



Are you
interested in
**launching an
international project
in Advanced
Manufacturing?**



EUREKA

innovation across borders

EUREKA is

an intergovernmental network, a leading facilitator of innovation, providing a proven platform for international R&D&I cooperation.

SMART

advanced manufacturing

SMART is

a flexible industry-driven EUREKA Cluster on Advanced Manufacturing, whose main objective is the promotion of collaborative and international close-to-market R&D&I projects.

Call Description

SMART projects must pursue technical innovation and application excellence regarding future products and processes, innovative manufacturing-related services or advanced production equipment.

The proposals must fit within SMART research and innovation domains:

- (1) Advanced Manufacturing Processes
- (2) Intelligent and Adaptive Manufacturing Systems
- (3) Digital, Virtual and Efficient Companies
- (4) Person-Machine Collaboration
- (5) Sustainable Manufacturing
- (6) Customer-Based Manufacturing



Two-stage Call Process

The Project Outline (PO)

provides a short overview of the concept, the main objectives and the partnership of the project.

POs are evaluated and improved inviting them to the second stage.

The Full Project Proposal (FPP)

is a complete description of the project objectives, excellence, implementation work packages and expected impact.

Successful FPPs will be labelled as SMART Projects.

With the SMART label, project participants can apply for funding in their respective countries

Supporting Countries

Czech Republic
Norway
Portugal
Slovakia
South Korea
Spain
Sweden
Turkey

Interested Countries

Austria
Belgium (Brussels region)
Belgium (Flanders region)
Canada
Germany
Hungary
Ireland
Slovenia
Switzerland

Project partners from interested countries are invited to contact the project officers of their National Funding Agencies during the earliest phase of their project definition in order to explore potential funding options.

Eligibility Criteria

- Project consortia need to have at least two legal entities established in two different EUREKA participating countries, where one of the entities is established in a Full Member or Partner country and the other is established in another Full Member or Partner country or a NIP or Associated country.
- Projects must have a civil purpose.
- Projects must be innovative and strongly market-oriented.
- Participation and budget should be balanced between participants and countries.

Calendar

2018
09/03

Deadline for PO

2018
30/03

Announcement of
successful POs

2018
11/06

Deadline for FPP

2018
20/07

Selected projects
receive SMART label

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