

Are you a Horizon Europe applicant who needs some guidance?

HORIZON EUROPE'S NATIONAL CONTACT POINTS CAN HELP YOU



National Contact Points (NCPs) are an EU support structure that provide **guidance**, practical **information** and **assistance** on all aspects of participation in Horizon Europe to potential applicants and beneficiaries.

NCPs offer support to all participating countries and they are also established in many non-EU and non-associated countries ("third countries") for the duration of a project and in the applicant's own language.

NCPs' core services to support your Horizon Europe application

Informing and awareness raising



Circulate documentation on Horizon Europe funding opportunities.



Organise information and promotional activities on a broad range of issues.

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Strengthen the link between science and civil society and ensure gender balance.



Support activities of the Joint Research Centre (JRC), the Commission in-house science service.

Research and Innovation Assisting, advising and training

Assist researchers and organisations, new actors and SMEs to increase and improve their participation in Horizon Europe.

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- Assist in partner searches.
- Advise on rules, administrative procedures and issues.
- Advise participants, in particular smaller organisations and SMEs, on how to set up appropriate management and legal structures.
- Explain the scope and modalities of action foreseen in Horizon Europe.
- Organise courses and training.

Signposting and cooperation

Signpost potential participants requiring assistance to other business support network services. Support cooperation between NCPs within the network by promoting joint activities. Provide easy access to national/ regional funding services as well as European-level partnerships and collaboration among research funders.

FIND YOUR HORIZON EUROPE NCP

Are you preparing a project proposal for funding under Horizon Europe and need support in your national language? Are you looking for partners for your collaborative project? **Visit the <u>NCP portal</u>**.

FOR MORE INFORMATION / HELPFUL RESOURCES

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<u>Funding & Tenders Portal FAQ</u> – offers answers to the most frequently asked questions on the submission of proposals, evaluation and grant management.

<u>Horizon Europe Programme Guide</u> – provides detailed guidance on the budget, structure and political priorities of Horizon Europe.

<u>National Contact Points Information Hub</u> – provides news, networking opportunities, events and <u>resources and information</u>. <u>Horizon Europe NCP Portal</u> – offers NCPs and participants access to services and support tools needed to participate in Horizon Europe.

<u>Online manual</u> – your guide on the procedures from proposal submission to managing your grant.

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