



KEY MESSAGES

- 🔑 Researchers should become innovators
- 🔑 Science needs to make available the results openly = data as well
- 🔑 Open innovation is key = collaboration
- 🔑 Citizens should be involved into science
- 🔑 Focus on global societal challenges
- 🔑 More Impact
- 🔑 Open to the world
- 🔑 Simplification
- 🔑 Synergies

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

TO NOTE



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No timesheets



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HORIZON EUROPE

Towards successful participation

STRUCTURE

CHANGES

Strengthening the European Research Area

- Budget increases, new options are included

Joint Research Centre in the structure

- JRCs receive a main role in background studies

Clusters under Pillar II

- Not silos, but with a lot of cross-cluster connections

Missions

- While not part of the structure, missions have a key role in HEU. Mission related projects may be financed from any work programmes of the pillars

Climate change

- The programme is expected to contribute with 35% of its budget spent to climate objectives

Support to innovation

- ERC, EIC, EIT and InvestEU will be complementary to each other in this

New groups for European Partnerships

- Less partnerships grouped in three types

SUBMISSION AND EVALUATION

WHAT IS NEW?

- Anonym 1st stage evaluation?
- More frequent use of multiannual topics
- Free selection of action type for some topics
- New procedures
- Max. 50 pages for a proposal?
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- Daily rate calculation, not hourly rate for actual personnel costs
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- Financial audits are less frequent, but more demanding
- Lump sum schemes extended
- Internal invoices - Unit cost calculation allowed
- Project-based remuneration system

WHAT SHOULD BE DONE

PREPARE

- Understand the complementarities between the programmes and partnerships, national funds and prepare an EU R&I Funding strategy for the organization with thematic focus areas
- More experts are needed for handling legal conflicts, IPR arrangements - protecting the organizational interests
- Decisions and specific policies are needed on organizational level - specific conditions are needed for EU projects where results are achieved from public money
- Innovation advisers are needed or bigger role for TTOs
- Streamline all EU funding reporting protocols
- Set up regular cooperation with industrial players and platforms, set up open innovation policies and rules
- Continuous training is needed on the above issues



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