

Horizon Europe

THE NEXT EU RESEARCH & INNOVATION
INVESTMENT PROGRAMME (2021 – 2027)

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The ambitious EU research and innovation framework programme (2021-2027)



to strengthen the EU's scientific and technological bases and the European Research Area (ERA)

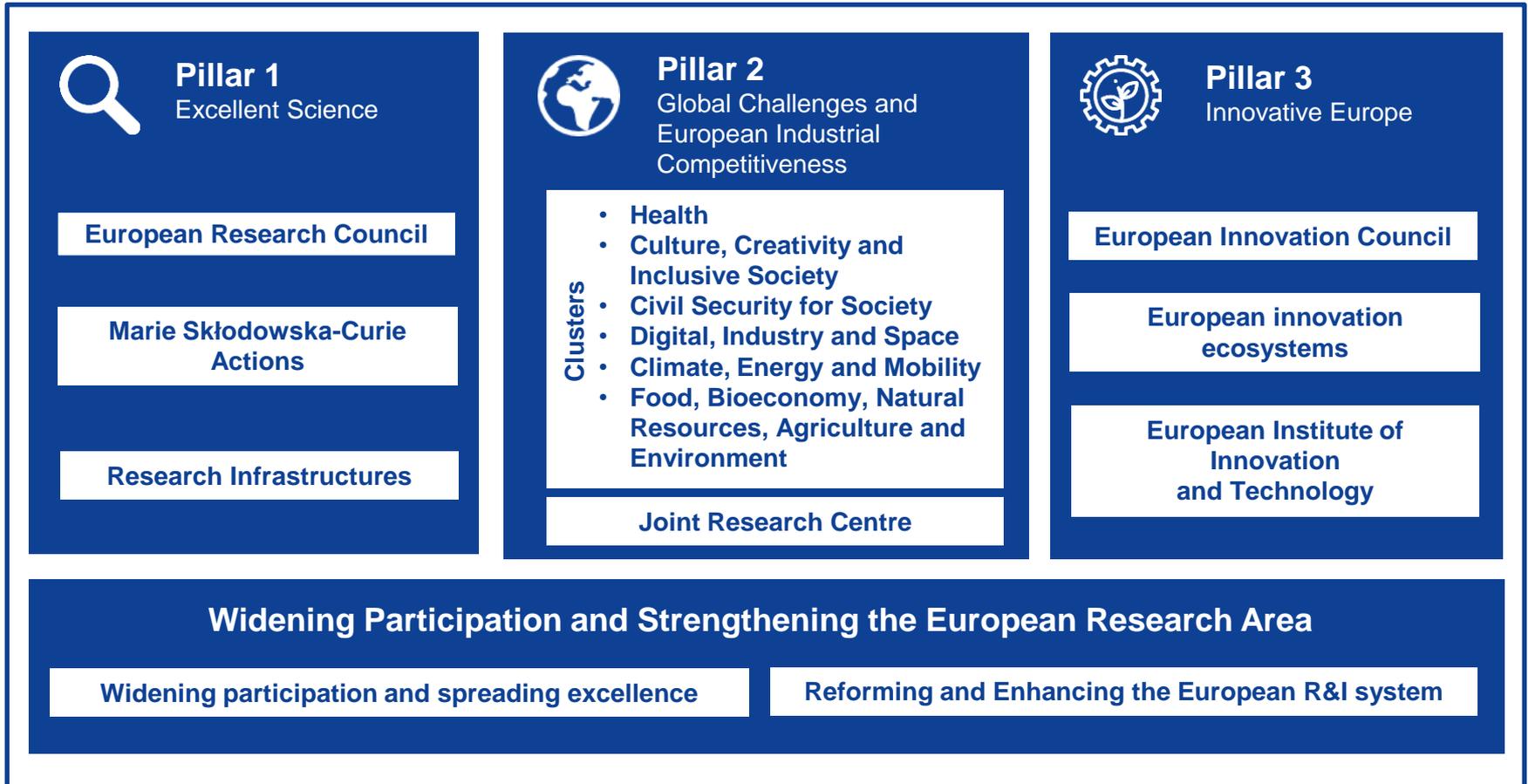


to boost Europe's innovation capacity, competitiveness and jobs



to deliver on citizens' priorities and sustain our socio-economic model and values

Horizon Europe: Preliminary structure



Lessons Learned

from Horizon 2020 Interim Evaluation

Key Novelties

in Horizon Europe

 Support breakthrough innovation →

European Innovation Council

 Create more impact through mission-orientation and citizens' involvement →

R&I Missions

 Strengthen international cooperation →

Extended association possibilities

 Reinforce openness →

Open science policy

 Rationalise the funding landscape →

New approach to Partnerships

 Encourage participation →

Spreading Excellence



European Innovation Council

Support to innovations with breakthrough and disruptive nature and scale up potential that are too risky for private investors (**70% of the budget earmarked for SMEs**)

**European
Innovation Council
– a one-stop-shop**

Helping innovators create markets of the future, leverage private finance, scale up their companies, Innovation centric, risk taking & agile, proactive management and follow up

Two complementary instruments bridging the gap from idea to investable project

Pathfinder: grants
(from early technology
to pre-commercial)

Accelerator:
grants only & blended finance
(from pre-commercial
to market & scale-up)



R&I Missions

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Relating EU's research and innovation better to society and citizens' needs; with strong visibility and impact

A mission is a portfolio of actions across disciplines intended to achieve a **bold and inspirational and measurable goal** within a set timeframe, with **impact** for society and policy making as well as relevance for a significant part of the European population and wide range of European citizens.

Horizon Europe defines mission characteristics and elements of governance, and 5 missions areas.

Specific missions will be programmed within the Global Challenges and European Industrial Competitiveness pillar (drawing on inputs from other pillars)

Adaptation to climate change, including societal transformation



Mission areas

Healthy oceans, seas, coastal and inland waters



Cancer

Climate-neutral and smart cities



Soil health and food

Commission proposal for synergies with other Union programmes

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Other Union Programmes, including

Common Agricultural Policy
ERDF
External Instrument
Maritime & Fisheries Fund
InvestEU

LIFE
Connecting Europe Facility
ESF+
Digital Europe
Space Programme

Erasmus
Innovation Fund
Internal Security Fund
Single Market Programme



Enhanced synergies

Compatibility

Harmonisation of funding rules; flexible co-funding schemes; pooling resources at EU level

Coherence and complementarity

Alignment of strategic priorities in support of a common vision

Strategic plan gives direction to the work programme



Main Features

Early involvement and extensive exchanges with Member States

Extensive exchanges with the European Parliament

Consultations with stakeholders and public at large



Thank you!

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