

EaP PLUS

Eastern Partnership +



Webinar 6 (Dec 18, 2018) – New opportunities for SMEs in H2020

The EaP PLUS Project & its main activities

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EaP PLUS: multi-level support actions

- 3 year long **Coordination & Support Action** funded from Horizon 2020 and dedicated to the EU – EaP STI cooperation (*Sept 1, 2016 – Aug 31, 2019*)
- Includes partners from **all** the 6 Eastern Partnership countries and from several EU MS

Objectives:

- I. Support to EU-EaP *Policy Dialogue*
- II. Foster interaction between EU-EaP researchers & *promote Horizon 2020*
- III. Enhance the EU-EaP *research-innovation* partnership

II. Interaction between EU-EaP researchers & promotion of H2020

- ✓ **Grants for EaP researchers** to attend Brokerage Events in EU or preparatory meetings for H2020 (<https://www.eap-plus.eu/>);
- ✓ **Info Days** and **Support to H2020 NCP Networks** in all EaP Countries (training, awareness campaigns for NCPs);
- ✓ **Targeted Cooperation with Scientific Diaspora** using input from IncoNet EaP (policies & national databases); organization of 6 Diaspora workshops
- ✓ **Development of Webinars** (11 for H2020; 6 for specific innovation related topics)

EaP Plus Grants for Networking

- **Grants support:** Research institutions, SMEs and Industry, Local authorities, Civil Society
- To **attend** either a Brokerage Event or a Preparatory Meeting
- Candidates can apply for one **event scheduled** Oct 2018 - 30 June, 2019
- **Final deadline** for submissions: **30 May 2019** (unless the available budget is consumed earlier)
- Guidelines for applicants: <https://www.eap-plus.eu/object/call/240>

Other planned webinars

- Webinar 7 (Jan 22, 2018 tbc) – H2020 financial issues and rules for participation
- Webinar 8 (Jan 23, 2019 tbc) - Research and Innovation Staff Exchange (RISE) opportunities
- Webinar 9 (tbc) – questions related to Programme Committee members

RDI Webinars:

- Engaging in academia-industry collaboration (February 2019)
- Internationalization of RDI activities - Exploring the models of international innovation partnerships (May 2019)

If you would like to **suggest a webinar topic**, you are welcome to contact us with your questions.

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