

Horizon Europe Info Day and Brokerage event

Cluster 4 AI, Data and Robotics

17 June 2022, 9:30am to 1pm CEST

In collaboration with the European Commission and Ideal-ist

Agenda:

09:30 - 09:45 am - Welcome and Presentation of the AI, Data and Robotics

Association (Adra)

09:45 - 11:15 am - Presentation of topics by the European Commission and Q&A

11:15 - 11:30 am - Presentation of Ideal-ist and Brokerage tool

11:30 - 13:00 pm - Pitches



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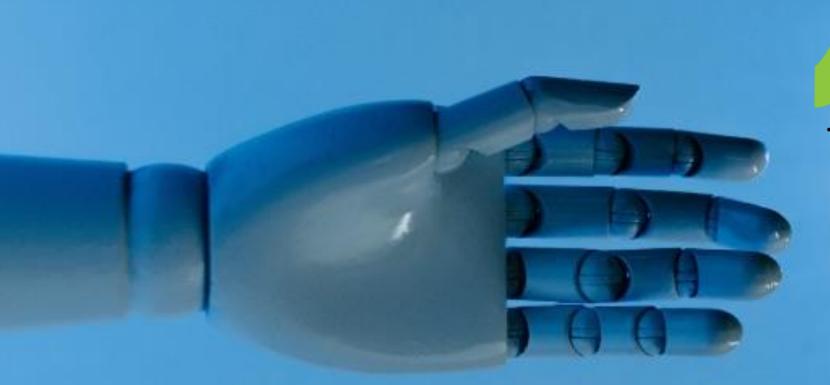
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Welcome and Presentation by Marina Bill, President of the AI, Data and Robotics Association (Adra)





The Al Data Robotics
Association

Welcome

The AI, Data and Robotics partnership (2021-2030)

Co-programmed partnerships in Horizon Europe



European Commission
Public Side

Co-Programmed Partnership

Adra Association
Private Side



The MOU signed between Adra and the European Commission:

- Up to 1.3 billion euros of public investment by the European Commission (through Horizon Europe)
- Up to 1.3 billion euros of private investment through Adra for the period 2021 – 2030





A Joint Initiative by













President and Founding Board



The Adra Office is supported by BDVA, CLAIRE Paris/Inria and euRobotics/University of Twente.





General Objectives of the ADR Partnership and Adra



Secure **European's sovereignty over AI, Data and Robotics** technologies and knowhow

Establish **European leadership in AI, Data and Robotics** technologies with high socio-economic and environmental impact



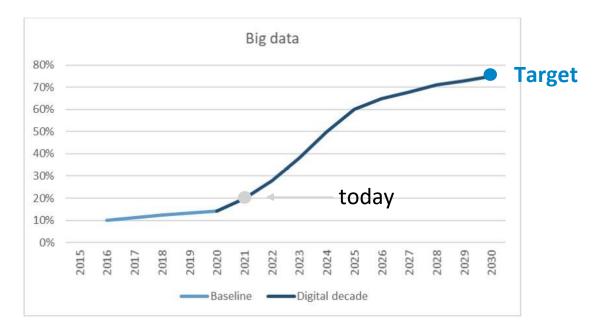


Reinforce a **strong and global competitive position of Europe** in AI, Data and Robotics



Adra is needed for the EU Digital Decade policy

Target: 75% of European enterprises have taken up Big data **Baseline (2020):** 14%



Target: 75% of European enterprises have taken up Al Baseline (2020): 25%

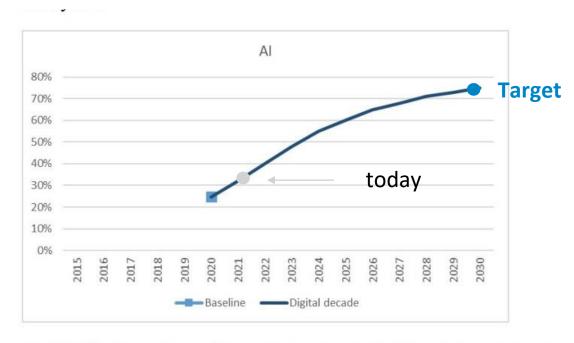


Figure 18: Percentage of European enterprises using big data (EU projection to 2030)

Figure 20: Percentage of European enterprises using AI (EU projection to 2030)

Source: Commission services based on data from Eurostat.

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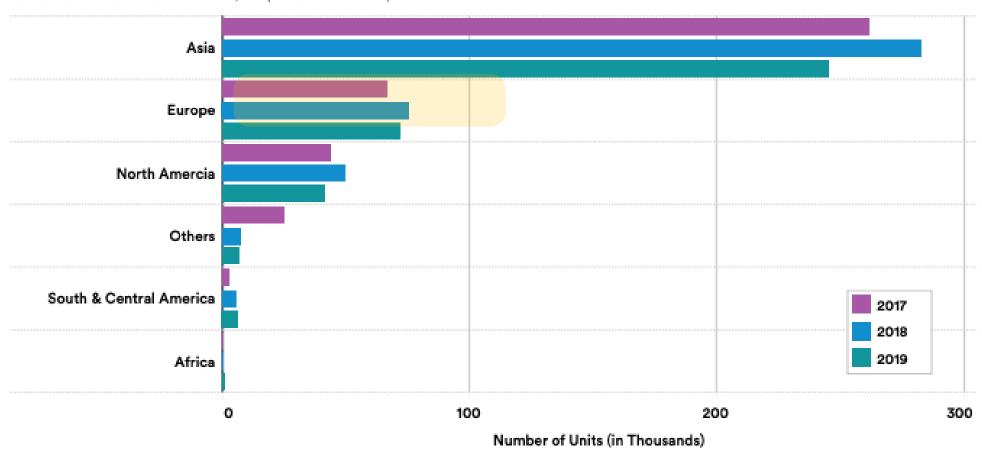




The Al Index 2021 Annual Report(1)

NEW INDUSTRIAL ROBOT INSTALLATIONS by REGION, 2017-19

Source: International Federation of Robotics, 2020 | Chart: 2021 Al Index Report





European Parliament report (May 2022): "on artificial intelligence in a digital age"

5. Conclusion: an urgent call for action!

294. Believes that the ongoing digital transformation, in which AI plays the key role, has triggered a global competition for tech leadership; stresses that the EU has so far fallen behind with the result that future technological standards risk being developed without sufficient EU contributions, oftentimes by non-democratic actors, which presents a challenge to political stability and economic competitiveness; concludes that the EU needs to act as a global standard-setter on AI;

p.58

REPORT on artificial intelligence in a digital age (2020/2266(INI)) Special Committee on Artificial Intelligence in a Digital Age. Rapporteur: Axel Voss. https://www.europarl.europa.eu/cmsdata/246872/A9-0088 2022 EN.pdf



Adra's approach to European Al, Data and Robotics

- Leverage existing European strengths in AI, Data and Robotics
- Openness and inclusiveness are essential to ensure success
- A broad dialogue is essential for the European innovation eco-system (Start-Ups, SMEs, Large Industry and Research)
- Safeguard balance and representation between constituences and industry/research
- Build the AI, Data and Robotics eco-system on existing stakeholder communities.
- Ensure representation of all important stakeholders including start-ups/scale-ups,
 SMEs, regional ecosystems



Adra Status – Chronology and Milestones 1/2

- First Board meeting April 2021
- Office setup April 2021
- Founding of the association May 2021
- Election of President Marina Bill June 2021
- Signing of MoU with the EC June 2021
- InfoDay organised in collaboration with EC and IDEAL-IST July 2021
- Initial website launched (www.adr-association.eu) and social media (LinkedIn, twitter)
- Start Bi-Weekly BoD meetings, bi-Weekly VP meetings (+ 45 minutes EC) August 2021
- GA (between founding members) October 2021
- Launch Event November 2021





Adra Status – Chronology and Milestones 2/2

- Open for members December 2022
- Shaping WP23-24 with EC February March 2022
- Exchange with NCPs today
- Periodic Welcome Event starting May 17th
- Infoday co-organized with EC and IDEAL-IST 17 June
- General Assembly Monday June 20th

Ongoing sub-committees (by the BoD):

- Communication and Marketing
- Adra Strategy and Vision
- Setup of task-forces
- Regulations and Finance
- Recruitment of Secretary General





Overview of Members

(June 2022)

Membership Category

| Industry Member | 6 |
|------------------|----|
| Research Member | 24 |
| Associate Member | 0 |
| Strategic Member | 7 |
| Total | 37 |

Founding Organisations Membership

| BDVA Full | 12 |
|----------------|----|
| BDVA Associate | 3 |
| Claire | 6 |
| Ellis | 1 |
| EurAl | 2 |
| euRobotics | 14 |
| None | 8 |

Members per Country

| Belgium 4 Germany 2 Spain 7 France 3 Netherlands 3 Finland 4 Ireland 1 Sweden 3 Norway 1 Greece 2 Slovakia 1 Italy 1 United Kingdom 1 Turkey 1 Poland 1 | | |
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| Poland 1 | Turkey | 1 |
| | Poland | 1 |



Membership Benefits 1/2

- Access to a large network of ADR stakeholders (Industry, Research and policy makers). This
 facilitates match-making to enter e.g. EU project consortia
- Impact on EU research programs. As a unique contractual partner to EC, Adra is involved in writing the research programs of Horizon Europe concerning AI, Data and Robotics
- Participate in the authoring of the Strategic Research, Innovation and Deployment Agenda (SRIDA)
- Coordinated response through position documents and white papers to consultations, and policy documents
- Improved visibility at EU-level



Membership Benefits 2/2 *

- Propose candidates to the Board of Directors
- Voting right in the General Assembly
- Lead and participate in topic groups and task forces

* for industry and research members. Slightly different rules for strategic and associate members



Adra asbl: Types of Membership

Members with voting rights

Industry Members

- Large companies
- Mid-Caps
- Small and Medium Enterprises ("SME") and Start-ups

Research Members

- Research and Technology Organisations (RTO)
- Universities, university colleges and university departments and laboratories or research groups of universities engaging in research, innovation and education (HES)

Strategic Members

 Not-for-profit organisations having their own members and whose main objectives are of essential value for the Purpose of the Association

Members without voting rights

Associate Members: trade unions, non-governmental organisations, regional clusters, etc. and other stakeholders not falling in the Member categories above



Annual membership Fees

| Type of Organisation | Description (total number of employees) | Annual fee | Maximum Discount if member of Founding Organisations |
|-----------------------|--|-------------|--|
| Large Enterprise | >3000 persons employed | 10,000.00 € | 5,000.00 € |
| Mid-caps | 250 – 3000 persons employed | 5,000.00€ | 2,500.00 € |
| SMEs | 1- 249 persons employed | 2,000.00€ | 1,000.00 € |
| Research and Academia | >= 50 employees | 2,000.00€ | 1,000.00 € |
| Small research entity | <50 employees | 500.00 € | 250.00€ |
| Strategic members | Any size | 3,000.00€ | NA |
| Start-ups | Any size (3 years) | 250.00 € | 125.00 € |
| Others | Any size | 500.00 € | 250.00 € |



How to apply

STEP 1: Download the template of the Adra Membership Application form from the Adra website www.adr-association.eu

STEP 2: Send an electronic copy of the Adra Membership Application Form filled in and duly signed to membership@adr-association.eu

STEP 3: Your application will be reviewed by the Adra Secretary General / Office that will inform you if any modifications or additional information needed.

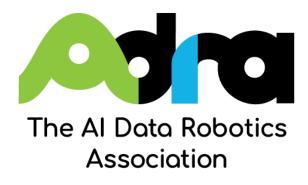
STEP 4: The Board of Directors reviews the application and decides on granting the temporary membership status.

STEP 5: The General Assembly grants the final membership status upon proposal of the BoD

Do you need any support? Send an email to secretary-general@adr-association.eu



Get in touch





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Presentation of Ideal-ist and Brokerage tool by Géraud Guilloud from Luxinnovation

Full Proposal Checks & Online brokerage

Horizon Europe Information & Brokerage

Al, Data, Robotics Partnership

17 June 2022



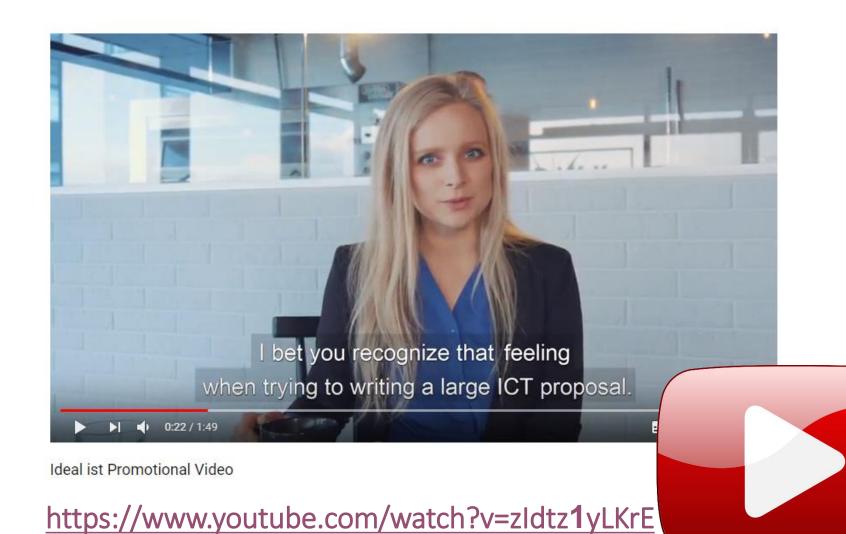
Géraud Guilloud HE delegate & NCP Luxembourg



Who we are?



Who?





Who?

Made up individuals with lots of experience to help you!

Ideal-ist has been active since 1996!

from 48+ countries!

Albania Argentina Armenia Austria Azerbaijan (Belarus) Belgium -Brussels Belgium -Federal Belgium -Flanders Belgium -Wallonia Bolivia Bulgaria Canada Croatia Cyprus Czech Republic Denmark Dominican Republic Estonia Faroe Islands Finland France Georgia Greece Guatemala Hungary Iceland Ireland Israel Italy Latvia Lithuania Luxembourg Macedonia Malta Mexico Moldova Netherlands Norway Poland Portugal Romania Serbia Slovakia Slovenia Spain Sweden Switzerland Tunisia Turkey Uganda Ukraine United Kingdom





Ideal-ist Services



Fantastic services!





Trainings, Seminars & Webinars



Brokerage events



Toolbox for proposers









<u>Topic Tree</u>



Pre-proposal check &

Full proposal review



VIRTUAL AGORA





Create a profile

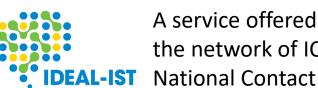


Share cooperation offers

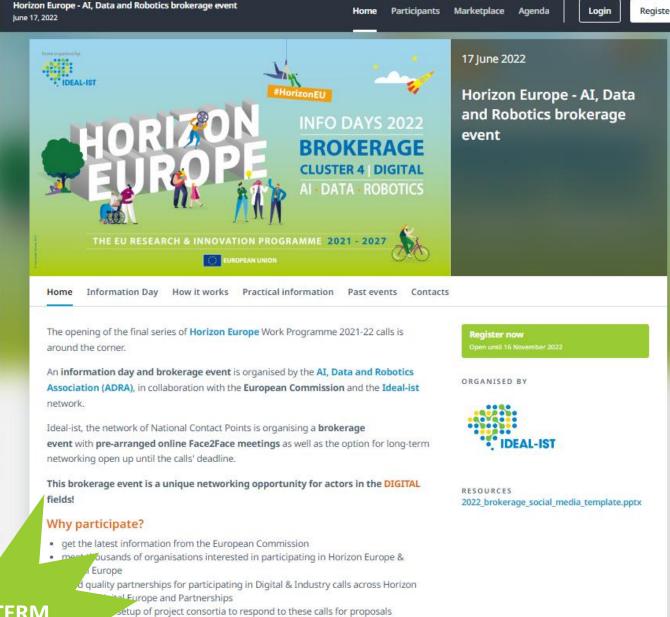
- Project ideas
- Expertise
- Requests



Find & contact partners



A service offered by: the network of ICT **National Contact Points**





and develop new project ideas at international level

https://horizon-digital-2022.b2match.io/ (horizon-digital-2022.ideal-ist.eu)

Ideal-ist

Full Proposal Check

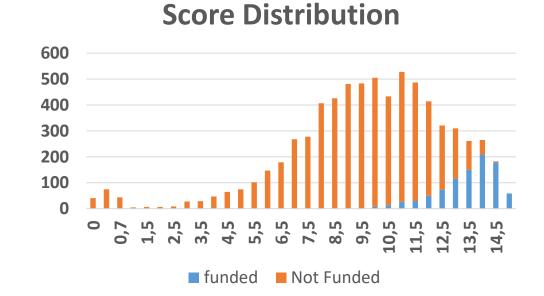
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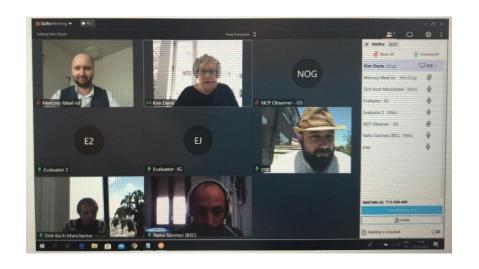


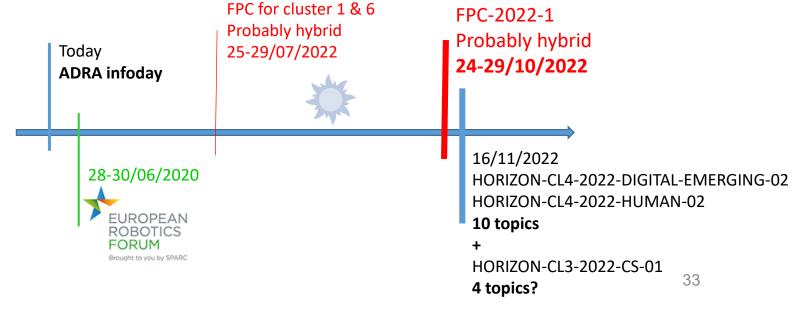
T4.5 Proposal Checks

Flagship Idealist service

Mock evaluation of the advanced draft







Full Proposal Checks – how can you benefit?

- 2 streams of actions:



Coordinators: if you are interested, you must retro-plan to have an advanced draft for end October



Volunteer as paid evaluators

Partners: poke your coordinator

Help us find
evaluators: forward
the call for EoI
DISCRETELLY – NOT IN
A NEWSLETTER

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https://twitter.com/ICT IDEALIST

https://www.linkedin.com/in/idealistictproject

We're also on **Youtube!**



The best place to benefit from H2020's

know-how, know-what, know-who and knowledge!



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Flanders Research Institute for Agriculture, Fisheries and Food ILVO

HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-05: Al, Data and Robotics for Industry optimisation (including production and services) //Together with BDVA Members HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07: Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors. //Willing to join

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EXPERTISE OFFER

- ✓ Integrated Institute AgriFood Industry From Farm to Fork
- ✓ Network of Farmers AgriFood Tech Living Lab DIH Smart Digital Farming
- ✓ Relevant project experience Al Data Robotics Strong Track Record
- ✓ "exploit the latest robotics advances and demonstrate at TRL6-7 use-case scenarios considering end-user needs and expectations" ... "real-world scenarios": Robotic Soil Sensing, Row spraying, Precision seeding, Fertilization
- ✓ "an interdisciplinary approach" ..." address non-technical issues hampering the adoption of AI, data and robotics in the selected application domain"

 Varia H 2020 & HE proposal writing experience and project management.







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Robust all-weather GNSS-free localization

Mika Vainio, D.Sc.(Tech.)



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ROBUST ALL-WEATHER GNSS-FREE LOCALIZATION

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07:

Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors

Type of project: IA

Project objectives:

Create GNSS and supportive infrastructure free full stack automation software working in all-weather conditions with centimetre level positioning.





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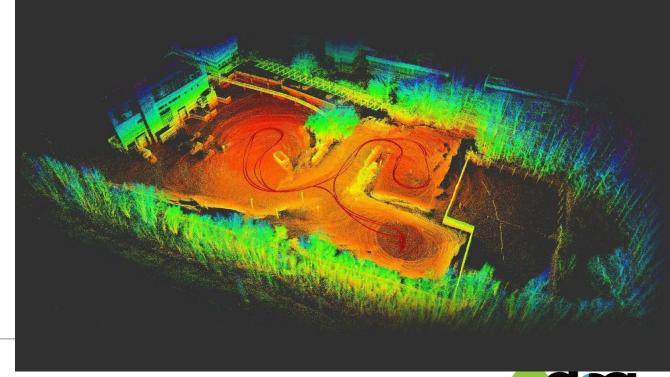
WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted

- Coordination, HQ software, HQ testing
 Types of partners sought
- Industry, SME, RTD center, Universities, Field&Service robot manufacturers/users

Work to be performed

Prototyping, Programming, System
 Integration and testing, Dissemination







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- GIM Robotics founded in 2014.
- Strong academic background. Mobile robotics since 1986 at Helsinki University of Technology (later Aalto University).
- 10 senior staff members have more than 200 years of combined robotic experience.
- 45 robotics professionals, with 7 having PhD.
- Tight R&D collaboration with sister company Sensible 4 with 100+ automation engineers.

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VTT – beyond the obvious

VTT is a visionary research, development and innovation partner

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Our networks

- Adra (board), BDVA (board)
- euRobotics, eurAl, CLAIRE
- EARTO (president)
- Finnish Centre for AI, FAIR EDIH

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2,093

employees

45%

of net turnover from abroad

actors

Turnover 254 M€

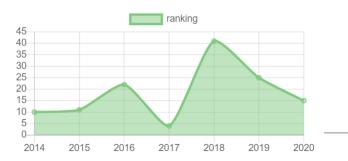
530 scientific articles/year

~ 430 patent families

VTT won **265 M€** EU funds 2014–2021

 $\pmb{\#18}$ out of 7000+

Ranking timeline:





Digital technologie

technologies

Quantum and photonics

Next-generation microelectronics

Integrated electronics

Personalised health and wellness solutions

We innovate tomorrow's solutions together with our customers and partners

Strategic foresight

We create

cutting-edge digital

technologies

and identify future

opportunities to solve

global challenges

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Connectivity in critical environments Security & defence technology

Space-based communication

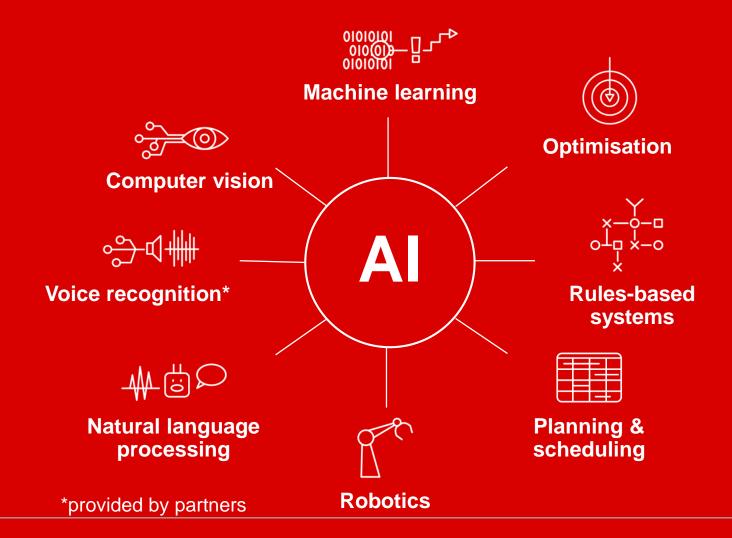
and observation

Competitiveness in an uncertain, complex, and ambiguous world

We enable the development of a highperforming and sustainable digital society



AI, Data and Robotics expertise at VTT



100+
Al & data scientists

30 + PhDs

Annual AI project volume

20+ M€





Demos Helsinki / Demos Research Horizon Europe CL4 calls

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Demos Helsinki / Demos Research Institute is the leading independent nordic think tank in transformative Al and digital policies.













We are a consortium member in five Horizon Europe projects, and a WP leader in six Academy of Finland research projects.

Our ongoing data/AI research projects:

Avoiding AI biases - Finnish framework non-discriminatory AI. Demos develops a framework for public organizations to assess fairness and biases in AI systems. (Finnish PMO, 2021-2022)

TOKEN - Transformative impact of distributed technologies in public services. Demos runs TOKEN's policy observatory for public officials (H2020, 2020-2022).

ATARCA - New economic models through anti-rival tokens. The project employs anti-rival DLT technology to better govern industrial data markets (H2020, 2021-2023).

Artificial Intelligence 4.0 programme for the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment

Experimentalist policy-making in technology for Open Loop.





Our expertise

Demos has extensive expertise in:

- Societal implications of emerging technologies.
- ethics, trustworthiness and responsibility in Al and data
- bias and discrimination in AI
- participatory co-design with citizens
- gender and intersectionality in Al
- data and Al governance, including EU policies.

We have an interdisciplinary research background from social sciences, ethics and political sciences.





Horizon Europe Cluster 4

We are especially interested in the following cluster 4 calls for fall:

- HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07: Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors
- HORIZON-CL4-2022-HUMAN-02-01: Al for human empowerment

Possible roles:

- SSH and ethics partner, looking at the societal context, diversity and power structures of the AI use cases
- Trustworthiness and AI ethics in practice: mapping citizen attitudes, acceptability and explainability
- Participatory design and deliberation, democratizing algorithmic fairness
- Building on and scaling up our soon-to-be published assessment framework non-discriminatory AI systems
- EU Al policy interaction and dissemination

We coordinated a proposal that got reserve listed for HORIZON-CL4-2021-HUMAN-01-24: Tackling gender, race and other biases in AI last fall. It's possible we might try to repurpose it for the 2022-HUMAN-02-01 call with existing partners. If you have specific expertise that could complement us in mixed human-AI initiatives /hybrid

decision-support systems (HRI/HCI) we might be interested in hearing from you.







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Department of Industrial Design

Future Everyday

Bridging the gap between emerging technologies and people's everyday life.

Systemic Change

Using design and technology to study socio-technical systems at the level of a group/community.

Vitality, Learning and Social Resilience





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Industrial Design Research Themes and application Domains

Health

Social Robotics

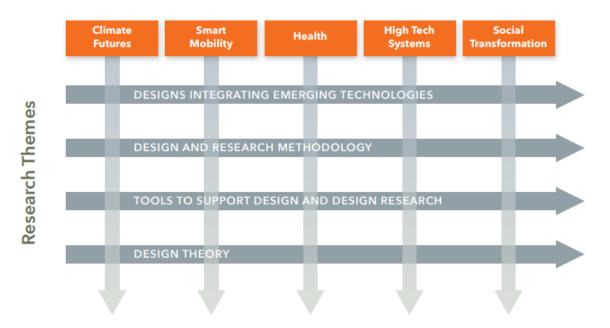
Aesthetics of Intelligence

Interactive Materiality

Social Resilience

Design Research Methodology

Education







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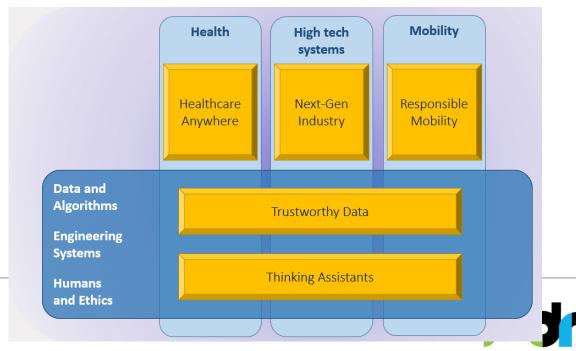
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Eindhoven Artificial Intelligence Systems Institute (EAISI)

Scientific Roadmap Certifiable, Robust Trustworthy Data and Explainable Al Integration Data and **Algorithms** Merging Models and Democratizing A Data in Al Al Al Systems Engineering Computational Augmenting Al Hardware Decision-making for Intelligence and Software Complex Engineering **Engineering Humans** and **Ethics** Human machine **Systems** interaction

Moonshots





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The University of Sheffield

Natural Language Processing Group
Prof. Kalina Bontcheva



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EXPERTISE OFFER as PROJECT PARTNER

Deep Learning Methods for Natural Language Processing

Cloud-based Infrastructures for Natural Language Processing

Knowledge Graph Extraction and Population

Large-scale, Real-time Analysis of Social Media Content

Detection of Online Abuse

Detection and Analysis of Online Misinformation

FAIR open-source NLP methods and tools





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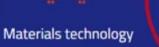


IFE, Institute for Energy Technology



















ry and Safety and security

Host of the OECD NEA Halden HTO (earlier HRP) project





The first designated IAEA International Collaborating Centre in the field of nuclear decommissioning

Founding member of the

Cluster for Applied AI &

Cluster for Decom. and Repurposing





Integrated industrial process management system





IFE

Robots & Digitalisation

Sexy and other requirements Copplities (models) of humans case

Hazard
Aware
Digitalisation and
RObotics in
Nuclear and
other domains

Input data

Support for design, testing, safety demonstration, mission control, training,

...

Assets (robots, sensors, humans, ...)























DigiDecom 2022

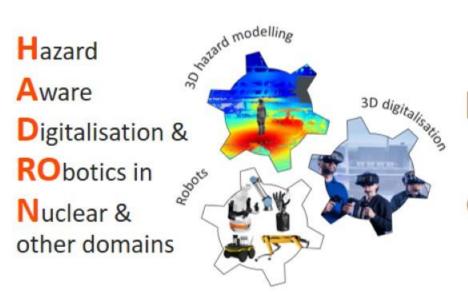
October 18 - 20

Norway - hybrid event



Institute for Energy Technology (IFE)

IAEA Collaborating Centre



AI, data and robotics
powered transformation for
a sustainable
decommissioning in nuclear
and other industries



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MuselA

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MuselA proposes to bring innovation and creativity to Horizon Europe projects « AI, data and robotics »

Cécile Calé & Régis Guyonnet





MuselA
Artificielle intelligence
Augmented Intelligence and
Associated technologies

Presentation of MuselA founders & expertise

Cécile CALE

Researcher CNRS/Arts professor Exhibition curator& ArtAdvisor Direction of artists of intl. stature Conceptor workshops & Conferences Arts & Innovations

Régis GUYONNET

Chief Engineer

Head of innovation department

(French ministry of interior)

Manager cyber&IA

fusion of high quality creative processes and those at the cutting edge of engineering, in order to create business value and provide a broad competitive advantage

Synergies Art Intelligence + Engineering + Related technologies

Imagination/Innovation/concretization
Usecases/feasibility/operativity
Reconciliation of the sensitive and the
intelligible

Strategic and prospective dimensions of art intelligence associated with operational added value

Involved areas of expertise:

Strategic and prospective dimensions of art mobilized to innovate

Research in Al&cybersecurity

Design of Command&Control Centres (C2)

Jury management, contemporary art practice, training and selection of emerging or renowned artists or creatives

Information Design / data visualisation

Scenographic direction of exhibitions / art centers to maximize perception and information capture

Partner and WP leader in ASGARD (H2020), CYBERSPACE (ISFP), POLITICE (Horizon Europe FCT)

Envisioned Partnership:

Joining any CL4 European
Consortium as a full SME partner

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This Muse + IA fusion becomes a catalyser of innovation for the future

What does MuseIA bring into projects?

Stimulate creativity and boost innovation in AI, robotics, improve data visualization through the involvement of our network of artists, researchers and innovators of very high levels.

- Develop the ability to think "out of the box" in order to develop a creative and prospective mindset.
- O Bring together profiles from the arts and humanities with other fields to work (workshops, hands-on workshops, ...) in a transdisciplinary way and go as far as prototyping of innovative objects related to robotics.
- Enrich and refine the visualization of data, better showing and perceiving the complexity of data. Artists and designers make information more visually understandable.
- Working with designers and artists to produce information, communication and awareness-raising campaigns, including the production of films, cartoons, video games, digital material and social media, etc.
- Create immersive digital artworks and environments wherever necessary to facilitate training, education and user experience.
- Establish digital platforms for stakeholders and partners to easily and securely exchange research activities, digital strategies and scientific projects, as well as to share information between partners and stakeholders
- Organise events and exhibitions when required by European projects and interior architecture, interior design, digital environments. We are very experienced in aesthetics and how to design harmonious and pleasant spaces.









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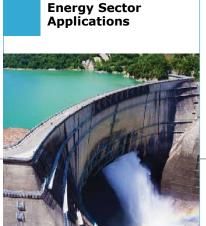
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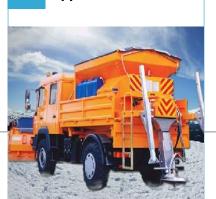
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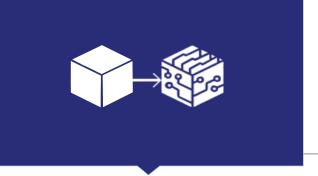
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Big Data/ Artificial Intelligence



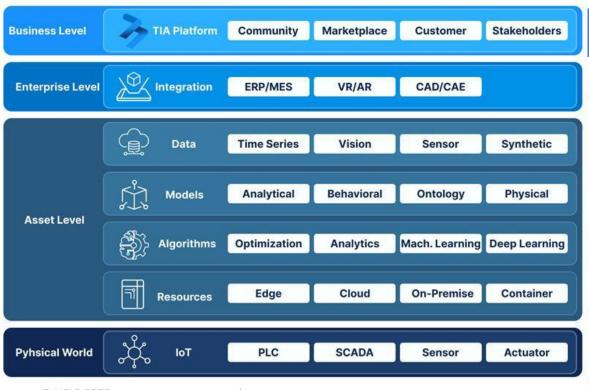


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Digital Platforms for Energy, Manufacturing and Process Industries and Use Cases

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Selected R&D Software Projects

COGNITWIN

Cognitive Plants Through Proactive Self- Learning Hybrid Digital Twins

FACTORY4.0

Development of Industry 4.0 Based Digital Twin Platform for Production Data Processing and Analysis

TC-VISION

Digital Transformation of Bearing Quality Control with Computer Vision and Artificial Intelligence

MACHINAIDE

Knowledge-based services for and optimisation of machines

TX-VISION

Automatic Defect Detection for X-Ray Test Systems

WELDVUE

Optimized Resource in High Value Sectors

CONSTRUMATIC 4.0

Industry 4.0 Based Advanced Robot Technology

FLOW-CAM

Knowledge-based Services for and Optimisation of Machines

QU4LITY

SMART-CNC

DIGITBrain

COATWIN





















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PROJECT IDEA

Development and Deployment of Digital Platforms for Energy, Manufacturing and Process Industries that bring AI, Data and Robotics in order to have quality lives and a better world

OFFERS by the CURRENT CONSORTIUM



Use cases from the energy sector

especially in solar power

Technology providers in

 computer vision, data fusion, deep learning based automated inspection, smart camera AI based image sensor, robotics platform

Research institutes for

machine learning, SLAM and SWARM algorithms







RELEVANT CALLS AND TOPICS

Digital and emerging technologies for competitiveness and fit for the Green Deal

2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07

IA/ Project Size: 6.0M, Budget: 36M Euro

Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors (AI, Data and Robotics Partnership)

- Development of robotics technologies in ways to autonomously take over dangerous, dull and dirty jobs, or tasks beyond human capabilities
- Easy to use, explainable and compliant AI tools

A human-centred and ethical development of digital and industrial technologies

- 2022-HUMAN-02-01
- RIA/ Project Size: 4.0M, Budget: 16M Euro
- Al for human empowerment (Al, Data and Robotics Partnership)
 - Human-Al hybrid decision-support systems

- Human-centric AI for supporting professionals in decision making
 - Developing AI/Data/Vision algorithms for Robotic Systems

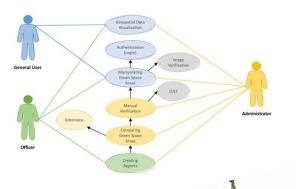
Due: 16 November 2022







WANTED ...



More application oriented use cases:

- dangerous/dull and dirty tasks beyond human capabilities
- strenuous for humans
- in extreme environments
- manufacturing and process industry

Experts with Social Sciences and Humanities

- Ethics

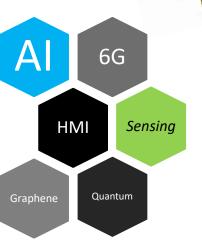
Trustworthiness and acceptability by humans at the design phase sers/Technology providers and research institutes in

- 6G networks
- explainable AI and human centric AI
- Innovative HMI
- Quantum science/computing/simulation/communication/sensing
- Graphene
- Sensing

DIH networks

DIH

- Robotics
- Al
- Data







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PROJECT IDEA

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-05 - AI, Data and Robotics for Industry optimisation

Type of project: RIA for developing new/improved solutions involving fundamental or applied research. IA for contributing towards improvement of existing products, processes or services.

Project objectives:

RIA Develop effective Artificial Intelligence techniques for edge computing.

IA Adapt existing AI techniques to meet the requirements of specific applications.





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WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted: Coordination for managing the whole project, Industrial/academic domain expertise for developing complementary research ideas and exploitation.

Types of partners sought: Industrial partners with real-world use cases of AI and for data sharing, academic partners in other relevant areas of research.

Work to be performed: Research, Prototyping, deployment and evaluation/validation of solutions in real/simulated scenarios.



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EXPERTISE OFFER

- Artificial Intelligence to address issues like edge computing, energy-efficiency, realtime decision-making, online learning, lifelong learning, federated learning.
- Main area of expertise is neuromorphic computing and other forms of bio-inspired AI.
- LU provides infrastructure for <u>high performance computing</u>, industrial robotics (<u>intelligent automation centre</u>, <u>SMART</u> manufacturing) and sports equipment (<u>Sports Technological Institute</u>) and aerial robotics (<u>LUCAS</u>).
- Proposed activities: Writing, Brainstorming, Reporting, Leading research (dissemination and exploitation) and other necessary activities (except coordination).





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PROJECT IDEA

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07-Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors (AI, Data and Robotics Partnership)

Type of project: IA

Project objectives: Help customers during their shopping experience

smarter recommenders for customers

conversational AI ----Virtual Smart Clerk

digitalization of the routin operations in stores





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WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted

Use Case partners conducting e-trade and owning the bulk of related data

R&D partner working in AI and big data processing

Research Partners (Universities and Research Institutes)

Technology Providers (Large Industry Firms, Research Institutes and SMEs)

Types of partners sought

Industry, SME, RTD center, University, User-groups, etc

Work to be performed

Prototyping, Programming, System Integration, Dissemination, Engineering, etc





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EXPERTISE OFFER

Retail company in Home Improvement Sector

280+ stores and 1 Research and Development center in Istanbul

90+ Researchers

100 K+ customers

Software Developers in Robotics

Al Solutions

Mobile Application Development

Prototyping, dissemination, engineering









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COMPANY SNAPSHOT (SME)

22

YEARS OF TRACK RECORD IN CONVERSATIONAL TECH

+200

CLIENTS IN 16 COUNTRIES USE SESTEK SOLUTIONS

%70

70% of WORKFORCE ARE R&D ENGINEERS

100% In-house Developed Technologies

Speech Recognition (SR) Text-to-Speech (TTS)

Voice Biometrics

Natural Language Processing (NLP)

Artificial
Intelligence (AI)

Speech and Text
Analytics



R&D CENTERS

%88

OF REVENUE = R&D → COMMERCIALIZATION

11

PATENTS

+60

PUBLICATIONS

INCLUDING

- 1 ECSEL
- 1 EUROSTARS
- 1 GLOBALSTAR

- 4 EUREKA

CALLS WE ARE
INTERESTED IN

- CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-05
- CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07
- CL4-2022-HUMAN-01-01
- CL4-2022-HUMAN-01-19
- CL4-2022-DATA-01-01
- CL4-2022-DATA-01-04

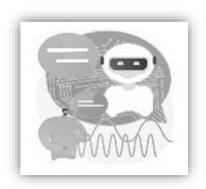
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FUNDED R&D PROJECTS



EXPERTISE OFFER

Conversational AI



- Virtual Assistants
- Speech Recognition (SR)
- Text-to-Speech (TTS)
- Artificial Intelligence (AI)
- Natural Language Processing (NLP)

Conversational Biometrics



- Active Verification
- Passive Verification
- Blacklist Identification

Conversational Analytics



- Speech & Text Analytics
- Real-time Analytics
- Automated Quality Management





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Automatisation and optimisation of processes in Solar PV Value

Chain

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PROJECT IDEA

Topic:

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Type of project: IA

Project objectives:

The objective is to **enhance efficiency of processes** in the PV value chain, accelerate PV project identification, optimize PV plants performance by means of **AI techniques**



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WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted

Coordination (we have no resources for that), AI technologies specialists, users in the Renewable energy value chain in order to build a use case for this Topic.

Types of partners sought

Industry, SME, RTD center. Any partner with strong competences in IA, data mining, Machine Learning, Geographical Information Systems, Predictive Maintenance

Possible synergies with other value chains (renewables such as wind for example)

Other partners in the Renewable Energy value chain are welcome to contact us.

Work to be performed

Prototyping, programming, integration into user's information systems



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Feedgy develops innovative solutions to 1/ extend the lifetime and improve the performance of existing photovoltaic power plants, and 2/ contribute to the massification of solar PV in Europe by accelerating processes

Our expertise :

- Solar PV business (performance optimization, monitoring, fast identification and evaluation of potential new PV projects, repowering of existing plants, photonics)
- Artificial Intelligence: ML, algorithmics, Deep Learning, programming, integration

Strong collaborations today with French labs (CNRS, universities) and strong knowledge of the PV value chain **Looking for EU partners to :**

- build a use case, leverage on synergies with other value chains
- reinforce collaboration and integration in the EU ecosystem



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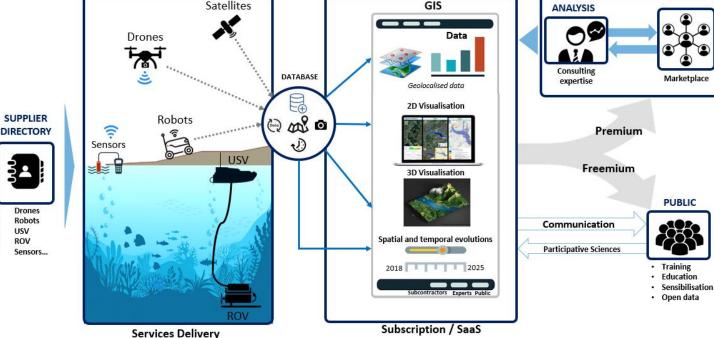
PROJECT IDEA

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07 Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors (AI, Data and Robotics Partnership)

Type of project: (IA)

Project objectives:

Monitoring human, technological and social impacts on the earth environment through smart devices and digital technologies



PLATFORM

NETWORK OF EXPERTS





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WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted

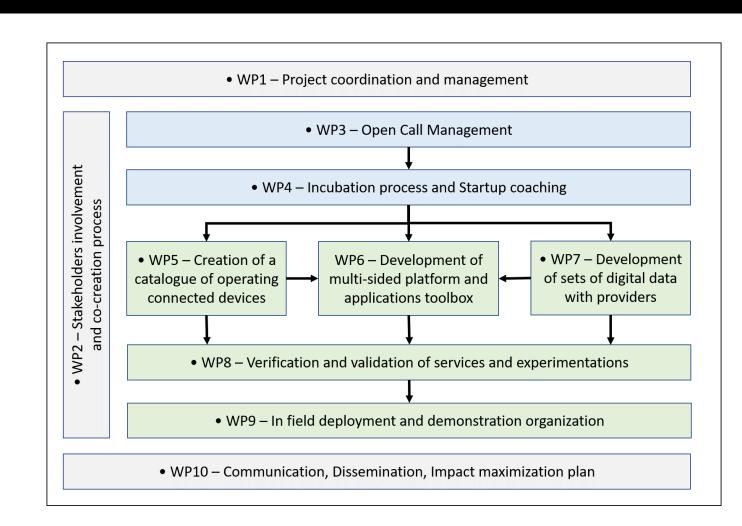
Coordinator, WP leaders, Cascade funding, multi-sided platform development

Types of partners sought

- Industry: Environment, sustainability, DeepTech
- SME, RTD center & University: Robotics, drones, IoT, IA, data sciences
- User-groups: Quadruple Helix (public authorities, industry, academia and citizens)

Work to be performed

Prototyping, Programming, System Integration, Dissemination, Engineering





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EXPERTISE OFFER

European & International Ambition

Strengthening European innovation projects

Facilitating international business development

- PARTNERSHIPS with European clusters
- Reinforced INNOVATION process
- VISIBILITY at European level
- PROMOTION of the Deeptech ecosystem
- Accelerating international GROWTH
- Technological PARTNERSHIPS

Marketing, networking, communication and dissemination



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NAITEC

- · Private non-profit foundation
- · 75 researchers
- 22% PhD
- · 40% female, 60% male

MEMBER OF:

- ADRA
- CCAM
- ERRIN
- · COST
- <u>OE-A</u>

Main calls of interest

HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL EMERGING-02-05 HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL EMERGING-02-06

HORIZON CL4-2022-DIGITAL EMERGING-02-07

- Experience as WP Leaders in HE, Interreg, Eureka......



KNOWLEDGEMENT

EXPERTISE IN ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE



DIGITALIZATION

- Sensor development for critical parameters control in real time
- Sensor integration and implementation
- Communications
- IoT. IIoT
- Cybersecurity

Machine learning

- Smart management, security, governance and data analysis
- Design of Experiments
- Existing data study system and predictive model integration
- Analytical and computational models
- Time series, online learning and optimization

Computer Vision

- Images recognition
- Adquisition systems (cameras, lightment)
- Deep Learning
- Spectral images, resolution improvement

Digital Twin

 Digital Twins for operation and maintenance physical and industrial processes

SIMULATION

- Finite element simulation
- Structural simulation
- Dynamic fluid, fluidthermal, chemistry, electromagnetic, multiphysic simulation

- · Process optimization
- Product optimization
- Process automation
- Predictive Maintenance
- · Management and traceability of assets, logistics

- · Anomaly detection
- People and objects detection
- Diagnostic fault in product and process
- Diagnosis and prognosis of diseases

- · Industrial plants prediction
- Physical processes prediction

- MLOPS design solutions
- · Cloud solutions
- Edge solutions
- Embedded IA system design and development

- Predictive models customization in embedded devices
- Methodologies and architecture design for training and export of predictive models
- Custom user interfaces (GUI) development





INFRASTRUCTURE

| Al and Data Analytics laboratory | The AI and DA laboratory aim the development of methodologies that allow a new concept of workflow, based on automation, adaptation and servitization (MLOps) as a solution that can tackle the complexity and growth of machine learning in companies. |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Digital Technologies laboratory | The Digital Technologies laboratory aim the development of electronics devices where communications, embedded hardware and software, and mechanical integration are designed ad-hoc. A huge portfolio of laboratory instrumentation and simulation software are available to develop the IoT devices required for digitalization. |
| Cybersecurity laboratory | The Cybersecurity laboratory aim the development of testing electronics devices and applications for the fulfilment of the IEC62443-1 norm, relative to Secure product development lifecycle requirements. |
| Autonomous System laboratory | The autonomous system laboratory is a facility in NAITEC devoted to the use of unmanned vehicles for different applications: logistics, agriculture, industrial, inspection, safety and security, etc. |
| | It includes simulation capabilities. |
| | The laboratory is part of the Uspace Test Center "NAITEC- Aerodromo Lumbier", where multi vehicle automatic use and coordination is tested (in the image for safe and security applications). |
| Urban Circuit facility | The urban circuit is a 2.3 Km infrastructure around NAITEC. It is a highly instrumented area for checking models of traffic, implementation of elements in smart cities, and check of Autonomous vehicles. |
| | The infrastructure is supported by a simulation and calculation knowledge. NAITEC can simulate models of mobility and checking them in real location. |



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- Safety, Assurances, Self-Adaptation
- Institute for Safe Autonomy

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Deliver an approach supporting the systematic engineering of dependable MRS

- Open, modular, configurable, reusable, model-based
- Use public meta-models and configuration tools
- Enable reasoning about the dependability of MRS
- MRS may employ AI and operate in open configurations
- Consider uncertainty during operation (including cyber-attacks)















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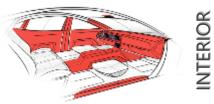


Products

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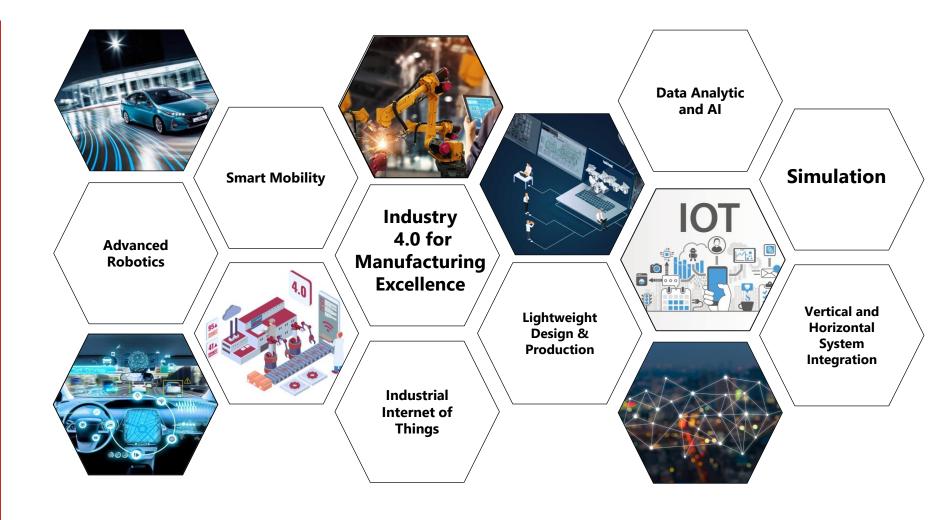


LIGHTING





Interested Subjects





Industry 4.0 for Manufacturing Excellence

Capabilities of Manufacturing Excellence R&D Center

Advanced manufacturing techniques

- Research and applications on plastic material assembly
- Algorithm development for artifical intellegence and optimization techniques
- Logistic optimizations

IoT

- Data send/receive application with manufacturing machines
- Digital twin

Advanced robotics

- Autonomous transport system
- Research on robot kinematics and Dynamics
- Safety guidance robots

Machine vision

- Computer vision techniques and image
- AR and VR systems adaptation in production

Al in management

- RPA(Robotic process automation)
- Al optimization for human resource
- Al optimization for manufacturing planning





International Funded Project

HORIZON 2020

REVOLUTION

Supporting the Electric Vehicle
REVOLUTION through
maximising Electric Vehicle
Range and End-of-Life Vehicle
Recovery through optimisation
of recycled plastics and
advanced light materials



Human-Al Teaming
Platform for Maintaining
and Evolving Al Systems in
Manufacturing



Advanced and sustainable recycling processes and value chains for plastic-based multi-materials



Industrial Data Services for Quality Control in Smart Manufacturing

HORIZON EUROPE



InnoVative processing
Technologies for bio-based
foAmed thermopLastics



Mitigating Diversity Biases of Al in the Labor Market



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APPENDIX



Relevant HE Call Topics

- HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-05: Al, Data and Robotics for Industry optimisation (including production and services) (Al, Data and Robotics Partnership)
- HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-06: Pushing the limit of physical intelligence and performance
- HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07: Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors (AI, Data and Robotics Partnership)
- HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-20: 2D-material-based composites, coatings and foams

• HORIZON-CL4-2022-HUMAN-02-01: Al for human empowerment (Al, Data and Robotics Partnership)











CATEC (Advanced Center for Aerospace Technologies)

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CATEC-ATLAS



- Research center focused on aerospace with more than 14 years of experience
- CATEC is a leading technology center in Europe in the development of drones for civil application and the largest private research center linked to the aerospace sector.
- More than 100 engineers and technicians working on:
 - UAS/drones/aerial robotics technology development
- Important experience participating in European projects
 - Involved in 25 European projects in the last 12 years
 - Coordinating PILOTING H2020 project, more of 9 M€
- 6 international awards in the last 5 years
 - MBZIRC 2020 with 250K\$ award
 - Overall Innovation Radar Prize 2017
- Direct collaboration with the major companies of the sector in Spain
- State of the art equipment and facilities including a flight test center for UAS
- Member of BoD of euRobotics



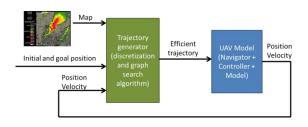
CATEC: Technological Center oriented to applied research, experimental development and technological innovation www.catec.aero



ATLAS: Experimental Flight Center for RPAS www.atlascenter.aero

Main technologies: Autonomous Systems

- Implementation of advanced Guidance, Navigation and Control (algorithms)
- Customization of Control Station and Mission SW for applications
- Captor drone technologies
 - Use of autonomous drones to minimize collateral damages in neutralization operations (specially in urban environments)
- Multi-vehicle trajectory planning



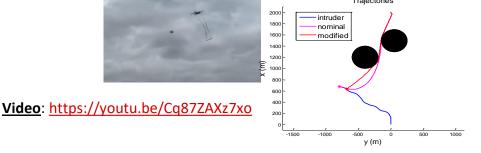


Swarming (flight formation)











Video: https://youtu.be/w7F4cnbr48A



Main technologies: Al & Perception



- Artificial intelligence technologies
 - Automatic detection of other aircrafts: Detect and avoid algorithms
 - On-board autonomous detection and tracking of persons
 - On-board and real-time processing of DNN algorithms
 - Automatic guidance of the gimbal and the aerial vehicle to maintain persons in the field of view of the camera
 - Embedded AI being able to autonomously handle new situations where the target is temporally lost or actively hidden to recover tracking of the objective



Surveillance & Security Applications



Automatic detection of other aircrafts **Video**: https://youtu.be/GONH09q5rvU



Multi-objective detection

Video: https://youtu.be/rT_UG6ZUKKM



Automatic detection and tracking (gimbal and aerial vehicle movements)

Video: https://youtu.be/sXYRg9ksHWM



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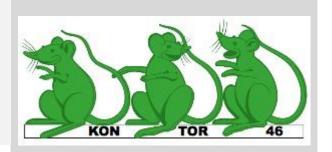
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Applicated and integrated AI, Robotics, Digital Twins

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PROJECT IDEA

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-05 / AI, Data and Robotics for Industry

optimisation (including production and services)

HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-06 / Pushing the limit of physical intelligence and

performance

HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07 / Increased robotics capabilities

Type of project: RIA/IA,

Project objectives:

Integration of AI, Digital Twins, Robotics demonstrated in at least three use case per project





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PROJECT IDEAS All include: STANDARDS, Al, Decision support systems, Digital twins

AI-ML-Robotics-DTs for the industry/maintenance/production of alternative energy

ROBOTICS ENABLED AUTOPSY.

DENTIST THIRD HAND Decision support system & DT to plan intervention and follow-ups.

AI- MACHINE LEARNING & DT for citizen empowerment with use cases: fake news, environmental impact, personal finance, cybersecurity

Al Data and Robotics for FOOD INDUSTRY optimisation OR White Goods recycling/





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WANTED

Competences & Skills wanted

Technical

Types of partners sought

Industry, SME, RTD center, University, User-groups, END USER FOR USE CASES

Work to be performed

Prototyping, System Integration, Components development





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EXPERTISE OFFER

Project technical innovative concepts

Safety and risk assessment, standards & certification, verification and validation.

Al and Machine learning

Human robot interaction design

Visual ergonomics and interfaces design (AI, Robotics, Cybersecurity)

Physical ergonomics, work psychology.

Interfaces and applications for the control of connected devices (industrial, medical, technical)

Biosensors based connected monitoring devices for the environment, biomed, veterinary



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We worked in many projects

ESA: HEWS, MARES, PEMS II

FP7 & H2020: ROBOTICS: LOCOBOT, ENRICHME, FLOBOT, APRIL, VOJEXT

BIOSENSORS AND SENSORS: THERAEDGE, BURBA, MARIABOX, SWINOSTICS

ENI CBC-MED: TRANSDAIRY

We are involved in ISO working groups in AI and in Robotics





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HORIZON-CL4-2022-DIGITAL-EMERGING-02-07 / Increased robotics capabilities demonstrated in key sectors

- HORIZON-CL4-2022-HUMAN-02-01 / AI for human empowerment
- HORIZON-CL4-2022-HUMAN-02-02 / European Network of AI Excellence Centres:

Expanding the European AI lighthouse



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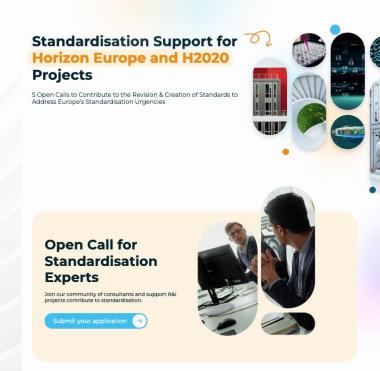
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HSbooster.eu – The essentials

- HSbooster.eu Standardisation Booster for H2020 and Horizon Europe Research Results
- Coordination & Support Action (101058391)
- April 2022 March 2024
- Budget €2m
- HORIZON-WIDERA-2021-ERA-01-32 Standardisation Booster for fostering exploitation of FP-funded research results and managed by the European Research Executive Agency (REA).
- "A new service for EU research projects that want to ensure that their results create real impact by contributing to standards development. Peter Droell, Director at the European Commission's Research and Innovation Unit
- Strong consortium with expertise and experience in standardisation, training and delivering EC Booster services



Our Experts will advise Horizon Europe and H2020 projects on how to contribute to standardisation in their field



- Project Coordinator
- COMMpla Platform manager



Automated services management



 EAG management Open calls and EPE management



 Training academy management



 Proactive services management



 Premium services management



External Advisory Group

- Backed and supported by experts with complimentary expertise and roles
 - Vertical sectors
 - Technologies
 - Standardisation
 - Advisory roles
 - Market needs
 - Innovation

















































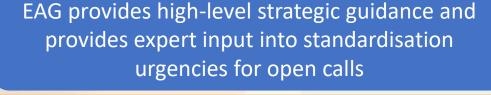


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Secretary General









HSbooster.eu in a nutshell

Objectives

General Objective: To test a "standardisation booster" programme to facilitate European results in standardisation

Obj.1 EU Community

Obj.2 Serve H2020/HE Projects

Obj.3 New standards development

Obj.4 Uptake of new technologies



Policy, Standards, and Synergies

- 3 impact reports
- 1 sustainability report
- 25+ MoUs signed
- 100+ measurable liaisons H2020-HE Projects/SD0s
- 500+ impacted standards



The HSbooster.eu Programme

- 1,000+ H2020/HE projects served overall
- 1 continuously open call for recruiting 250+ External standardisation Experts (EPE)
- 250+ Automated services delivered
- 250+ Proactive services delivered
- 5 open calls, assigning 500 Premium services
- 6 training packages, 1,500+ trainees

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- 2,000+ engaged community members
- 250+ EPE members
- 10 EAG members

Community

 3,000+ DB of H2020/HE projects with promising standardisation paths



Reports



- Service matrix
- Lessons learned & service report
- Initial, intermediate and final impact reports
- Sustainability report

Outreach

- 14 Webinars
- 3 Workshops
- 2 Yearly "Impact Events"
- 24 newsletters
- 8 Press Releases
- 36 Professional Videos
 Visibility at 10+ third party events



HSbooster.eu reports and policy briefs can contribute to the EU Standardisation ecosystem providing live information on the activities, status and impact of projects in the standardisation field.



HSbooster.eu Programme



Delivered by Standardisation Experts

5 Open Calls

21 June 2022 – Jan 2024 Services last up to 3 months

Training Academy

Continuous open call
Now open

Pool of Experts (250)

Standardisation experts

L1 Support

Helpdesk | Chatbot Readiness tool Proactive support
Mapping &
matchmaking

Facilitating R&I innovation related stakeholders in EU projects towards EU standardisation and ensuring two-way flow of information that can contribute to identification of new areas for standardisation.





5 OPEN CALLS

Covering topics related to the standardisation urgencies highlighted in the EU Strategy on Standardisation.

The 1st OPEN CALL will start on 21st June until 30th September

2nd OPEN CALL > October 2022 - January 2023

3rd OPEN CALL > February - May 2023

4th OPEN CALL > June - September 2023

5th OPEN CALL > October 2023 - January 2024









First OPEN Call for EU Funded Projects

Deadline to submit applications > 30th September 2022



Sustainable Digitalisation

- Data quality & Artificial Intelligence
- Access to & usage of data
- Space
- Data and cybersecurity
- Quantum technology



Pandemics

- E-Health & personalized services
- Design & use of medical devices
- Al in Healthcare



EU Green Transition

- Clean energy
- Materials (raw and secondary)
- ▶ Green & sustainable production
- Environmental impact



Resilience

- Robust supply chains
- Climate resilience
- ▶ Hybrid civil/defence
- ▶ Data protection & cybersecurity



Smart City & Circular Economy

- Circular economy
- Transportation
- ▶ Infrastructure
- Green buildings

Topics based on EU Standardisation urgencies, EC call topics & focus of ESOs, NSBs, SDOs. https://hsbooster.eu/open-call-topics





OPEN CALL for Standardisation Experts

Supporting Horizon Europe and H2020 projects address Standardisation priorities in Europe

Join our pool of experts

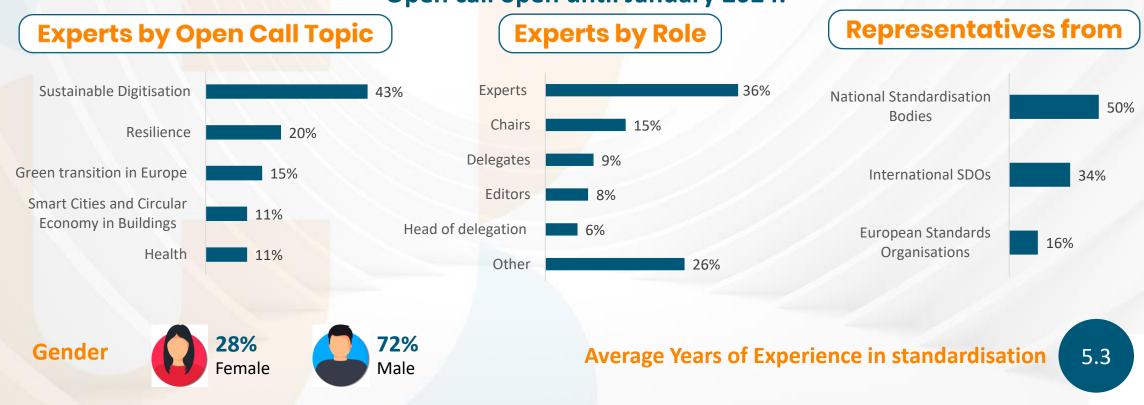




Standardisation Expert Open Call

57 Standardisation Experts Recruited since 30th May 2022





Standardisation practices & procedures | State of the art | Where are revisions or new standards needed? | Optimal standardisation workflows and timelines | Unique inside knowledge to facilitate contributions

Applications open: www.hsbooster.eu/epe/register



Next steps

- First Open Calls for projects opens 21st June 2022
- **▽**July August
 - Finalisation of service platform & testing
 - Allocation and notification of experts to project applications
- ₹5th September
 - Service delivery commences
- September 2022 March 2024
 - Services delivered on first come first serve basis





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Key-Achievements of StandICT.eu 2023 so far



6 Open calls Completed

Open Call #7 now launched & runnning until 06 July

Functional Grants
Platform for
applications &
evaluation process
(58 contractualised
EPEs)

8 Webinars on topical subjects (AI, Cybersecurity, EU ICT Policies, Trusted Information, Education in Standardisation, Blockchain)

Participation to 33 third-party events + 9 SDOs meetings

16 Memorandum of Understanding signed with relevant players
Synergies with 56
Stakeholders





EUOS Release (March 2021) +
Publication of AI Landscape
Report + Smart City Landscape
Report + Trusted Information
Report

11 EUOS TWGs on key ICT domains to work on dedicated Landscape & Gap Analysis
4 Landscape Reports completed

More Landscape
Analysis reports in
release pipeline for 2022
(Blockchain, IoT, EDGE,
Robotics, Ontologies)



COMMUNITY
1484 registered users
3165 LinkedIn Followers
790+ Twitter Followers

Expert Advisory Group (EAG)
members from SDOs, European
Commission & Industry (20
members contributing to keep
topic list updated)

3 Impact Reports released to disseminate the concrete outputs of fellows funded under Open Call #1 e #2

4th issued in June 2022



1° to 6° Open Calls – Facts, Figures & Major Accomplishments



1st to 6th Open Call

RESULTS & POPULAR TOPICS

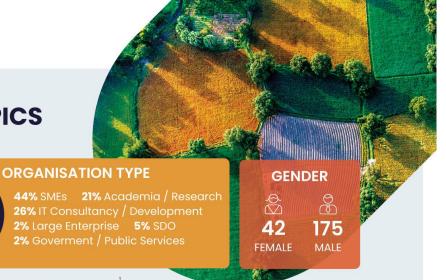
FUNDED 217

Applications for a total amount of 1.565.796,54 €

GRANT TYPE

197 Long term 18 Short term

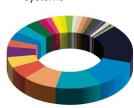
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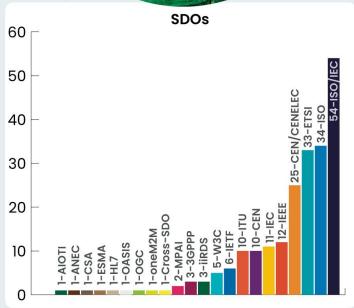


MOST TARGETED TOPICS 37 Cybersecurity

- 27 Artificial Intelligence
- 24 Blockchain & DLT
- 23 5G
- 13 Quantum Technology
- 9 Semantic Interoperability
- 8 Smart Cities
- 7 Fintech & Regtech
- 6 Electronic Identification & **Trust Services**
- 6 Smart Grid & Smart Meterina
- 5 Cross Domain Technologies
- 4 Accessibility of ICT
- 4 Bia Data, Open Data & Public Sector Information
- 4 Intelligent Transport Systems
- 4 Ontology
- 2 Circular Economy
- 2 e-Transport

- 2 Industry 4.0
- 2 Personal Identification
- 2 Trusted Information
- 1 Augmented Reality
- 1 Building Trust
- 1 Cloud Computing
- 1 Construction
- 1 Digital Twins
- I ICT Environments Impact
- 1 Privacy
- 1 Robotics & Autonomous





Consistent number of proposals coming from applicants coming from SMEs and/or IT field as well as from Academia/Research

Cybersecurity, 5G, Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain & DLT proved to be yet the most popular topics.

A wide range of different topics tackled: e-Health; Semantics; Smart Grids; Smart Cities and more.





The EUOS TWGs & Landscape Reports published





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"Landscape of Artificial Intelligence Standards", "Landscape of Smart Cities Standards" and "Landscape of Trusted Information Standards" are the fruit of the dedicated Technical Working Groups.

The Reports provide an encompassing compilation of standardisation efforts underway in the framework of European SDOs, such as CEN and ETSI, Government, Public Bodies and Agencies, Global SDOs, and initiatives.

11 Technical Working Groups that encompass +100 renowned Standards experts in key ICT and technological domains:

- 1. Artificial Intelligence
 - 2. Blockchain
 - 3. Smart Cities
 - 4. Cybersecurity
- 5. Trusted Information
 - 6. Digital Twin
- 7. Big Data Interoperability
- 8. IoT & Edge Computing
 - 9. Ontologies
 - 10. Robotics
 - 11. EUOS Academy



#7 Open Call



The #7 OC will run until the 06th of July. The leading theme will be "AI, Data & Robotics" and the list of eligible topics has been augmented with the introduction of new topics of the recently released ICT Rolling Plan and more (i.e. Data Economy, 6G, U-Space)

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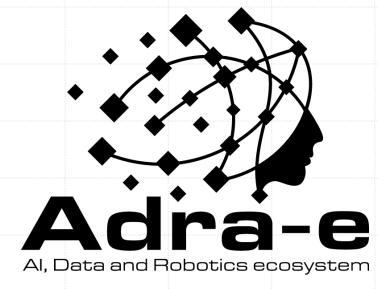


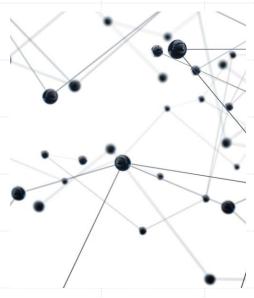


Standards in ADRA-e

European Partnership on Artificial Intelligence, Data and Robotics

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ADRA-e

Call: HORIZON-CL4-2021-HUMAN-01

(A HUMAN-CENTRED AND ETHICAL DEVELOPMENT OF DIGITAL AND INDUSTRIAL

TECHNOLOGIES 2021)

Topic: HORIZON-CL4-2021-HUMAN-01-02

Type of Action: HORIZON-CSA

Proposal acronym: Adra-e

Type of Model Grant Agreement: HORIZON Action Grant Budget-Based

Budget: €4,000,000

Standardisation methods for trustworthy and ethical AI to foster AI, data and robotics industry, and **in support of the Commission regulatory framework**.

- The project will develop the **ADR online Observatory of standards** and standardisation activities, leveraging on the StandICT.eu project. After the first iteration, which will cover the **standards at European level**, further iterations will pave the way at **international level** for the sustainability of the activities in Adra-e. [Technological impact, T5.2 through the building of a feasible European regulation framework.]
- In a wider impact, the **adoption of standards** will improve the **trustworthiness** of EU industries and processes and increase their **acceptance by the civil society**. Driven by ethical principles, standards and efficient regulations will **safeguard the interests of EU citizens**.

Scale and significance of the project's contributions to the expected outcomes and impacts

- 50 standards Having the experts group supporting the technical WG on ADR will impact on average 50 documents own to the multiplier effect typical of the TWG & TCs technical committees. To maximize the impact on Europe needs, a focus on harmonized standards needs will be made.
- Scale: 30% of new standards analysed. An effect of this type immediately contributes to bringing the European standardisation community at a remarkable level of impact on international standardisation.
- Significance: Europe will have a corpus of standards harmonized with its regulation and Europe's voice towards standard development activities will be reinforced when Adra takes over at the end of Adra-e.

Adra-e's Value Proposition to Target Groups

Value proposition to ADRe target groups

Al. data & robotics stem mapping

Dialogue forum and joint task forces

ADR Standards Observatory

Al Trust Label to Promote Adoption of Al Solutions

Community-Sourced Recommendations for Adra & SRIDA

ADR Awareness Centre

Community Building and Convergence Events Programme

FOR STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATIONS

Gain insights from ecosystem mapping activities and provide a reference point for standards in ADR



Coordinating Trustworthy Al development and use in Europe



FOR DEVELOPERS AND DOMAIN EXPERTS

Encouraging new innovations through more accessible EO data & tools for non-technical users

FOR RESEARCH & ACADEMIA

Bringing innovative ADR research closer to the market through closer cross-sectorial links







Involve them in mapping activities and encourage adoption of trustworthy AI solutions and standards

FOR GOVERNMENT & POLICY ACTORS

Provide recommendations to the SRIDA, a platform for better cross-stakeholder links and be a reference point to support policy discussions on the European and MS level





FOR CITIZENS & CIVIL SOCIETY

Raise awareness on the benefits of trustworthy AI and address misconceptions

ADRA-e Standardisation and regulation

OBJECTIVES

- Provide support and contributions for the implementation and the update of the SRIDA standardisation actions for trustworthy and ethical AI to bolster the AI, Data and Robotics market in Europe.
- Set up a competent and authoritative Experts Group for standards.
- Deliver a comprehensive, relevant, and inclusive AI, Data & Robotics Standards Observatory
- Task 1 Expert Group animation, state-of-the-art in AI, Data and Robotics standards, and monitoring of ongoing standardisation activities.
- Task 2 Alignment and mapping with regulations and research recommendations.

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