

21 HORIZON EUROPE NOVELTIES FOR 2021

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Good news!
Horizon Europe project management will be overall more practical and result-driven than in H2020.

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Horizon Europe will finance three types of European Partnerships. A lot less in number than in H2020 with focused, strategic objectives but significant investment.

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The description of the **impact-oriented D&E** activities at proposal stage will be very carefully evaluated based on new questions...
...but also proposal templates will give more guidance on how to write this section.

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There will be more calls with **two-stage submission** procedures than in H2020.

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Missions are key: when considering mission projects, think about citizen science and public engagement.

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Less text! Full proposals will only be 45 or 30 page long, so learn to write your ideas in a more concise manner.

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You can expect more **non-prescriptive calls for proposals.** This means more freedom for your ideas.

TIP: Integrate co-creation in each of your projects – experts across disciplines and types of organisations across sectors.

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The **Data Management Plan (DMP)** will be mandatory and must be regularly updated.

TIP: Find a balance in the DMP between open access and confidentiality restrictions.

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Be Open: Horizon Europe pillars call for Open science, Open innovation and Open to the world.

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Remember: the principle "as open as possible, as closed as necessary" keeps ruling.

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One and only Grant Agreement model. The so-called '**Corporate Model Grant Agreement**' will be applicable to more European programmes with specific Annexes to each project.

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Horizon Results Platform: that's where Horizon Europe project results can go to support visibility and increase the potential for exploitation. Use it!

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IP management, dissemination, exploitation reporting will be more detailed with new templates.

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Who owns what? In your final report you'll have to show a **Result Ownership List.**

This will help clarifying ownership and simplify exploitation of IP.

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A **Mutual Insurance Mechanism** (ex-Guarantee Fund) will be set up to cover any risk of non-recovery of sums by the beneficiaries.

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Financial principles stay, but reporting rules change. This should translate in less errors in personnel cost calculation and less administrative burden for the beneficiaries.

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Daily rate calculation methods will be used in Horizon Europe for personnel cost reporting.

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Project-based remuneration reporting should be simpler in Horizon Europe.

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Audits will be more complex and demanding (check System and Process Audit).

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For peer-reviewed scientific publications immediate open access through trusted repository will be expected.

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Public Emergency Provision:

in case of public emergency - imagine COVID-19 all over again - beneficiaries should give access to their project results and upon request grant non-exclusive licences under fair and reasonable conditions.

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