieser Ausschreibung im Oktober 2021 beginnen sollten. derzeitiger Planung bis Mai 2021 möglich sein.

Weitere Informationen:

<https://www.zim.de/ZIM/Redaktion/DE/Artikel/International/zusatzinfo-ausschreibung-schweden.html>

5. /Aif*/ Grenzüberschreitende Kooperationen im Netzwerk IraSME, Deadline 31.03.2021

Deutsche mittelständische Unternehmen und Forschungseinrichtungen haben die Möglichkeit, auch mit ausländischen Projektpartnern zusammenzuarbeiten, um gemeinsam neue Produkte, Verfahren oder Dienstleistungen zu entwickeln.

IraSME ist ein Netzwerk von Ministerien und Förderagenturen zur gemeinsamen Unterstützung transnationaler Projekte von Unternehmen in nationalen/regionalen Förderprogrammen.

Netzwerk-Koordination gefördert vom BMWi, ausgeführt von der AiF Projekt GmbH

Partner in der aktuellen Ausschreibung: Belgien (Regionen Flandern und Wallonien), Brasilien, Deutschland, Kanada (Provinz Alberta), Luxemburg, Österreich, Russland und Türkei

Aktuelle Ausschreibung offen bis 31.03.2021

Weitere Informationen:

<https://www.zim.de/ZIM/Redaktion/DE/Artikel/internationale-ausschreibung-irasme.html>

<https://www.ira-sme.net/>

6. /EU InnovFund*/ Innovation Fund Small Scale Projects (InnovFund-SSC-2020), Deadline: 10 March 2021, 17:00 Brussels time

The present call targets projects on low-carbon technologies and processes in all sectors covered by Directive 2003/87/EC (the EU ETS Directive):

Innovation in low-carbon technologies and processes in sectors listed in Annex I, including environmentally safe carbon capture and utilisation ('CCU') that contributes substantially to mitigating climate change, as well as products substituting carbon intensive ones produced in sectors listed in Annex I, environmentally safe capture and geological storage ('CCS') of CO₂, and innovative renewable energy and energy storage technologies.

The objectives of this call are to:

- (a) support small-scale projects demonstrating highly innovative technologies, processes or products, that are sufficiently mature and have a significant potential to reduce greenhouse gas emissions;
- (b) offer financial support tailored to market needs and risk profiles of eligible projects, while attracting additional public and private resources;
- (c) complement the large-scale call by targeting smaller-scale projects, thereby offering another opportunity, in particular for small and medium-size companies to have their project supported.

All following activities can be funded under this call:

- activities that support innovation in low-carbon technologies and processes in sectors listed in Annex I to the ETS Directive, including environmentally-safe carbon capture and utilisation (CCU) that contributes substantially to mitigating climate change, as well as substitute products,
- activities that help stimulate the construction and operation of projects that aim at the environmentally-safe capture and geological storage of CO₂ (CCS),
- activities that help stimulate the construction and operation of innovative renewable energy and energy storage technologies.

Further Information:

<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-details/innovfund-ssc-2020-single-stage;callCode=null;freeTextSearchKeyword=;matchWholeText=true;typeCodes=0,1,2;statusCodes=0,1,2;statusCodes=31094501,31094502,31094503;programmePeriod=2021%20-%202027;programCcm2Id=430889234;programDivisionCode=null;focusAreaCode=null;geographicalZonesCode=null;programmeDivisionProspect=null;startDateLte=null;startDateGte=null;crossCuttingPriorityCode=null;cpvCode=null;performanceOfDeliveryOfDelivery=null;sortQuery=sortStatus;orderBy=asc;onlyTenders=false;topicListKey=topicSearchTablePageState>

7. /EU COSME*/ Creating Links for the Facilitation of Public Procurement of Innovation (COS-LINKPP-2020-2-05), Deadline: 25 February 2021, 17:00 Brussels time

Expected Outcome:

The Facilitator would broker a small number of public procurements of innovative products or services and demonstrate the effectiveness of this model of cooperation. The output of the projects should allow further analysis of experience and future optimisation of the process and better inclusion of SMEs and start-ups. The results would also be useful for further development of the business model of operation for such Facilitators. The Facilitator will not be procuring the actual goods or services.

Qualitative and quantitative indicators for the action:

- o Number of public buyers engaging in the network;
- o Number of private sellers engaging in the network;

- o Number of established contacts / relationships between public buyers and SMEs/start-ups;
- o Number of identified innovative products or services suitable to meet the identified needs of the public buyers;
- o Number of good practices identified and recommendations formulated in view of a simplification of the PPI;
- o Number of identified possible additional funding opportunities for innovative products or services.

Scope:

This action aims at further demonstrating the relevance and effectiveness of the cooperation model between various stakeholders supporting through public procurement the promotion of innovation and the support to economic operators, in particular SMEs and Start-ups. It is a second experimentation of this cooperation model under the COSME programme.

It proposes to bring together potential public buyers, suppliers of innovation (with a special focus on SMEs and start-ups), and potential investors and researchers, with a view to determine projects suitable for public procurement of innovation.

The purpose will be to:

- Determine the emerging needs of the public sector (i.e. large buyers) in strategically selected technologies.
- Provide network with stakeholders, such as scientists and other suppliers of knowledge (e.g. start-ups) in strategic fields.
- Provide for the engagement of funding partners: public funds (such as Union funding opportunities), private funds and large enterprises willing to provide funding at various stages of commercialization of innovation.
- Allow for the brokering funding opportunities, technological and business aspects between all stakeholders.

Programme funding would include the following activities:

- o A Facilitator for networking activities and stakeholders management;
- o Logistics, including travelling costs of participants
- o The proof of concepts of selected projects
- o Stakeholders' costs relating to the participation in the process (the cost of procurement of the relevant goods or services is excluded from this funding).

The facilitator would engage with large buyers and/or aggregators of public procurement to identify a small number of needs (problems). Subsequently, the facilitator would engage the "sources of innovation" (i.e. start-ups, innovative SMEs) through its network and ask them to provide solutions for the identified need. A small number of those solutions would receive funding to develop their competitive ideas that the enterprises could pitch to the buyers for potential procurement at a later stage. The action would involve parties coming potentially from any Union Member State (and participating countries). There is also a clear focus on the promotion of SMEs and start-up companies, who could become involved through projects to provide innovation through this programme.

Further Information:

<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/topic-detail/s/linkpp-01-2020;callCode=null;freeTextSearchKeyword=;matchWholeText=true;typeCodes=0,1,2;statusCodes=3109Codes=31094501,31094502,31094503;programmePeriod=2014%20-%202020;programCcm2Id=31059643;programDivisionCode=null;focusAreaCode=null;geographicalZonesCode=null;programmeDivisionProspect=null;startDateLte=artDateLte=null;startDateGte=null;crossCuttingPriorityCode=null;cpvCode=null;performanceOfDelivery=null;sortQuery=null;sortQuery=startDate;orderBy=desc;onlyTenders=false;topicListKey=topicSearchTablePageState>

8. /EU Horizon*/ EuroNanoMed: "European Innovative Research & Technological Development Projects in Nanomedicine", Deadline: 21 January 2021, 17:00 Brussels time

EuroNanoMed aims (i) to support translational research projects that combine innovative approaches in the field of nanomedicine and (ii) to encourage and enable transnational collaboration between public and private research groups from academia, clinical/public health research or research teams from industrial enterprises (all size). The participation of Medical Doctors and SMEs will be strongly encouraged.

Project proposals will address multidisciplinary and translational research. Project proposals will need to cover at least one of the following areas that are equal in relevance for this call:

1. Regenerative medicine
2. Diagnostics
3. Targeted delivery systems

At the end, projects should fall within, but are not limited to, Technology Readiness Levels (TRL) 3-6, although for being realistic and coherent with the characteristics of the call, projects should propose advancements for a maximum of two TRL levels during their lifetime.

A consortium applying to this call will be required to include research group(s) from at least 2 of the 3 following categories, if eligible according to relevant national/regional funding organisations' regulations for research funding[1]:

- o Academia (research teams working in universities, other higher education institutions or research institutes);
- o Clinical/public health sector (research teams working in hospitals/public health and/or other health care settings and health organisations). Participation of Medical Doctors is encouraged;
- o Enterprise (all sizes of private companies). Participation of small and medium-size enterprises (SMEs) will be encouraged.

Only transnational projects will be funded. Each consortium submitting a proposal will need to involve a minimum of 3 eligible and a maximum of 5 eligible partners from at least 3 different countries participating to the call though no more than 2 eligible partners from the same country participating in the call will be accepted in one consortium.

Further Information:

<https://euronanomed.net/joint-calls/12th-joint-call-2021/>

https://euronanomed.net/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/3_ENMIII_JTC2021-Call_Text_VF_12112020.pdf

9. /Sonstige*/ EU FLAG-ERA: Graphene Flagship & Human Brain Project, Deadline: 19 April 2021, 17:00 Brussels time

FLAG-ERA gathers National and Regional Funding Organisations (NRFOs) in Europe and beyond with the goal of supporting, together with the European Commission, the FET Flagship initiatives, i.e., the Graphene Flagship and the Human Brain Project (HBP) Flagship. One of its main aims is to allow researchers to complement the current Flagship projects and to collaborate towards the achievement of their vision using existing or dedicated transnational, national and regional calls. In particular, FLAG-ERA aims at

launching dedicated JTCs allowing researchers from several countries to jointly contribute to the Flagship goals. Note that researchers interested to work in the framework of the Flagships can also do so using other sources of funding in combination with the Flagship association mechanisms (Graphene Flagship, Human Brain Project).

The FLAG-ERA Joint Transnational Call (JTC) 2021 supports research projects in synergy with the two FET Flagships, the Graphene Flagship and the Human Brain Project. It is designed to expand the current Flagships with new research contributing to the Flagship objectives in selected areas. New researchers and researchers already in the Flagships are equally eligible. Selected projects are expected to be integrated in the Flagships as Partnering Projects.

Graphene Basic Research JTC areas

1. Layered Magnetic Materials and Heterostructures
2. Growth and device integration of two-dimensional amorphous materials
3. Scalable growth & device integration of UltraLow Power Spin-Orbit Memories based on GRMs
4. Bacterial degradation of GRMs
5. GRM based devices and circuits for neuromorphic computing
6. Infrared+THz emission and detection with twisted GRMs
7. Functionalized GRMs for advanced multivalent metal-ion batteries (MMIBs)
8. Chemical sensing with GRMs
9. MXene foams for capacitive deionization water desalination
10. Rheological models for GRM suspensions and multiphase flows

Graphene Applied Research and Innovation JTC areas

1. Antiviral protection with GRM-based foams and coatings
2. GRM-based Neural Interfaces for Bioelectronic Medicines
3. GRM-based spectrometer for visible and infrared
4. GRM-based, Ultra-Broadband THz-Transceiver technologies for 6G compliant wireless communication
5. Tuning the hot-carrier lifetime in layered materials heterostructures for photoresponsivity enhancement
6. GRMs for advanced metal-ion supercapacitors
7. GRM-based electrodes for redox flow batteries
8. GRM components for Self-charging and Self-powered Electronics

HBP Research and Innovation JTC areas

1. Studying genotype-phenotype relationships related to Brain Function
2. Tackling Psychiatric Diseases
3. Accelerating the diagnosis and the development of therapeutic approaches for rare diseases affecting the nervous system

Further Information:

<https://www.flagera.eu/flag-era-calls/flag-era-joint-transnational-call-jtc-2021/jtc2021-call-announcement/>

10. /Sonstige*/ JP Neurodegenerative Disease Research (JPND): Vorankündigung

Das EU Joint Programme - Neurodegenerative Disease Research (JPND) wird voraussichtlich Anfang Januar 2021 einen neuen Aufruf zur Einreichung von Anträgen zum Thema „Linking pre-diagnosis disturbances of physiological systems to Neurodegenerative Diseases“ veröffentlichen.

Unter diesem Aufruf sollen innovative, multidisziplinäre und multinationale Projekte gefördert werden, an denen Forschungsteams aus mindestens drei verschiedenen Ländern beteiligt sind.

Das Antragsverfahren wird zweistufig angelegt sein. Die Eröffnung erfolgt Anfang Januar 2021. Die Frist für die Einreichung in der ersten Stufe endet voraussichtlich Anfang März 2021.

Weitere Informationen zur geplanten Förderbekanntmachung und den daran beteiligten Ländern finden Sie auf der JPND-Website. <https://www.neurodegenerationresearch.eu/2020/12/pre-call-announcement/>

11. /Sonstige/ Alzheimer Research Cross Border Grants, Deadline Letter of Intent: 01 February 2021

In the European Grant Cycle, Alzheimer Forschung Initiative e.V. (AFI) awards grants for basic, translational and clinical research into the underlying mechanisms of, and possible therapeutic treatments for Alzheimer's disease and related dementias. Projects are mainly evaluated on whether the proposed research is likely to improve our understanding of the pathophysiology and underlying mechanisms causing Alzheimer's disease and related dementias and/or is likely to effectively promote therapeutic strategies.

Cross-Border Grants

AFI grants Cross-Border Awards for collaborative projects between a German and French or German and Dutch group that focuses on Alzheimer's disease and related dementia research.

Depending on whether the P.I. is from a German, French or Dutch institution the application will be submitted to AFI, Fondation Vaincre Alzheimer (FVA) or Alzheimer Nederland (AN), respectively.

In case of AFI, when the German P.I. submits a Cross-Border Project, the collaborative French or Dutch P.I. does not need to submit anything to the other organization. However, as each organization funds in its own country the collaborative French or Dutch P.I. will need to adhere to the FVA or AN guidelines, respectively in addition the collaborative PI cannot be a (collaborative PI) on another project in the same grant cycle. The AN and FVA guidelines can be consulted through the links below.

AN: <https://www.alzheimer-nederland.nl/onderzoek/voor-onderzoekers-call-innovatief-onderzoek>

FVA: <https://www.vaincrealzheimer.org/appel-candidature>

The following grants can be applied for as Cross-Border Grants:

- Cross-Border Standard Grants (max. 100.000 EURO per 2 years)
- Cross-Border Pilot Grants (max. 50.000 EURO per 2 years)

Additionally, for Cross-Border Grants the following applies:

- o Indicate in the application the respective contributions from each country.
- o Highlight the added value of the collaboration and what parts of the collaboration are complementary. Why is it likely to facilitate in addressing the questions involved?
- o Articles should be published jointly with both groups.

Timeline:

Call for applications with Lol: January 4th

Deadline for Lol: February 1st

Confirmation Lol was received and is eligible is sent to the applicant by the European Grant Manager:

Beginning of February

Request for full application or denial letters are sent to the applicant by the European Grant Manager:

Second half of April (exact date to be determined)

Deadline for full applications: End of May (exact date will be communicated)

Final decision is communicated to the applicants by AFI: December

Grant provision, quarterly payments January, 2022

Guideline:

https://www.alzheimer-forschung.de/fileadmin/user_upload/0_Dokumente/AFI_Funding_Guidelines_2021.pdf

More Information:

<https://www.alzheimer-forschung.de/forschung/forschungsfoerderung/standard-und-pilot-grants/>

12. /AvH/ International Summer School - Communicating Science, Deadline 31.01.2021

Young researchers from all over Europe are invited to take part in the International Summer School 2021. Within five days they get useful insights in the world of science communication. A diverse curriculum not only allows the participants to broaden and deepen their theoretical knowledge but also to make use of it in workshop sessions.

target groups

Funded by the Federal Ministry of Education and Research within the context of the German EU Council presidency, the interdisciplinary event is aimed at doctoral candidates and postdocs from all European universities - regardless of the origin or nationality of the young researchers.

objectives and contents

First of all, the participants will get an overview of the general conditions and communication cultures and deal with forms and methods of science communication. In interactive sessions, the acquired knowledge is deepened practically, and communication strategies are developed and critically examined from an intercultural and ethical point of view.

In the course of the Summer School, the young researchers will get to know the different formats that are available to them to present their research in a clear and entertaining way. After all, every method of science communication depends on individual preferences, strengths and interests.

More Information:

<https://www.wissenschaft-im-dialog.de/en/our-projects/international-summer-school/about-the-event/>

Application:

<https://www.wissenschaft-im-dialog.de/en/our-projects/international-summer-school/call-for-applications/>

13. /Sonstige/ Partnership Opportunities for International Projects

o H2020 Green Deal LC-GD-4-1-2020: Slovenian partners are searching for a consortium for the Horizon 2020 Green Deal topic: Building and renovating in an energy and resource efficient way

Two Slovenian research institutes and a large Slovenian company are searching for integration into a consortium for the call Horizon 2020 Green Deal (LC-GD-4-1-2020). The aim of the project is to develop a new process for expanded polystyrene production with improved reaction to fire properties and enabling recycling of waste expanded polystyrene from construction and packaging. Companies and research institutions with expertise in expanded polystyrene are sought.

<https://een.ec.europa.eu/partners/slovenian-partners-are-searching-consortium-horizon-2020-green-deal-topic-building-and>

o H2020 Green Deal LC-GD-10-3-2020: A Consortium led by a Turkish University is looking for universities, research centers and companies to create a learning community and an interactive project-based learning platform.

The consortium consisting of NGOs, SME, university and municipality led by a Turkish University would like to apply for LC-GD-10-3-2020 call. Target of the project is to create a learning community and an interactive project-based learning platform to increase European Citizens' Innovation Skills. Therefore they are looking for different types of partners to establish this platform. Partners' role will be designing of interactive web platform and prepare the educational document.

<https://een.ec.europa.eu/partners/lc-gd-10-3-2020-consortium-led-turkish-university-looking-universities-research-centers-and>

o Eurostars: A German SME is seeking partners for further developing and marketing its lab-prototype for the photocatalytic purification of pesticide contaminated water from viticulture.

A German environmental biotech SME is looking for industrial partners, which are interested in further developing and marketing a technology for the photocatalytic elimination of pesticides, herbicides and fungicides. The aim is to increase the water quality in areas of viticulture and contribute to fulfilling the goals of the EU Water Framework Directive. A project proposal shall be submitted on the next cut-off in February 2021.

<https://een.ec.europa.eu/partners/eurostars-german-sme-seeking-partners-further-developing-and-marketing-its-lab-prototype>

o Eurostars: A Turkish biomedical company seeks partner to develop a multichannel Quantitative Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction (QRT-PCR) device.

Turkish biomedical company is looking for partners to apply to Eurostars to further develop a multichannel Quantitative Real-Time Polymerase Chain Reaction (QRT-PCR) device. By diagnosing infectious diseases using the QRT-PCR device, the type of pathogen, and the level of infection are precisely determined. The main objective of the cooperation is to develop a versatile and low-cost multichannel QRT-PCR device. The partnership is a research cooperation agreement to participate in Eurostars.

<https://een.ec.europa.eu/partners/eureka-turkish-biomedical-company-seeks-partner-develop-multichannel-quantitative-real-time>

o Eurostars: Spanish biotech is looking for partners to develop novel immunotherapies against COVID19 based on Chimeric Virus Like Particles in Eureka programs, H2020 and similar

A Spanish SME is looking for a partners who could support the screening and selection of COVID19 antigens to develop prototypes against COVID19. The company has a proven platform technology of



chimeric virus like particles that would display selected antigens to elicit strong immune responses in humans. The project has 3 main phases: design of prototypes, screening & production and immunogenic. Companies, research institution or universities experienced in research health are sought (Eureka).
<https://een.ec.europa.eu/partners/covid-19-spanish-biotech-looking-partners-develop-novel-immunotherapies-against-covid19>
