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### **ERA-MIN Joint Call 2019**

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#### 2016-2021

### CONSORTIUM

Pan-European network of 21 public research and innovation funding organisations from:

#### **EU Member States countries**

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Finland	Italy	Slovenia
France	Poland	Spain
Germany	Portugal	Sweden
Ireland	Romania	

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EU Member States regions

Belgium – Flanders Spain – Castille y Léon

#### 4 non-EU countries Argentina Chile

Argentina Chile Brazil South Africa

EU Associated Country

Turkey





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Countries/regions that have expressed interest

#### EU countries/regions:

Belgium-Brussels; Belgium-Flanders; Belgium-Wallonia; Czech Republic; Finland; France; Greece, Ireland, Poland; Portugal; Romania; Slovakia; Slovenia; Spain -Andalucía; Spain - Castilla y Léon; Sweden.

EU Associated country: Turkey

Non-EU countries: Brazil, Canada-Québec; Chile and South Africa.

### More than €14 million Total call budget (sum of national/regional budgets)





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#### Raw materials for the sustainable development and the circular economy







### **ERA-MIN Joint Call 2019 – main topics and sub-topics**

### Topic 1. Supply of raw materials from exploration and mining Sub-topics: Exploration; Mining operations; Mine closure and reclamation

### Topic 2. Design

<u>Sub-topics</u>: Product design for: increased raw material efficiency; for reuse or extended durability of product; to promote recycling; for critical materials substitution

#### Topic 3. Processing, Production and Remanufacturing

<u>Sub-topics</u>: Increase resource efficiency: in resource intensive production processes; through recycling of residues or remanufacturing of used products and components; using information and communication technologies (ICT)





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#### Topic 4. Recycling and Re-use of End-of-life products

<u>Sub-topics</u>: End-of-life products: collection and (reverse) logistics; preprocessing: pre-treatment, dismantling, sorting, characterisation; Recovery of raw materials from End-of-life products; Increase recycling of End-of –Life products through information and communications technologies (ICT)

#### Topic 5. Cross-cutting topics

<u>Sub-topics</u>: New business models; Improvement of methods or data for environmental impact assessment; Social acceptance and trust/public perception of raw materials





### **ERA-MIN** Joint Call 2019 – submission, evaluation and selection procedures

- Joint application & evaluation but **national/regional funding**
- International evaluation of proposals based on the H2020 evaluation criteria:
  1) Excellence, 2) Impact and 3) Implementation.
- Selection of projects following a **ranking list** recommended by a Scientific Evaluation Board.
- <u>National/regional funding rules and regulations apply (CALL TEXT):</u>
  - Topics and sub-topics supported by the participating funding organisations
  - Legal entities (academia, industry, SMEs, NGOs, public authorities)
  - **Types of research** (fundamental, applied research or innovation Technology Readiness Level **(TRL) from 1 to 9**)
  - **Project costs** (personnel, travel, consumables, equipment, sub-contracting, overheads)





### Who can apply - ERA-MIN Joint Call 2019

- All stakeholders in the raw materials value chain:
  - Universities and Research Institutes
  - SMEs and large enterprises
  - NGOs
  - Public authorities
- Consortia may include players from the public and private sector with different backgrounds, e.g. physical scientists, engineers and technology developers, but also social scientists and policy advisors and covering different parts of the raw materials cycle.
- <u>Applicants not requesting funding</u> may be partners of the consortium on the condition that they provide evidence of the availability of their own funds to cover their project costs.





### Some eligibility criteria (see CALL TEXT)

 <u>Minimum Consortium composition</u>: three independent legal entities requesting funding of two different countries (regions) whereof one is an EU Member State or an Associated Country (Turkey)

 <u>Applicants requesting funding</u> must comply with the national/regional funding criteria and regulations of their respective Funding Organisation

• Project duration: 12 - 36 months (depending on funding organisation)

• The language of the proposal is **English** 





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## **ERA-MIN Joint Call 2019 – Important dates**

- September 30, 2019 Second Call pre-announcement
- November 15, 2019 Publication of Call documents
- November 28, 2019 Call for proposals opens
- March 12, 2020 at 17:00 CET Call for proposals closes
- June 30, 2020 Communication of Call results
- **December 1, 2020** Recommended latest date for project start



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### ERA-MIN 2

Implement a European-wide coordination of research and innovation programs on raw materials to strengthen the industry competitiveness and the shift to a circular economy



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