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Horizon Europe pending Work Programmes 2021-22 published

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The European Commission has published the pending Horizon Europe Work Programmes 2021-2022 on 15 June 2021, including e.g. Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions the Food cluster

These official calls, in combination with hints from the EPSO Brief on the Draft Work Programme which was published on the members only website 5.5.2021, can further advance your proposals.

You find in the EPSO Brief on **pages 39-43 the cluster topics relevant for plant scientists** – this will help you to find the full call text in the EC published WP without having to read it in full.

Most relevant are:

- **ERC** - [European Research Council Work Programme 2021](#)
- [Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions](#)
- [Cluster 6 "Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment"](#)
- **EIC**- [European Innovation Council Work Programme 2021](#)

We will work on an update EPSO Brief in the coming weeks and we will upload this on the Members only website too.

For further insights for your proposals, join the online **EC Info Days on 28.6. – 9.7.2021**. No prior registration needed. Cluster 6 is on 7-8 July (Food, bioeconomy, natural resources, agriculture & environment).

We encourage scientists to enter / update their profile in the **EC expert database**. This is used by the EC for instance to select evaluators for proposals as well as for ongoing projects.

Have a look at the Horizon Europe **Rules of Participation** and proposal procedure from KoWi.

More details will be forthcoming in our EPSO news page.

Sources: KoWi news items; EPSO Brief 5.5.2021, EPSO News items

1 - Details on the Work Programmes:

The basic individual work programmes structure has been broken down into destinations, calls and topics:

Destinations: The destinations assigned to each part of the programme provide the general framework for the content of the individual work programmes. The respective long-term social, economic and scientific effects (expected impacts) that are expected from the projects in this destination are also defined at this level.

Calls: The destinations are assigned annual, in some cases several annual calls for proposals for 2021 and 2022. The relevant information on the calls, such as its opening and closing dates and a list of the individual topics with budget information, are now placed in front of the calls in an overview table.

Topics: The general call information is followed by detailed descriptions of the individual topics encompassing the respective call. The topic structure has changed in the way that the budget and project type as well as specific conditions of the topic are listed in a table directly after the title, followed by the medium-term effects to be achieved by the projects (expected outcome) and the tasks to be carried out in the projects (scope).

Calls list:

In the following you will find the information on the calls for proposals of the Work Programme 2021-2022 in the respective programme parts:

- [Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions](#)
- [Research Infrastructures](#)
- [Cluster 1 "Health"](#)
- [Cluster 2 "Culture, Creativity and Inclusive Societies"](#)
- [Cluster 3 "Civil Security for Society"](#)
- [Cluster 4 "Digital, Industry and Space"](#)
- [Cluster 5 "Climate, Energy and Mobility"](#)
- [Cluster 6 "Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment"](#)
- [Widening Participation and Strengthening the European Research Area](#)
- [Missions](#)

The Work Programmes 2021 for the programme parts **European Research Council (ERC)** and **European Innovation Council (EIC)** were published earlier this year. Further information can be found here:

- [NCP ERC website \(in German\)](#)
- [KoWi website: EIC](#)

As part of the Work Programme 2021-2022, the European Commission has also published the first calls for proposals for the European Innovation Ecosystems (EIE). Furthermore, the Work Programme of the Joint Research Center (JRC) was approved at the beginning of the month. Information on this can be found on the Commission's websites:

- [European Innovation Ecosystems](#)
- [Joint Research Centre](#)

If you have any questions about the Work Programme 2021-2022, please contact the [KoWi Advisors!](#)

2 - Details on the [Horizon Europe Info Days online from 28 June to 9 July 2021 – Food, bioeconomy, natural resources, agriculture & environment \(cluster 6\) on 7-8 July](#)

3 - Details on the [EC Call for Experts opened for EU programmes in the 2021-2027 programming period incl. Horizon Europe – EPSO encourages its experts to enroll / update their profile](#)

4 - Details on the KoWi factsheet on Horizon Europe rules for participation

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The „Rules for participation and dissemination“ form a crucial part of the Horizon Europe Regulation. They are the legal basis for the implementation of research projects and include the general rights and obligations for participants in Horizon Europe as well as principles for use and dissemination of results.

KoWi has summarized the most important points and novelties of the Rules for Participation in comparison to Horizon 2020 in a factsheet which can serve as a preparatory document for Horizon Europe. The factsheet is only available in German.

→ [KoWi website on rules for participation, factsheet and contacts](#)

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