

INNOVATION AND NETWORKING UNIT

Integrated services for Fostering Innovation
Networking and Technology Transfer

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WHO WE ARE

The National Documentation Centre (EKT) is a Greek research centre and a public organisation supervised by the Ministry of Digital Governance.

Strategically connected with the stakeholders of the Greek innovation ecosystem, EKT supports:

- evidence-based public policy making with valid data provision
- open data and open science
- interaction between research and business
- digital transformation and innovation



INNOVATION



***'There is a way to do it
better. Find it !'***

Thomas Edison



INNOVATION – From Lab to Market

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A5n5fFPZEoM>



Services and Networks



Horizon Europe



Enterprise Europe Network



EIT Health



Knowledge Bridges



Metrics Publications



Communication
Dissemination



Enterprise Europe Network

The largest internationalisation and innovation support network in the world!



3.000+
Advisors



600+
Organisations



65
Countries

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EKT : Coordinator of the Greek hub «Enterprise Europe Network – Hellas»

16 established institutions that support entrepreneurship and innovation



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ΗΛΕΚΤΡΟΝΙΚΟΥ ΠΕΡΙΕΧΟΜΕΝΟΥ



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ΕΠΙΜΕΛΗΤΗΡΙΟ
ΑΘΗΝΑΣ



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Σύνδεσμος Βιομηχανίας
Θεραπείας & Συνεργασίας Επιχειρήσεων



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ΤΡΑΠΕΖΑ ΕΠΙΧΕΙΡΗΣΕΩΝ



Τεχνολογικό
Ινστιτούτο
Επιχειρήσεων
Γερμανίας
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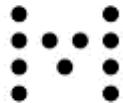


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Who comes to us?

InnovationEKT

Startups



Scaleups



Spinoffs



SMEs



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EXCEPTIONAL HELLENIC PRODUCTS

Public organisations



Universities &
Research Technology
Organisations



Cooperatives and
social enterprises



#EENCanHelp

What do we offer?



NETWORKING SERVICES

Promote and facilitate partnerships

Support participation in communities and knowledge networks



ADVISORY SUPPORT SERVICES

Access to funding

Access to market and technology transfer

Innovation management



INFORMATION & COACHING SERVICES

Raising awareness

Capacity building



NETWORKING
SERVICES



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The WEbarometer 2022 - Join Us In Finding Ways to Improve Women Entrepreneurs' Access to Funding

European Union English

#CEstakeholderEU

European Circular Economy Stakeholder Platform

Joint initiative by the European Commission and the Platform for Circular Economy

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What's new

Circular Buildings: constructing a sustainable future, a new publication by Holland Circular Hotspot

Upcoming events

Circular Transition Stories from 9 European Cities: an event by Resourceful Cities

18-01-2023 10:00-11:00 CET

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What's new

Circular Buildings: a new publication by Holland Circular Hotspot



Matchmaking/Brokerage Events & Company Missions





NETWORKING SERVICES

Matchmaking/Brokerage
Events & Company Missions

EU-Japan-Green-Transition-2022
March 14 - February 28, 2023

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14 March 2022 - 28 February 2023
Japan

EU-Japan-Green-Transition-
2022

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Welcome to

EU-Japan Green Transition Matchmaking Platform

Enabling new business between Japan and Europe for a greener Economy.

This Platform brings together companies as well as research organisations from Japan and Europe to build business partnerships that contribute to a low-carbon society.

The Platform is based on the idea of open innovation. Registrants create profiles including their "Offers" and "Requests" / "Seeds" and "Needs", which will allow them to identify potential partners.

Registered participants are able to browse each others profile and search for potential partners by keywords and categories. It is possible to send messages or request meetings, which will take place in the form of video calls. This is time - and cost efficient and results in business!

A first round of prearranged online meetings will take place before, during and after

[Register now](#)

Open until 20 December 2022

LOCATION Online

ORGANISED BY



EU-Japan Centre
for Industrial Cooperation
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EU-Ukraine
Solidarity Lanes

Business Matchmaking Platform

[The Platform](#) [How it works](#) [More cooperation](#) [Online events](#) [Passed online events](#) [FAQ](#) [Contact](#)

Keeping Ukrainian goods moving:



EU-Ukraine Business Matchmaking Platform

Since Russia's unprovoked and unjustified invasion of Ukraine and the blockade of Ukrainian seaports, Ukraine has been unable to export its produce to destinations around the world via the usual routes. This situation threatens global food security; alternative routes are needed urgently.

- Are you looking for ways to support Ukrainian exports?
- Does your business offer transport or storage solutions?
- Are you a Ukrainian grain trader and you are looking for a logistics partner to export your products?

LOCATION
Ukraine

ORGANIZED BY



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europe
network



THE SUPPLY CHAIN RESILIENCE PLATFORM



The Supply Chain Resilience (SCR) platform

Welcome How it works FAQ Contact

Welcome to

The Supply Chain Resilience platform

powered by the Enterprise Europe Network in collaboration with the European Cluster Collaboration Platform, with the support of the European Commission and EISMEA

Register your business to connect with new partners and secure your international supply chain!

Europe is facing a number of economic, environmental and social challenges, most

Register now

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Helping companies innovate and grow internationally

International partnerships
Expertise, contacts and events to connect you with the right international partners to grow your business.

Advice for international growth
Get advice for growth and expansion into international markets.

Support for business innovation
Solution-driven advice to help you turn your innovative ideas into international commercial successes.



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Partnering Opportunities

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Profile type(s):

- Business Offer
- Business Request
- Research & Development Request
- Technology Offer
- Technology Request

Profile country of origin:

- Albania
- Armenia
- Austria
- Belgium
- Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Brazil
- Bulgaria
- Cameroon
- Canada

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Natural cooling solutions sought for homes to be sustainably renovated

Summary

Profile type

Technology request

POD reference

TRNL20221003006

Term of validity

03 Oct 2022 - 02 Oct 2023

Company's country

Netherlands

Type of partnership

Commercial agreement with technical assistance

Targeted countries

All countries

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General information

Title

Natural cooling solutions sought for homes to be sustainably renovated

Short summary

A Dutch housing corporation, with more than 4000 social rental homes, is looking for a solution that can ensure natural cooling of homes to be renovated in the coming years. Solutions for cooling homes that do not result

Digital twin (AR/VR) technology for planning and monitoring Smart Cities and Construction offered

It renders it possible to digitally design, simulate, engineer and monitor sites or entire cities, thus saving time, cutting costs and reducing waste.

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Support to a wide range of stakeholders, businesses, research institutions, academic institutions etc.



Research outcomes to be brought to the market as products and services for the benefit of the society and citizens

Access to market and finance





INFORMATION &
CAPACITY BUILDING
SERVICES

Resilience, Digitalisation,
Sustainability

Update on sustainability/digitalization/gender & women's entrepreneurship issues.

Information about access new markets.

Information on financing tools, sustainable financing tools etc.



The Challenge of "Legal Support in a "Scale Up"
Business: Investors, New Markets, Contracts"

Services for circularity and sustainability



"Sharing & Circular Economy: Do more with less"
Tuesday 26 November 2019

Sustainability Assessment Services

- ✓ by certified innovation consultants - EEN members
- ✓ Highlights strengths/weaknesses of the business
- ✓ action plan for sustainability / more resource efficiency

Methodology & Tools

Kearney/ IMP³rove

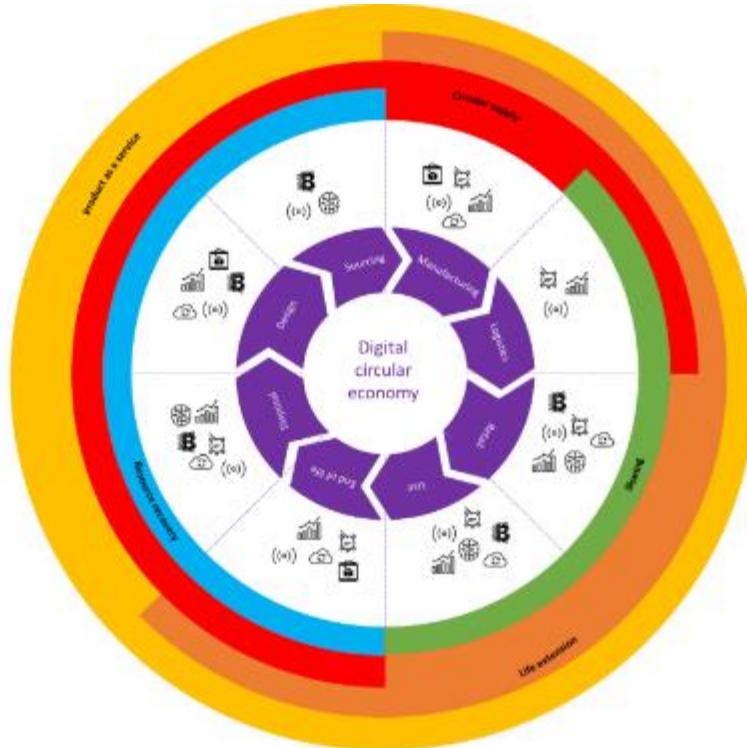
Corporate Sustainability Navigator



ESG Reporting as a tool for the company, "Utilization of ESG Criteria by Small and Medium Enterprises", 17.05.2022

Sustainability & Digital Technologies / Digital Transformation

- (IoT) Internet of Things
- (BDA) Big Data Analytics
- (AI) Artificial Intelligence
- (BC) Blockchain
- (CC) Cloud Computing
- (OP) Online Platform
- (3D) 3D Printing



Digital technologies facilitating the scale-up of circular business models, "Digitalisation for the transition to a resource efficient and circular economy", OECD Environment Working Papers, No. 192, <https://doi.org/10.1787/6f6d18e7-en>.

Digital technologies can help a business:

- Become more circular and more sustainable.
- Collect and analyze data.
- To monitor procedures, etc.

What are the results and impact?



159
companies
have signed business,
technology or
research partnerships



3.313
companies
attended international
brokerage events and
company missions



6.462
people
participated
in events



3.026
targeted
business
meetings



8.750
questions
on EU issues
answered

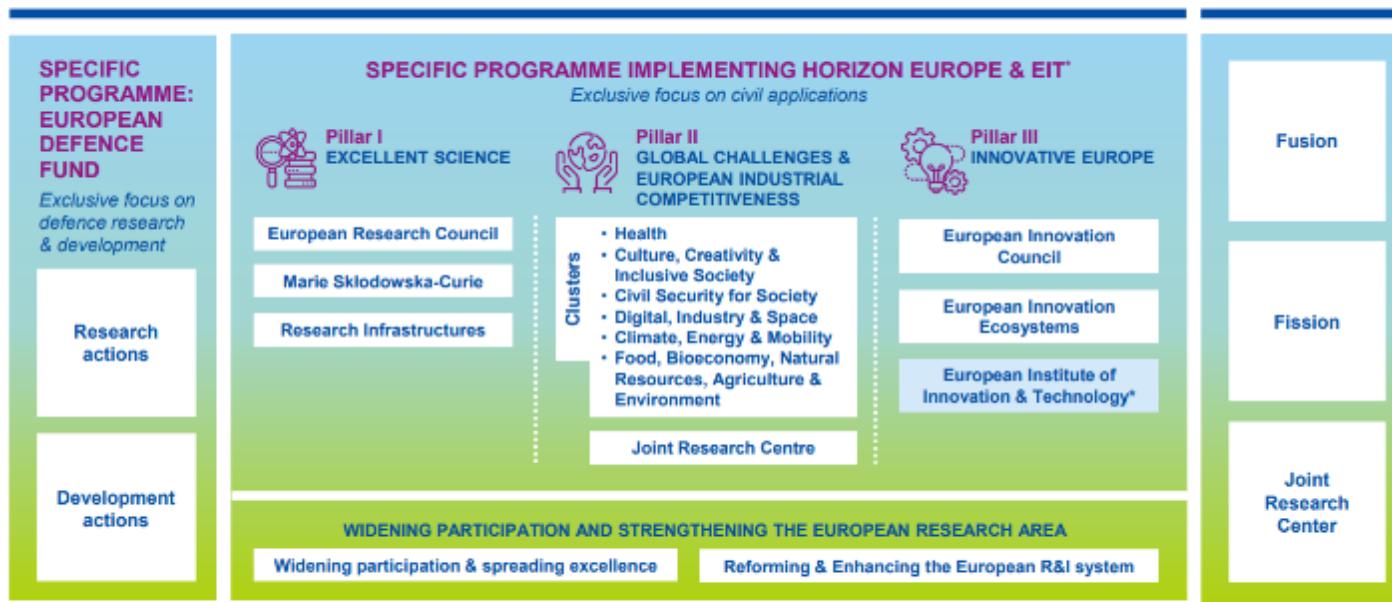
#HorizonEU (2021-2027):

The most ambitious EU Framework Programme on Research & Innovation

with a budget of €95.5 billion

with a particular focus on creating impact / the European Green Deal, the digital and sustainability transition and recovery from the coronavirus-crisis.

HORIZON EUROPE



* The European Institute of Innovation & Technology (EIT) is not part of the Specific Programme



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Funding & tender opportunities
Single Electronic Data Interchange Area (SEDIA)

SEARCH FOR FUNDINGS | HOW TO PARTICIPATE | PROJECTS & RESULTS | WORKSHOPS & EVENTS | SUPPORT | HELP

Type your Keyword... Match whole word(s) GRANTS TENDERS

Substrate status: Environment User for research Other

Programming period: Selected Programming period Horizon Europe (HORIZON)

Funding and tenders (98)

Programme	Title	Deadline	Status
HORIZON	HORIZON-EU-2021-GRANTS-07-02	Open	Open for submission
HORIZON	HORIZON-EU-2021-GRANTS-07-03	Open	Open for submission

European Partnership on Innovative GM Crop Knowledge CALL 1
Recipient(s):

Programme	Title	Deadline	Status
HORIZON	HORIZON-EU-2021-GRANTS-01-07	Open	Open for submission
HORIZON	HORIZON-EU-2021-GRANTS-01-08	Open	Open for submission

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European Institute of Innovation & Technology (EIT)

– Knowledge Innovation Communities

EIT KICs & HUBs



Funded by the European Union



- EKT : the Greek EIT Health hub
- We create an environment where the brightest minds can explore new ideas and find practical resources to create products and services rooted in innovation
- Up till now more than 90 Greek startups have participated in specialised programmes, while 19 of them received awards and funding



SUCCESS STORIES

A Greek company meets Airbus

ASPACE



ICT Proposers' Day 2017

IP November 2017 - 10 November 2017

HUNGEXPO Budapest Fair Center, Albertfalvi út 10, Budapest 1101, Hungary

ICT Proposers' Day 2017 will take place on 9 and 10 November in Budapest, Hungary. This meeting is organized by European ICT Research, Design, Innovation and Education Cluster (FutureICT) Research Work Program and is 2018-22. An Opening Ceremony and Social Event will be organized by the Hungarian Ministry of National Development and will take place on 9 November.





SUCCESS STORIES

...and participates in a consortium of 28 organizations receiving funding & conducting research on 5G technology

More information here: <https://www.ekt.gr/el/news/24616>

SUCCESSFUL CONSORIA AT EU FUNDED PROJECTS & PARTNERS



Spyros Fountas
Associate Professor,
Agricultural University of Athens



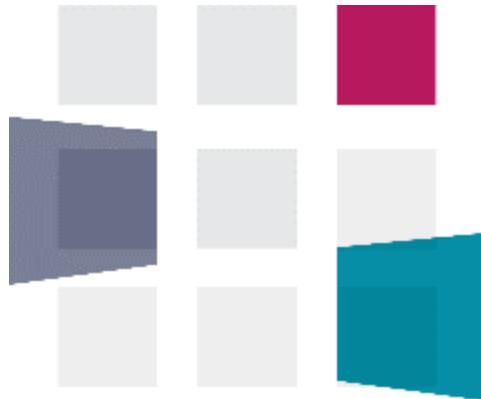
Nektarios Kozyris
Professor,
National Technical University of Athens



Charilaos Koumaras
Assistant Professor,
NCSR Democritus

"I have not failed 10,000 times—I've successfully found 10,000 ways that will not work."

Thomas Edison



Thank you for your attention !

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