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EU Multi-annual roadmaps for research and innovation cooperation: 2018 updates

The **updated** versions of the multi-annual roadmaps for cooperation in research and innovation with key partner countries and regions are now published. The multi-annual roadmaps implement the **EU strategy for international cooperation in research and innovation**, laying out the current state of play and future areas for cooperation with twelve key partner countries (**Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, India, Japan, Mexico, New Zealand, Russia, South Africa, South Korea and United States**) and six regions **(Enlargement countries, Eastern Partnership, Southern Neighbourhood, ASEAN, African Union and CELAC**). The updates concern developments in the EU's cooperation with these countries over the last 12 months, including the outcomes of the EU's regular science and technology cooperation dialogues and the first results of the implementation of the international cooperation flagships of Horizon 2020 Work Programme 2018-2020.

All the roadmaps here: countries and regions.

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DA BRUXELLES

EU – India | EU shapes its ambitious strategy on India

On **November 20**, the European Commission and the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy adopted a Joint Communication that sets out the EU's vision for a strategy to strengthen cooperation and the partnership with India. The Joint Communication provides the elements for an EU strategy on India aiming at building a partnership for sustainable modernisation and the rules-based global order. The proposals made in the Joint Communication will now be discussed in the European Parliament and the Council.

Notizia completa: http://goo.gl/H2ZKoV

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EU – India / 2 | Funding opportunities for Indian applicants in Horizon 2020

The Department of Biotechnology (DBT) has agreed to co-fund the successful Indian applicants in 15 calls on Health Research and Bioeconomy in the EU Horizon 2020 funding programme. **Based on the principle of "Horizon 2020' open to the world", Indian entities can participate in Horizon 2020 call for proposals but are not entitled to funding**. For this purpose, the Department of Biotechnology (DBT) and the European Commission (EC) have agreed in August 2016, to establish a Co-Funding Mechanism (CFM) by which, subject to certain conditions and modalities, DBT agrees to fund the successful Indian partners in a Horizon 2020 collaborative project. In October 2018, DBT and the EC have agreed to apply the CFM to 15 calls selected under the Horizon 2020 Work Programme 2018-2020.

For calls and deadlines: http://goo.gl/YPZAfb

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EU – Brazil | New mechanisms to support cooperation in research and innovation

The European Commission, the Brazilian National Council for Scientific and Technological Development, the Brazilian Funding Agency for Studies and Projects and the Brazilian National Council of State Funding Agencies signed today an administrative arrangement on mechanisms to support EU-Brazil cooperation activities in research and innovation. The administrative arrangement makes it possible for co-funding of Brazilian participation in Horizon 2020, extending to the entire country the current co-funding that was only available in eight Brazilian States.

It also outlines the necessary operational steps for launching coordinated calls and for twinning of projects in areas of common interest.

Notizia completa: http://goo.gl/nPdmDT

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EU – Honk Kong | New call published for funds to support Horizon 2020 participants

Researchers, enterprises, research institutions and universities from the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region can team up with European partners to participate in projects under Horizon 2020 and make best use of Europe's excellent opportunities in research and innovation. The second round of the 2018/19 exercise opened on 19 October 2018. A total budget of HK$ 9 million (circa EUR 1 million) is reserved for the 2018/19 exercise. Both basic and applied research projects of high academic merits will be considered. **Hong Kong partners in successful Horizon 2020 projects**, who meet the eligibility requirements of the RGC, can apply until **11 January 2019** at 17:00 hours (Hong Kong time). Results will be announced around March 2019 and published on the Research Grants Council homepage.

More information: https://bit.ly/2LqkOhs

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EU – Japan | New cooperation arrangement signed to strengthen researchers cooperation

On 7 October, Mr Jean-Eric Paquet, Director-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission, together with Mr Michinari Hamaguchi, President o f the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), signed a cooperation arrangement promoting researchers' cooperation between Japan and the European Union (EU). The arrangement will provide opportunities for Japan-based researchers supported by active JST projects to pursue research collaboration with European researchers already supported through active EU-funded ERC grants. Either single and long-term (3-12 months) or multiple short-term research visits are envisaged. The two sides also intend to explore the possibility of attracting and encouraging European researchers to visit Japanese research teams.

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ERC teams Open to the World

The European Research Council (ERC) has been continuously monitoring international participation through its Strengthening International Participation working group. As a result, **"Implementing Arrangements"** have been signed with key funding bodies and science ministries around the world. These arrangements provide opportunities in Europe for **early-career scientists supported by non-European funding agencies to temporarily join a research team run by an ERC grantee.** The purpose of the arrangements is to encourage, develop and facilitate such opportunities.

More information: https://bit.ly/2UWGs17

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EU – Partner Countries High Level Meetings on R&I policies

- **EU-RUSSIA** Joint Science and Technology Cooperation Committee Meeting (Moscow, 28 September 2018)
- Twenty-third **EU/Euratom-Switzerland** Joint Research Committee (Brussels, 16 November 2018).
- **EU–Japan** high level meeting on research and innovation cooperation (Brussels, 29 November 2018)

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ITALIA NEL MONDO

La piattaforma Innovitalia 3.0

Innovitalia 3.0 è la piattaforma gestita dal Ministero degli Affari Esteri e della Cooperazione Internazionale e dal Ministero dell'Istruzione, dell'Università e della Ricerca per la diffusione di informazioni e la creazione di opportunità di networking per gli attori della ricerca e dell'innovazione italiana all'estero.

Sito web: **www.innovitalia.net**

Italia – Canada | Bandi Quebec (Canada) per progetti internazionali

Il Ministero dello Sviluppo Economico del **Quebec** ha lanciato lo scorso 18 ottobre un programma che mira a sostenere la realizzazione di progetti internazionali di ricerca e innovazione tra parti interessate accademiche, universitarie, istituzionali e industriali, nonché a rafforzare e concretizzare partenariati di alto livello nella ricerca e nell'innovazione sostenendo iniziative internazionali. L'Italia è indicato tra i Paesi prioritari. La scadenza per la presentazione dei progetti è l'**11 gennaio** 2019.

Notizia completa: **https://bit.ly/2Rc0lwY**

FONTE: innovitalia.net

PROGETTI

ENRICH network (Brazil, China, USA)

ENRICH is a global network of centres and hubs that promotes **the internationalisation of European science, technology and innovation**. Promoted by the European Commission through Horizon 2020, the ENRICH network currently offers services to connect European research, technology and business organisations with three global frontrunner innovation markets: **Brazil, China and the US**.

ENRICH in Brazil: http://brazil.enrichcentres.eu/

ENRICH in China: http://china.enrichcentres.eu/

ENRICH in the US: https://near-us.eu/

MENARA Project

MENARA Project - **The Middle East and North Africa Regional Architecture: Mapping geopolitical shifts, regional order and domestic transformations** - is a **Horizon2020 research project** that studies the geopolitical order in the making in the Middle East and North Africa (MENA), identifies the driving forces behind it, sheds light on bottom-up dynamics and assesses the implications of these processes on the EU and its policies towards the region.

Website: http://www.menaraproject.eu/