

### Webinar for applicants

Integrating environmental, economic and social perspectives in assessing the performance of agroecology. Value-chain and policy implications

Call office











### Welcome

09:00 – 09:15, Nicolas Tinois (Jülich, call office)



### Scope and topics

09:15 – 10:00, Florence Jacquet (ANR) & Benjamin Sanchez (AEI)



### How to build your consortium

10:00 – 10:15 Daniela Piaz Barbosa Leal (Jülich, call office)



### Coffee break

10:15 - 10:30



### Call procedure

10:30 – 11:00 Nicolas Tinois (Jülich, call office)



#### Submission tool

11:00 – 11:15, Ulrike Ziegler (Jülich, call office)



### FAQs from slido

11:15 - 11:55 call office



### Winner of the quiz and closure

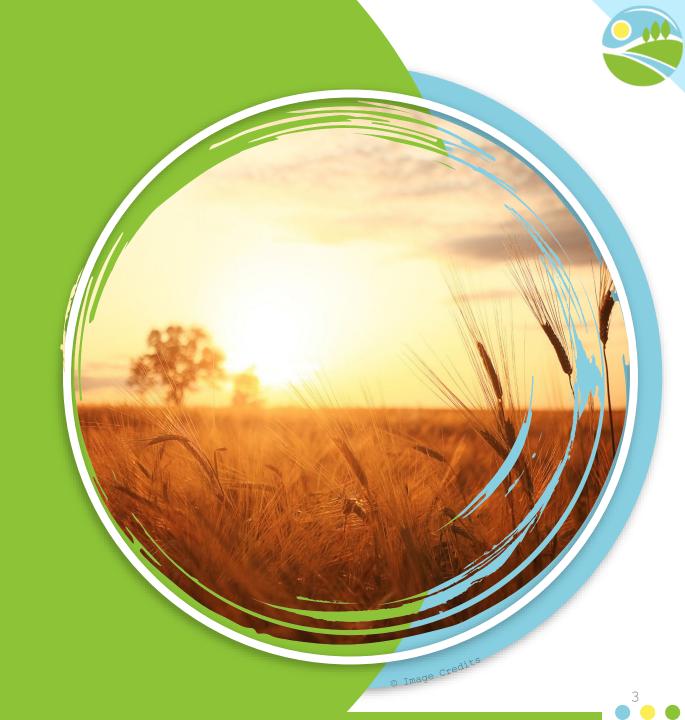
11:55 – 12:00 Nicolas Tinois





# Welcome

Nicolas Tinois



# AGROECOLOGY in a nutshell



Team-up and
unlock the transition to agroecology
so that farming systems are resilient,
productive and prosperous, place
sensitive, as well as climate,
environment, ecosystem,
biodiversity and
people-friendly by 2050

- Duration: Jan 2024 to Dec 2034 (10 Years)
- Pool resources of EU and states/regions
  - Mobilisation of 300 M€ from EU and partners over 10 years (50 % co-fund)
  - In-kind: research and networking activities
  - In-cash: up to 7 transnational calls for proposals
- 72 partners from 26 countries/regions
  - RFOs: National/Regional Authorities, ministries, Funding agencies → Funding agencies
  - RPOs: Research performing organisations, e.g. universities and research institutes
- Coordination: Project management Jülich (DE) ptj-agroecology-secretariat@fz-juelich.de
- Co-coordination: Agence National de la Recherche (FR)

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**



# This call is NOT a Horizon Europe call for proposal but a co-funded call implemented in the framework of the partnership AGROECOLOGY:

- Eligible countries&regions = only countries&regions where also funders participate in this call.
- Funds = provided by funders participating to this call, so grants are negotiate bilateral between applicant/beneficiary and funder.
- **EU-Top up/co-fund principle** = provided to the funders to increase their individual budget for funding & in particular optimise amount of successful proposals. Funding body is the individual funder who provides funds to this call.
- Funder = funders are listed in the call document.
- Who is your funder? Look which funder is listed from your country/region, check the specific regulation, choose the one you are eligible to receive funds from.

### Who to contact and where to find information





Call office

ptj-agroecology-calloffice@fz-juelich.de FCP Annex IX

### Submission website

- √ <a href="https://agroecology.ptj.de/call2">https://agroecology.ptj.de/call2</a>:
- Any updates will be announced here!
- Check on regular basis on updates of the funder regulations
- ✓ Templates provided here: CV, work plan and letter of commitments
- ✓ Partnering tool to get connected

### Further reading

- √ <a href="https://www.agroecologypartnership.eu/">https://www.agroecologypartnership.eu/</a>
- ✓ <u>Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda</u>

### **SLIDO**



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### Questions

- Slido will be used (see QR code) or slido.com and code
- Ask your questions in slido
- Look for questions already asked and rank them
- Questions will be answered during Q&A session from top (high ranked) to down (low ranked)
- Questions will also be addressed in our FAQ which will be compiled following this webinar
- You are able to slightly edit your questions, but not able to delete them

### Slido

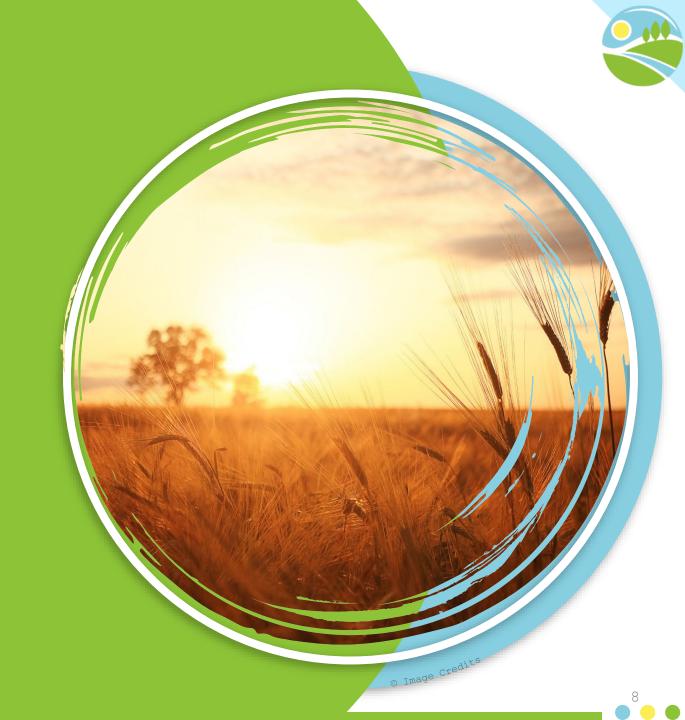
- Now testing the system
- Later we are testing you in a quiz
- www.slido.com : #1580208
- If you do not wish to see your name, please use an alias





# Scope and expected impacts of the call

Florence Jacquet, ANR (FR)



### Background



### **CONTEXT**

- The European Green Deal, F2F strategies, Biodiversity Strategy, Action Plan for organic production
- Agroecology: an approach to accelerate the transition to more sustainable agriculture
- Tension between current challenges, between today's private goods and tomorrow's public goods

### AGROECOLOGY Partnership

- Promote agroecology through an approach based on Living Labs (LL) and research infrastructures.
- Agroecology at the interface between agronomy and ecological sciences, with contributions from social sciences
- Agricultural practices as well as transformation of agri-food value chains

### Call objective



# Integrating environmental, economic and social perspectives in assessing the performance of agroecology. Value-chain and policy implications

- The assessment of the benefits of agroecological approaches is essential for a better recognition of agroecology by the agricultural sector, the market, and by policy-makers.
- The evaluation of the performance of agroecology must be addressed by integrating environmental, climate, economic, and social dimensions.
- The value chains upstream and/or downstream of agroecological production system, and the private and public incentives able to support the transition should be addressed to foster the transition.

# Expected outcomes/impacts



- Practical-oriented knowledge, tools and/or innovations available to farmers and the sector, contribuptake of agroecological practices at local, regional and national scales.
- Increased knowledge, knowledge transfer and capacity of farmers and agricultural advisors to implement agroecological practices.
- Increased socio-economic and/or environmental performance of agroecological approaches.
- **Enhanced science-policy interfaces** serving to facilitate a faster transition to agroecology.

## Topics



**Topic 1:** Determine and assess benefits/impacts and trade-offs of agroecology, and identify best practices

Topic 2: Transform value chains, businesses and policies to facilitate the transition to agroecology

Applicants have to choose one of them

### Topic 1



# Topic 1: Determine and assess benefits/impacts and trade-offs of agroecology, and identify best practices

### Theme 1: Methods and procedures to tackle trade-offs in agroecological production

- Developing and applying methods to describe value/goal conflicts and trade-offs
- Implementing new approaches and tools or modifying and combining existing ones to ensure the integrated assessment of the performance of agroecology
- Defining and testing models for performing environmental, social and economic analyses of positive/negative impacts

Theme 2: Scenario analysis to identify and support the most suitable options to accelerate the adoption of the identified best practices at different spatial and temporal scales

- Generating knowledge/evidence on the contribution of agroecology to the economic sustainability and viability
- Co-designed construction of different scenarios related to identify the long-term ecological and socioeconomic implications
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# Topic 2: Explore how agricultural value chains can be transformed and diversified in order to support agroecology transition

# Theme 1: Transformation and development of new business models in the value chains to facilitate the agroecological transition

- Consider how new business models could value the social and economic benefits of agroecological products and services
- Study how the benefits of agroecological approaches could be used to contribute to better traceability and certification procedures
- Consider opportunities for new businesses related to the development of new, or the adaptation of existing, machinery
- Increase knowledge on the ways to cope with the requirements of the different stakeholders
- Contribute to develop business models able to collect, process and add value to new crops

Theme 2: Coordination among actors, social innovations and policies to enhance the agroecological transition

- Identify the different actors that could be relevant
- Study how to increase trust between agroecological producers and consumers
- Study adapted and alternative logistics and infrastructures
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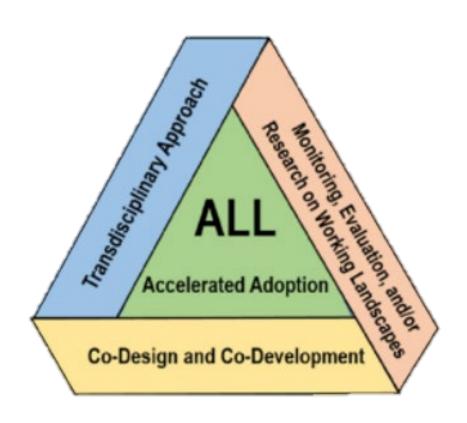
### In both topics



- Address challenges faced by at least 3 countries participating in the partnership
- Follow a co-creation and multi-actor approach with relevant stakeholders (farmers, companies, consumers, citizens, local authorities, etc.) as inspired by the living labs methodology.
- Apply a multidisciplinary approach
- Take into consideration local conditions
- Consider the experience gathered by the organic farming sector
- Connect fundamental research with applied research
- Identify, evaluate, and integrate traditionnal knowledge in agroecological practices

### The Living Lab Approach





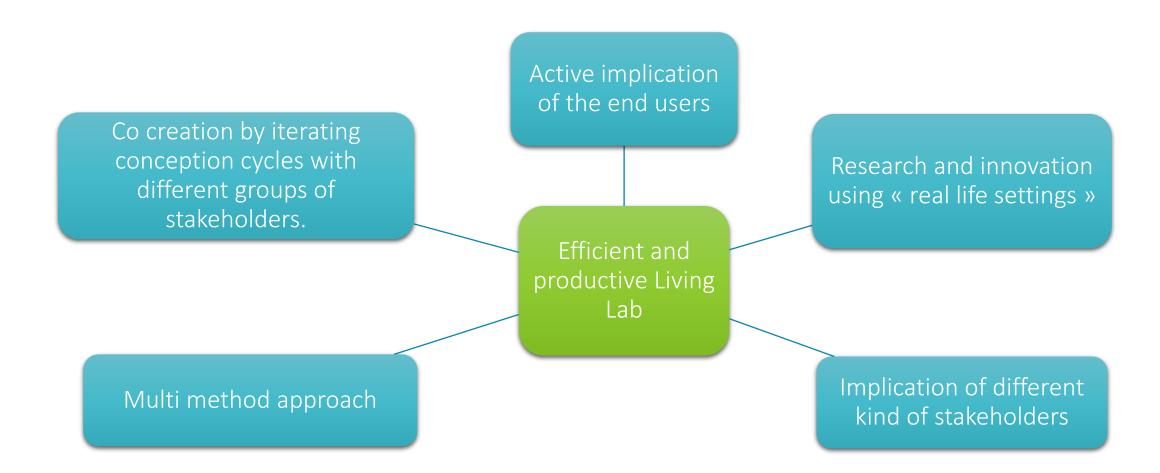
### ENOLL's definition of Living Lab

"Living Labs are open innovation ecosystems in real-life environments based on a systematic user co-creation approach that integrates R&I activities in communities and/or multi-stakeholder environments, placing citizens and/or end-users at the centre of the innovation process."

"The concept 'Living Lab' is used for the organization that innovates according to these principles, but also refers to the innovation projects that follow these guidelines and also links with specific activities, methods and tools within these innovation projects."

# 5 keypoints of LL





# Living Labs in Agroecology

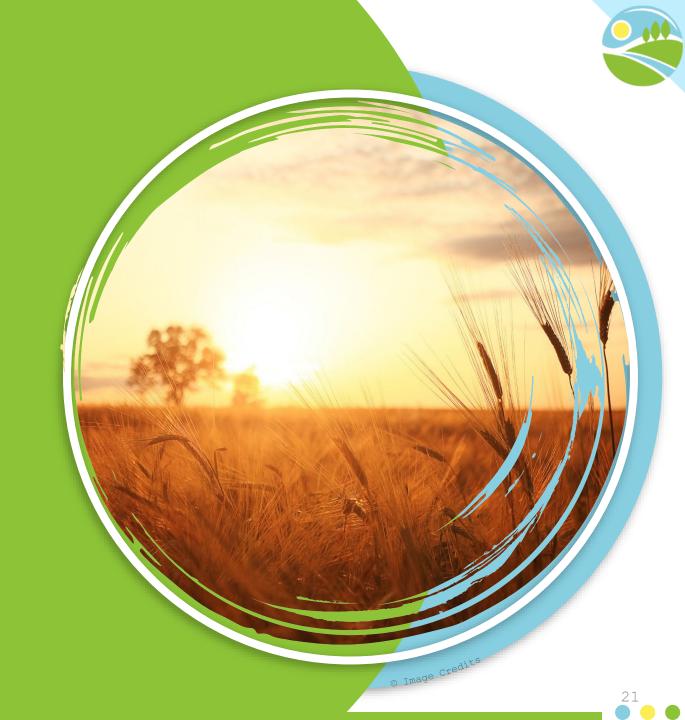


- Very strong local embeddedness
- Great diversity of their origins, from farms to networks or communities
- Heterogeneity and intensity of the knowledge and innovations required and produced (from practice to policies)
- Different scales: the farm and its immediate environment (network of farms), the territory, or the regional level.



# Build your consortium

Daniela Piaz Barbosa Leal



### PARTNERING TOOL





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#### WELCOME TO THE SUBMISSION SYSTEM

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> CO-FUNDED CALL OF THE AGROECOLOGY PARTNERSHIP

"INTEGRATING ENVIRONMENTAL, ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PERSPECTIVES IN ASSESSING THE PERFORMANCE OF AGROECOLOGY. VALUE-CHAIN AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS"

#### THE CALL FOR PRE PROPOSALS IS NOW OPEN!

REGISTER HERE FOR THE WEBINAR ON 13 DECEMBER 2024 FROM 9:00 TO 12:00 CET.

The call announcement and supporting documents with further information of the call can be found under "CALL DOCUMENTS" on the left-hand side of this page. Please check on regular basis for updates of the documents as some information are preliminary. Updates will be also announced here.

Current version of the call announcement: v1.2 05 Dec 2024

Current version of the Funder regulations: v1.2 05 Dec 2024

\*TAGEM withdrew from the call

A webinar for applicants will be hosted on 13 December 2024 from 09:00 to 12:00 CET. The webinar will be recorded and FAOs provided

Deadline for pre proposal submission is 17 February 2025, 14:00h CET.

#### Deadline for full proposal submission is 09 July 2025, 14:00h CEST.

The submission of a pre proposal is compulsory to submit a full proposal. Full proposal is on invitation only, subject to a positive selection of your pre proposal.

Pre proposals can be submitted via the submission system and by the coordinator of a pre proposal only. Pre proposals by other means are not accepted and will be rejected. To submit a pre proposal, a coordinator of your consortium needs to be appointed who will then register to the submission platform (COORDINATOR REGISTRATION) and will then invite all partners to the pre proposal.

Please carefully read the "call announcement" and familiarise yourself with the supporting call documents, prior pre proposal preparation. All documents can be found in the navigation bar, CALL DOCUMENTS.

Please note that only the coordinator can carry out and complete the pre proposal submission on behalf of each applying research consortium. However, each partner needs to complete his/her part of the partner profile.

For all partners of an applying consortium, it is strongly recommended to contact their respective funder contact point to clairly any questions well in advance of the submission. The contact details can be found in Annex IX (see CALL DOCUMENTS).

For all questions related to the call, please contact the Call Office of the 2<sup>nd</sup> call of the AGROECOLOGY Partnership:

Nicolas Tinois, Daniela Piaz Barbosa Leal, Silvana Hudjetz and Ulrike Ziegler (ptj-agroecology-call-office@fz-juelich.de



#### PARTNERING PLATFORM

This partnering tool helps you to find cooperation possibilities within the Agroecology calls. It can be used in the following ways:

#### Post a Partner Offer/Request

Please post an entry in the partnering tool, if you are looking for collaboration opportunities in project consortia and would like to offer your expertise. You are also welcome to make a post, if you already have a project idea and are looking for further partners that would like to join you/your consortium. Next to providing your contact details, you should give a brief description of your organization. It is important that you provide some key words describing your field of research/innovation and that you specify your interest and the experience, expertise and know-how you/your organization has to offer in relation to one of the listed call (sub)topics of Agroecology. Please note: The second call has only one topic!

#### • Search List of Partner Offers/Requests posted by others

The database can be searched by call topics, keywords and all the other information provided by its users.

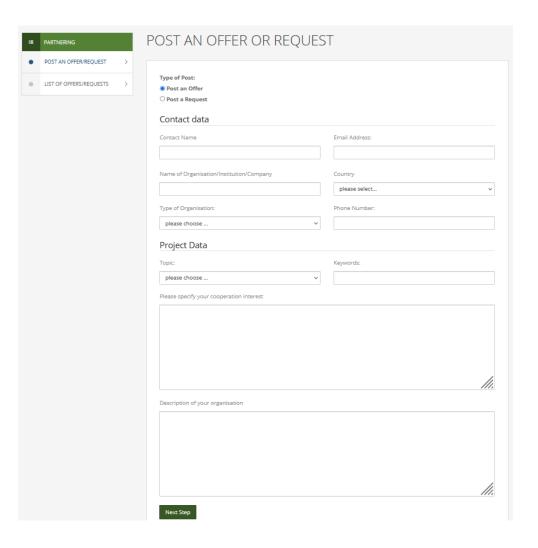
#### Please note:

There will be a plausibility check by the Agroecology Call Secretariat for each of your entries. If the information given passes this plausibility check, which sometimes can take a few days, your request(s) will be published on the page "List of Partner Offers/Requests". Following the publication all information provided by you will be publicly available.

# POST AN OFFER OR REQUEST



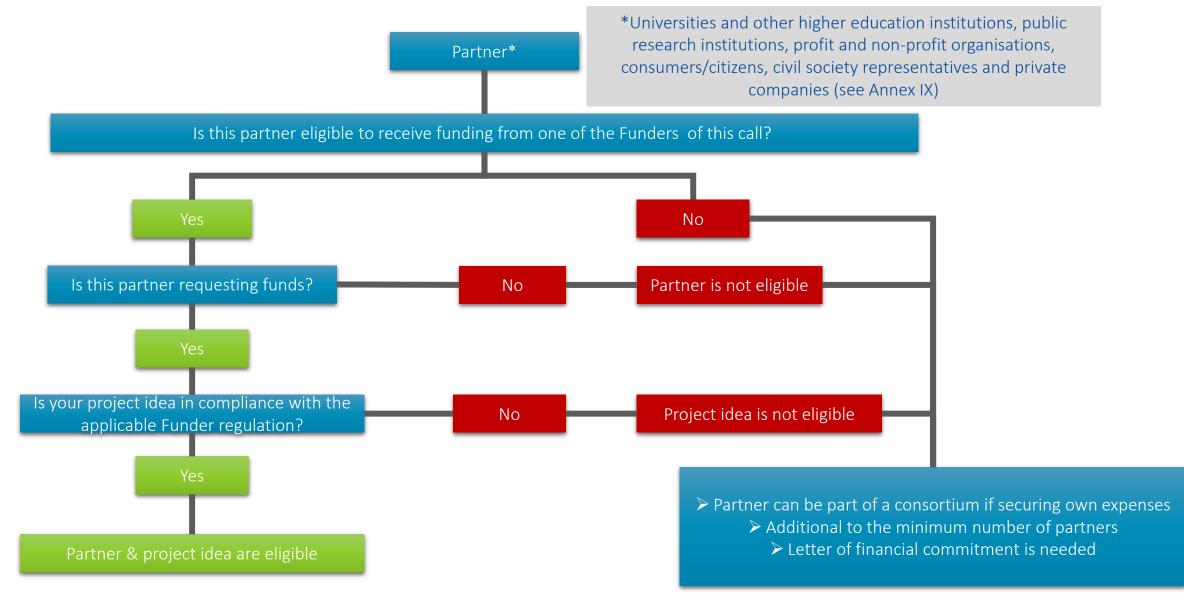
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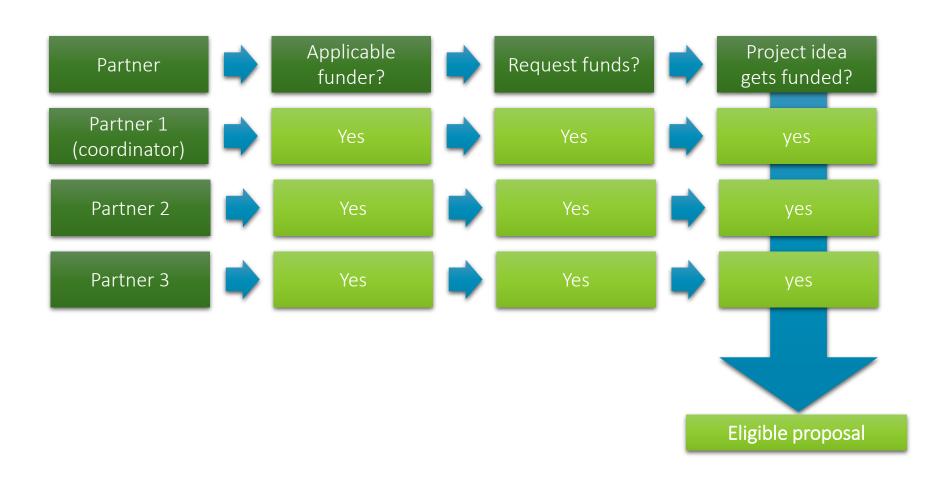


### **BUILD YOUR CONSORTIUM**

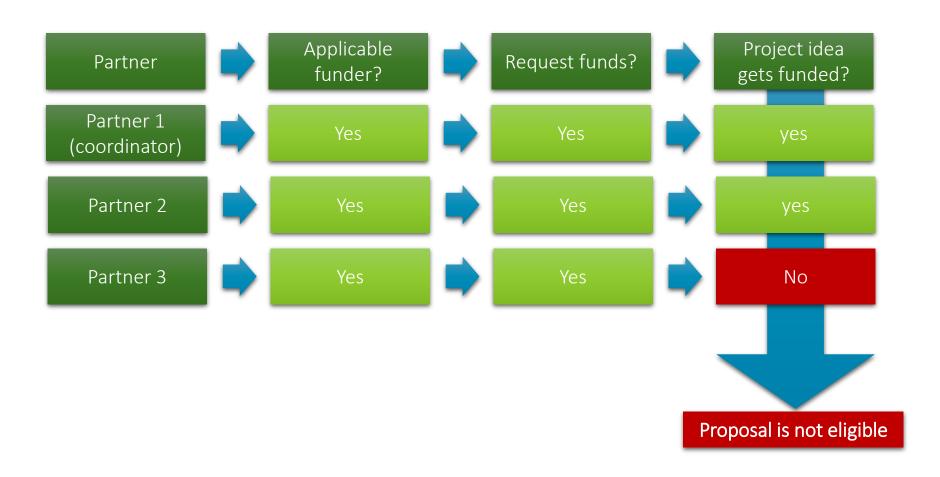




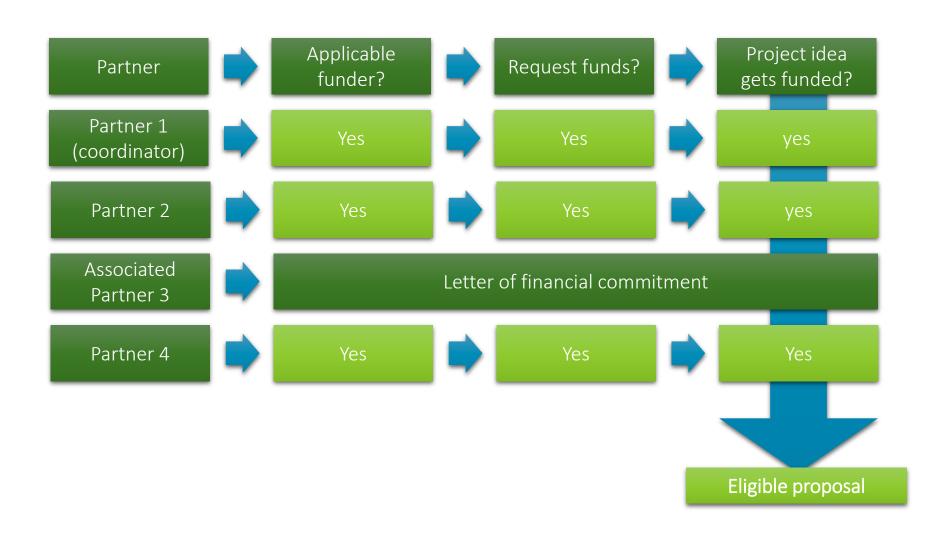




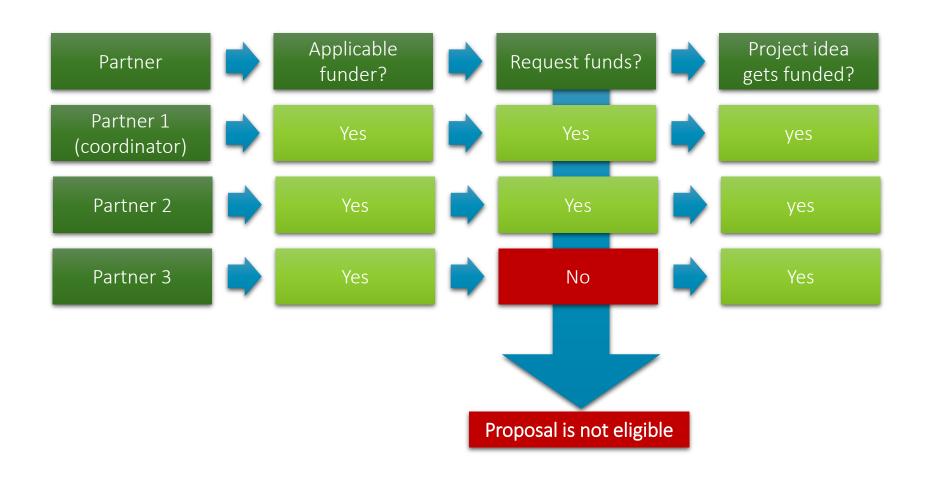




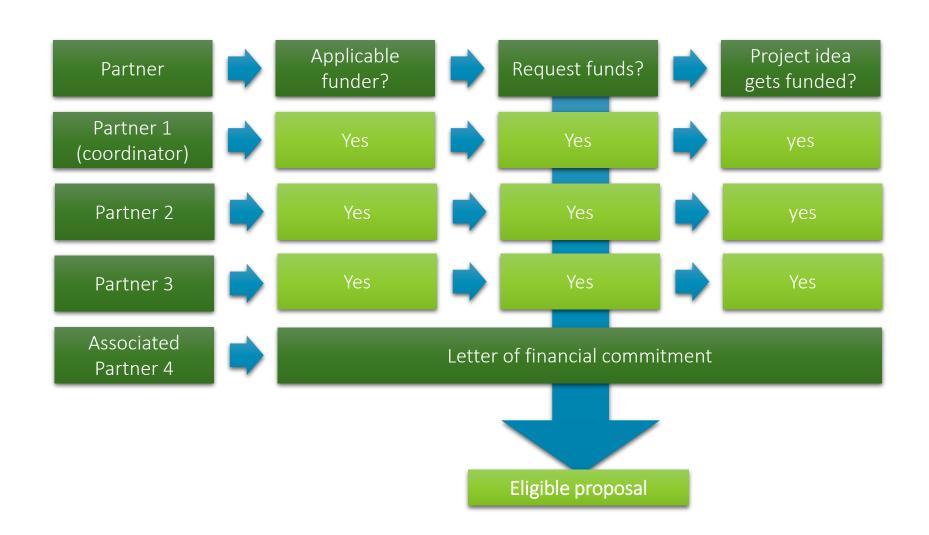












### COORDINATOR



### Roles and responsibilities:

- Make sure to meet the Funder regulations and funding modalities of all partners involved.
- Lead the consortium throughout the application procedure + correct proposal submission.
- Act as the central contact point for the consortium.
- Inform the Call Office about any situation that might affect the implementation of the project.
- Ensure to meet deliverables and milestones presented in the proposal.
- Share information with consortium partners.
- Monitoring data and punctual delivery of project reports.

Not responsible for the financial management 

partners & corresponding Funders

# ELIGIBILITY



Criteria	Comment
Proposals must be consistent: Scope + thematic priorities of the Funders	<ul> <li>See chapter 3 (Call objectives and scope)</li> <li>Should not overlap with ongoing or completed projects</li> </ul>
Proposals must be written in English, be complete, meet all formal criteria and be submitted via the online submission platform	➤ Incomplete proposals cannot be submitted → use VALIDATION bar to check for completeness!
Deadlines: Pre proposals - 17 February 2025 2 pm CET See section 5.1 (Step 1 Pre proposal phase) Full proposals - 09 July 2025 2 pm CEST See section 5.2 (Step 2 Full proposal phase)	<ul> <li>Submission of a pre proposal is compulsory</li> <li>Avoid "last minute submission"!</li> <li>Submit/re-submit a preliminary version of the proposal - only the latest version and corresponding file uploads will be considered.</li> </ul>
Project duration: min. 24 months / max. 36 months Earliest start date for projects: January 2026 All projects must be completed by September 2029	Check <b>Annex IX</b> (Funder regulations) for exceptions!

# ELIGIBILITY



Criteria	Comment
Consortia: at least 3 eligible partners requesting funding from at least 3 different Members States or Horizon Europe Associated Countries and from Funders who provide funds to the co-funded call. Associated Partners do not count towards this limit. Partners from a single country shall not exceed 60% of the total number of person months allocated to the project.	<ul> <li>Maximum number of partners = 12 (associated partners do not count)</li> <li>No upper limit to the number of partners from the same country - check Annex IX for exceptions</li> <li>The total number of person months per partner has to be included in the partner profiles</li> </ul>
Individual researcher affiliated to several organisations cannot request funding from more than one Funder.	Must declare which partner and organisation within the consortium he/she represents.
Each consortium must be led by a project Coordinator from an organisation eligible for funding from a Funder of this call and requesting funding.  The same person cannot act as Principal Investigator of a Coordinator for more than one proposal.	Some Funders do not allow the same person to participate in more than one proposal per call (Annex IX)

# ELIGIBILITY

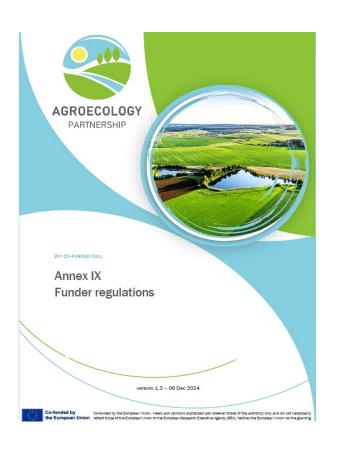


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Ethical self-assessment	➤ Please carefully read the instructions provided by the EC: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding- tenders/opportunities/docs/2021- 2027/common/guidance/how-to-complete-your-ethics-self- assessment en.pdf
Information from pre proposal is binding, no substantial changes to scope and objectives are allowed	Administrative adaptions are eligible, subject to approval of call office and funders (see <b>chapter 5.2</b> ), e.g. withdraw of a partner between PP and FP phase
Total project costs are by default not restricted, but funders may set a limit per partner in a project	Carefully check Annex IX to learn more about the maximum funding per partner and specific funder and eligibility of costs

# Funder regulations - Annex IX







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## Funder regulations



### Read the "Funder regulations" and/or contact the Funder Contact Point (FCP) before submitting a proposal.

- Maximum funding per project some Funders have budget limitations per project or per partner!
- Project duration some Funders > 36 months!
- Topics and themes to be funded not all Funders fund all Topics!
- Exceptions for funding of the research topics based on your national priorities
- Link to funding programme and other relevant information or documents
- Who can apply for funding? it differs among Funders!
- FCPs are responsible for providing the specific information/rules

Only proposals complying with both sets of criteria (general and Funders eligibility criteria) will advance to the evaluation procedure!!!

# Back at 10:30







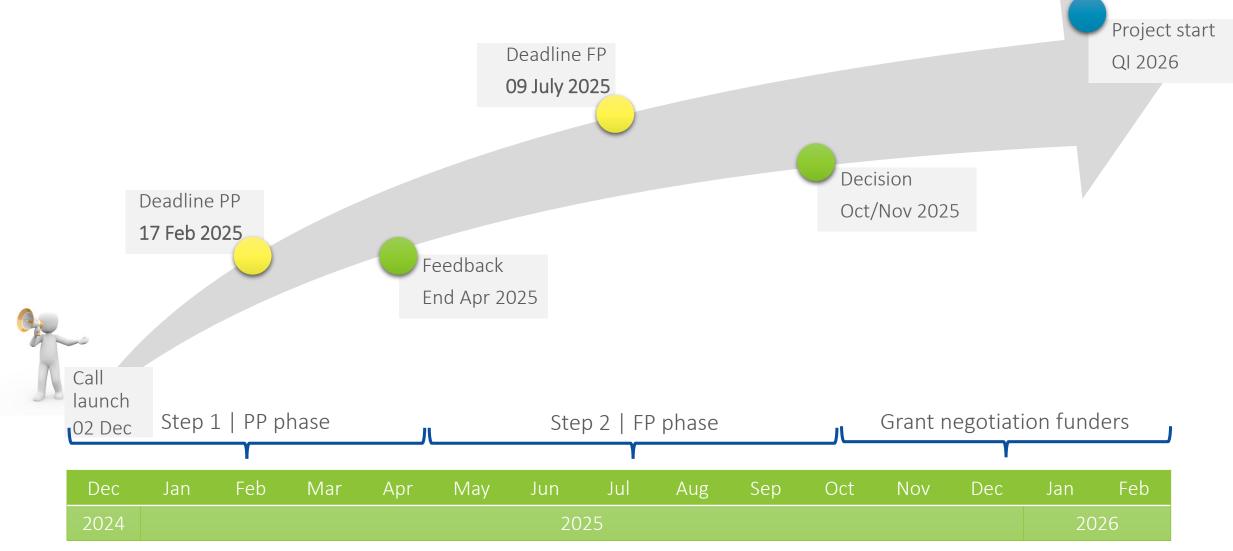
# Call procedure

Nicolas Tinois



# Procedure and timeline





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## PP and FP phases each phase includes

- Eligibility: general check and check by each funder
- Evaluation: conducted by an International Expert Panel
- Selection: Funders board decide on this based on ranking list (and availability of funds)

#### Grant negotiation process

- AFTER positive decision: full proposal was selected for funding by the Funders board
- Done on bilateral level between the individual partner and its respective funder
- Grants will be negotiated and released according to the regulations of the funder a partner receives funds from
- It is anticipated that all partners in one consortium should start at the same time
- Project consortium shall agree on a joint starting date, but start of individual partners in terms of their grants might differ
- Example: Partner 1 starts 01 Mar 2026, Partner 2 starts 01 Feb 2026 and Partner 3 starts 01 Jan 2026, all partners agreed on a project start 01 Feb 2026, this will be communicated to the public and call office

# Where is the funding coming from?



#### **Funder Board**

- Funders participating in this call with an initial indicative budget as outlined in Annex I and IX
- All funders build the so-called Funders Board and are the decision making body of this call

#### **Funding**

- This is a co-funded call under the partnership AGROECOLOGY
- Funds are provided by Funders for applicants from "their" country/region, only
- Co-fund from EC: All Funders will receive a portion of EC-fund to be "invested" in the projects and thus increase their committed budget to this call, this EC portion are not used as direct grant to applicants
- If your country is not listed, this means you can participate as associated partner on own resources only
- Funds will be released in case of a positive decision according to the funder specific regulations
- Grant Agreements will be negotiated and finalized between each partner and its funder

# How does PP and FP look like?



Section	Limits	Туре	PP	FP
PARTNER PROFILE(S)	/	Input mask, free text and pdf upload (CV) – 1 page	X	X
PROJECT DATA	/	Input mask, Tick boxes	Χ	X
KEYWORDS	5 words	Text field	Χ	X
LIVING LAB APPROACH	2,000	Text field	Χ	Χ
PROJECT SUMMARY	3,500	Text field	Χ	Х
DESCRPTION OF WORK – Excellence	8,000	Text field	Χ	Х
DESCRPTION OF WORK – Relevance	8,000	Text field	Χ	Х
DESCRIPTION OF WORK – Implementation	8,000	Text field		Х
SCIENCE POLICY INTERFACE COMTRIBUTION	1,000	Text field		Х
WORKPLAN	12 pages	Pdf Upload		Х
FINANCIAL PLAN	/	Input field/table	Χ	Х
FINANCE COMMENTS	2,000*	Text field		Х
ETHICAL SELF ASSESSMENT	/	Tick boxes and text fields	Χ	Х
DATA MANAGEMENT PLAN	1 page	Pdf upload		Х
DEC PLAN	1 page	Pdf upload		Х

<sup>\*</sup>per partner

# Eligibility



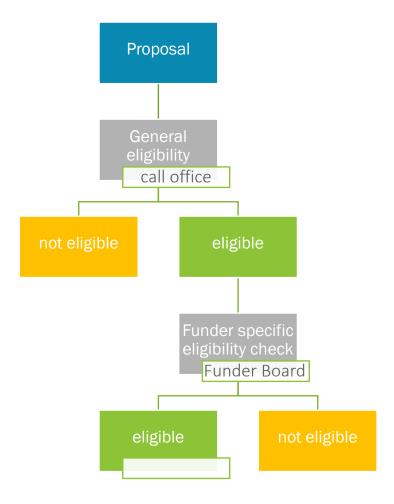
#### General eligibility check

Call office according to chapter 4.2

## Funder applicable eligibility check

- Each funder according to its rules and regulations as defined in Annex IX
- IMPORTANT: If one partner is not eligible than the entire proposal may be rejected

!Not eligible proposals will be rejected!



# Evaluation



#### General

- All eligible proposals will be peer reviewed by an International Expert Panel (chapter 6.1)
- Each proposal will be peer reviewed by 3 IEP members
- Each proposal will be scored according to evaluation criteria (chapter 6.2 and 6.3)
- Consensus score of each proposal will be elaborated during IEP meeting

#### Criteria

- PP: Excellence, Impact and Relevance to the scope
- FP: Excellence, Impact and Quality and efficiency of the implementation

#### **Thresholds**

- Criterion: 3 out of 5
- Total score: 10 out of 15 (FP)

#### Scoring

- **0:** The proposal fails to address the criterion or cannot be assessed due to missing or incomplete information.
- **1: Poor. The criterion is inadequately addressed**, or there are serious inherent weaknesses.
- **2: Fair. The proposal broadly addresses the criterion**, but there are significant weaknesses.
- Good. The proposal addresses the criterion well, but a number of shortcomings are present.
- **4: Very Good. The proposal addresses the criterion very well**, but a small number of shortcomings are present.
- 5: Excellent. The proposal successfully addresses all relevant aspects of the criterion. Any shortcomings are minor.

# Evaluation



#### Remote evaluation

- ✓ Individual by 3 experts from the IEP
- ✓ Individual scores for each criterion
- ✓ Experts chosen according to their expertise

## IEP meeting

- ✓ Each proposal and its individual evaluations and scoring will be presented as summary (Rapporteur)
- ✓ Agreement among experts on consensus score

## Ranking list

- ✓ compiling of 2 ranking lists based on scores
- ✓ Equally scored = equally ranked
- ✓ Shared with Funder Board

# Summary evaluation report (ESR)

- ✓ Compiled by rapporteur
- ✓ Shared with Funder Board
- ✓ Part of decision letter to coordinators sent by call office

# Others



## Redress procedure

- Following Article 30 of the REGULATION (EU) 2021/695 OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL of 28 April 2021
- Redress possible regarding the evaluation procedure
- Scientific or technical judgement of IEP members is irrevocable

#### General data protection issues

- Strictly followed by GDPR
- See <u>Privacy Notice</u> on our submission website
- Within the PARTNER PROFILE we ask for permission to use your contact data for further purposes

# Selection and Post selection



#### Funding decision

- Funder Board has the sole responsibility to select proposal
- Decision will be taken based on ranking list and availability of funds
- Step 1 | PP: Here Funders Board decides on PP selected to be invited to submit a full proposal
- Step 2 | FP: Here Funders Boards decides which FP will be selected for funding, here ranking list must be followed (HE rules for co-funded calls)

#### Post selection

- Outcome will be communicated to the Coordinator of one proposal
- Decision letters will include ESR
- Following a positive decision each partner of a successful proposal will start the grant negotiation process with its funder

# Obligations of funded projects

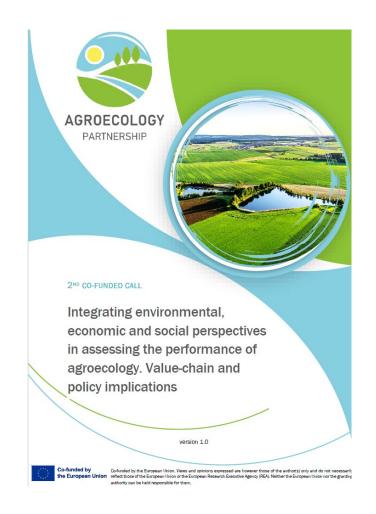


- 1) Contract negotiation with the applicable funder: each partner of one selected proposals needs to start the grant negotiation process on bilateral level with its applicable funder
- 2) Communication and dissemination: All selected projects will be published on AGROECOLOGY website, all projects shall acknowledge AGROECOLOGY in their communication and dissemination activities and all projects shall make best efforts to publish articles as open access only
- 3) Collaboration with the partnership AGROECOLOGY: All projects shall budget the participation to at least 3 joint meetings from AGROECOLOGY (kick-off, mid and end term meeting) and all projects have to submit a mid and end term report to AGROECOLOGY
- 4) Data management issues: All projects must implement a DMP in their project
- 5) Ethics assessment: Any Ethical issues which have been identified in the full proposal have to be addresses and cleared shortly following selection and justified in mid and end term reports

# Where do I find all information | CALL ANNOUNCEMENT



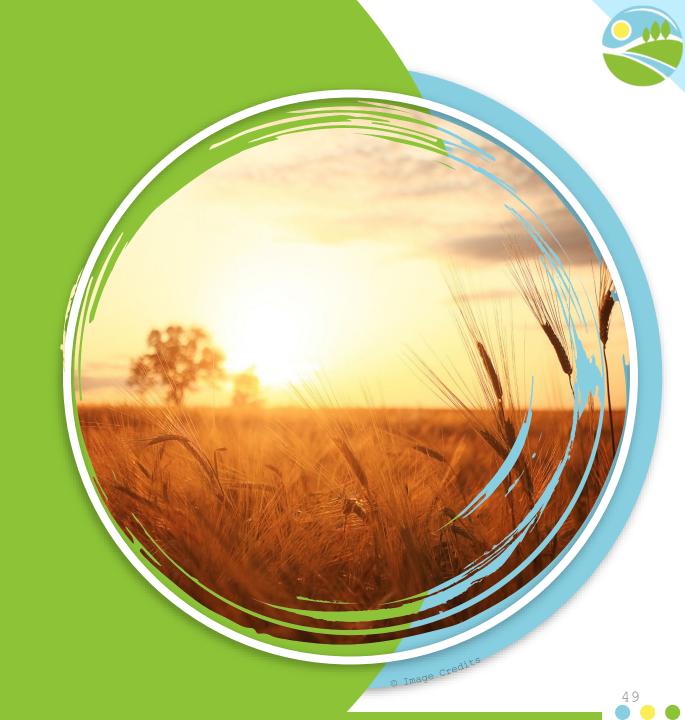
- 1) Preamble
- 2) Expected impacts of the 2nd AGROECOLOGY call
- 3) Call objectives and scope
- 4) Funding modalities and who can apply
- 5) Co-funded call procedure
- 6) Evaluation
- 7) Selection
- 8) Redress procedure
- 9) General data protection issues
- 10) Obligations of the funded projects
- + 12 Annexes





# Submission Tool

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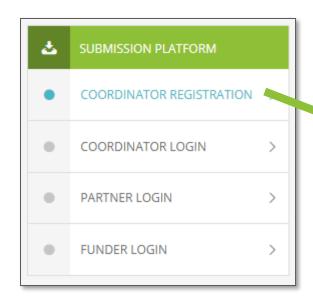


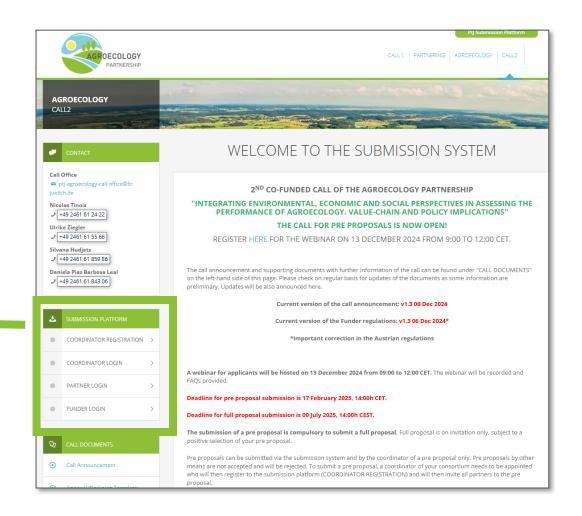
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#### Registration

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- Click COORDINATOR REGISTRATION





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- Fill in all requested data
- You will receive an activation link from:
   <u>ptj-agroecology-call-office@fz-juelich.de</u>
- Follow this link to activate your account for proposal submission

Please register with your name, e-mail address and	d choose a login name.	
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Password	Repeat password	
Passwords must contain an uppercase character, a low character, a base digit (0 through 9) and a nonalphanul character ([,;'%?#@="<>()!+*/]).		

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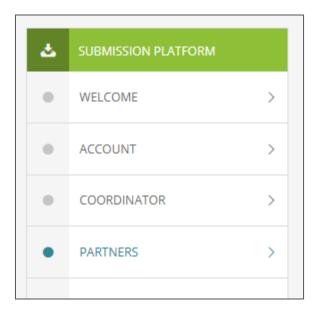
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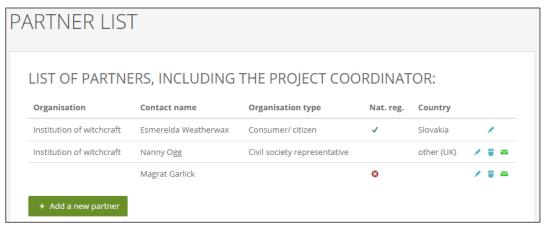
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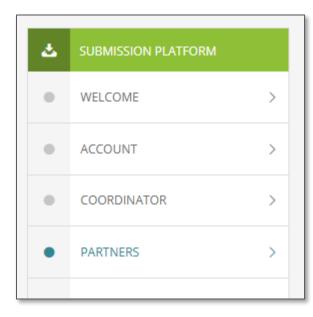
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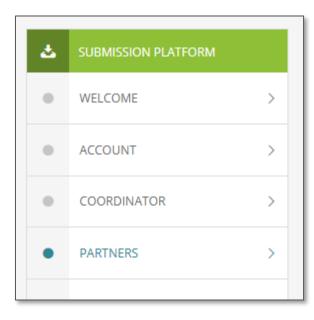
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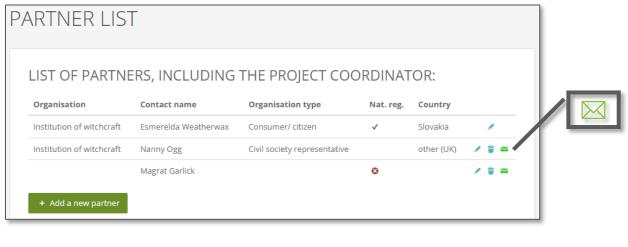
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## **SUBMISSION TOOL AND HOW IT WORKS**



#### General

- Information of each section in Annex II (pre proposals) and Annex IV (full proposals) and in submission system in each section
- Free text fields (formatting and inclusion of figures only possible for SUMMARY, LIVING LAB APPROACH, DESCRIPTION OF WORK)
- Tick boxes
- Radio buttons
- Dropdowns
- Uploads of pdf files and figures
- Look at the current version of your proposal: DOWNLOAD
- Check for completeness: VALIDATION

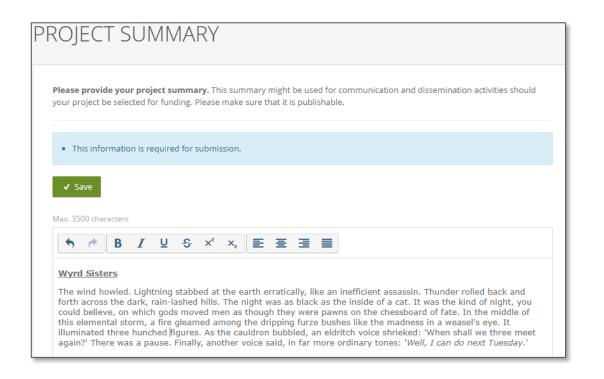
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•	FIGURES	>
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# Example free text field – PROJECT SUMMARY



#### Free text fields

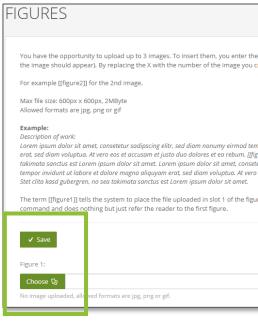
- On top description of section
- max. number of characters, here 3,500
- Text field with some option for formatting (e.g. bold/italic, center, ....)
- Do not forget to save data!
- You can include up to 3 or 6 (pre proposals/full proposals) figures in your proposal to underline your ideas











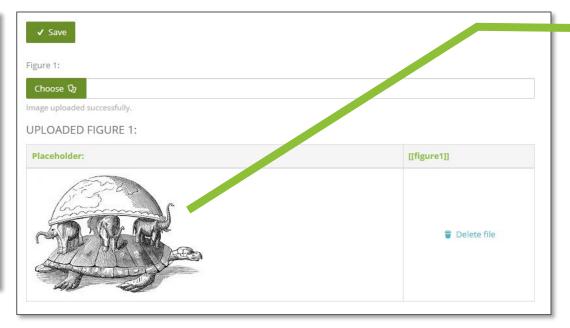
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- File path will always be C:\fakepath\name\_of\_figue.jpg
- Pay attention to correct size: 600x600 pixel
- Adjust size of figures by adjusting the size of figure: the lower the pixel x pixel, the smaller a figure will get
- Use suitable programs to adapt your figures to the correct pixel size, e.g. paint





LITERATURE REFERENCES >
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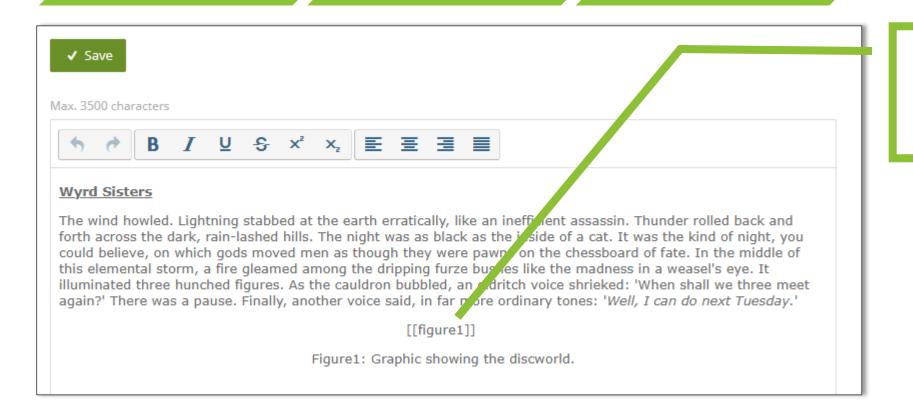
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PROJECT SUMMARY

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#### **PROJECT SUMMARY**

#### Wyrd Sisters

The wind howled. Lightning stabbed at the earth erratically, like an inefficient assassin. Thunder rolled back and forth across the dark, rain-lashed hills. The night was as black as the inside of a cat. It was the kind of night, you could believe, on which gods moved men as though they were pawns on the chessboard of fate. In the middle of this elemental storm, a fire gleamed among the dripping furze bushes like the madness in a weasel's eye. It illuminated three hunched figures. As the cauldron bubbled, an eldritch voice shrieked: 'When shall we three meet again?' There was a pause. Finally, another voice said, in far more ordinary tones: 'Well, I can do next Tuesday.'

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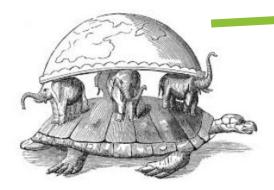


Figure1: Graphic showing the discworld.





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Figure1: Graphic showing the discworld.

# Budget of one proposal



#### FINANCIAL PLAN

- Here you fill in the requested funding per partner in the given cost categories as well as the own contribution
- Data needs to be filled in by coordinator on behalf of all partners!!
- Unit = k€ without decimals! 1,000 € = 1 k€
- Check Annex IX for funder specific regulation on each cost item, in case of doubts, contact them!
- Associated partners: here you cannot fill in any requests for funding, but provide information on own contribution

Organisation name	Personnel	Travel	/ Equipment	Subcontracts	Other	Requested Funding	Total Own Contribution	Total Costs
Institution of witchcraft						0	0	0
Overhead								

# Budget of one proposal



# FINANCE COMMENTS (full proposal only)

- Done by coordinator on behalf of all partners!!
- Description of each cost category/partner
- Check Annex IX for funder specific regulation on each cost item

#### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION**

Please enter a brief description regarding your costs:

Personnel	Travel	Consumables / Equipment	Subcontracts
	Brief	Description (max. 2000 characters)	
Name of the organisation			
Name of the organisation			

# Editing partner profiles

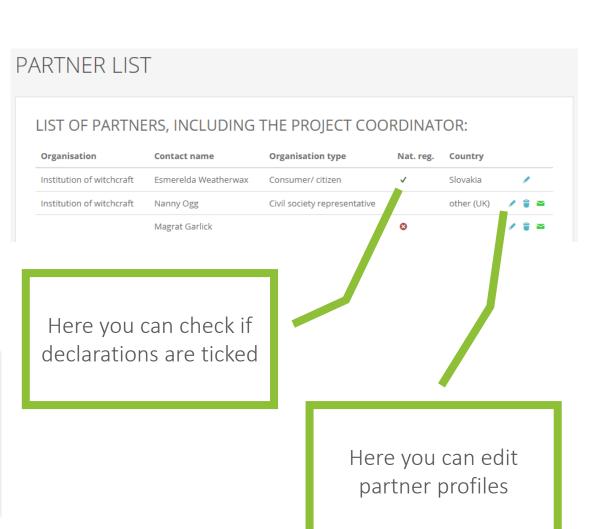




#### Partner profiles

- Coordinators are able to edit partner profiles from all partners in one proposal
- ATTENTION: The following declarations are only visible for each partner and cannot be confirmed by the coordinator on its behalf: Awareness of the Funder regulations and Privacy Policy

# Declaration Funder regulations \* ✓ I am aware of my funders' regulations (see call announcement). Privacy Policy \* ✓ I have read the notes on privacy and accept them.



# **OPTIONALS**



#### LETTER(S) OF FINANCIAL COMMITMENTS

- Obligatory for partners participating on own resources
- Template provided (Annex VIII)

#### LITERATURE REFERENCES

- Use to include all your citations from project description
- Take care of consistent numbering with the text

Do not use any of those menus for additional not needed/allowed uploads, e.g. add. CVs or add. pages of work plan, we will check on this and this may result in a non-eligible proposal



# FAQs

Entire team





# Closure

Nicolas Tinois



# **CLOSURE**









Following information of the webinar will be available soon

- ✓ Recording
- ✓ Presentation
- ✓ Questions and answers of the chat (without names)

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