

## Regional Innovation Scheme (RIS)

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### RIS Call for Proposals 2025

Aim: Engaging RIS local stakeholders —individuals (notably students, researchers, entrepreneurs) & entities (e.g. start-ups, scale-ups, universities, research labs, NGOs, regions & cities)—in EIT Manufacturing activities.



#### <u>Topic 1</u>: RIS Innovation

- Advanced materials and manufacturing processes at EIT RIS
- B. Artificial Intelligence at EIT RIS
- C. Inclusiveness at EIT RIS



**Topic 2: RIS Education** 

Up-skilling and re-skilling manufacturing workforce in EIT RIS countries

Entities from non-RIS countries can also apply and be part of the consortium as far as the proposal meets the eligibility requirements!!





## Topic 1 – RIS Innovation Description & subtopics

## A. Advanced materials & manufacturing processes at EIT RIS

- Advanced materials are a key enabler technology for the twin green and digital transition and strategic point towards industrial competitiveness & leadership.
- Boosting innovation & contribution of the EIT RIS countries & regions in advanced materials and novel manufacturing processes is a strategical need to ensure achieving EU's resilience & open strategic autonomy.

#### B. Artificial Intelligence at EIT RIS

- Al is an emerging and, in some cases, greenfield opportunity.
- These activities aim to support stakeholders in EIT RIS countries to enhance their innovation capacity.

#### C. Inclusiveness at EIT RIS

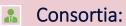
 Inclusivity in the manufacturing industry is not only an ethical must but also a trigger for tangible benefits in terms of business performance and competitiveness.





## Topic 1 - RIS Innovation Specific requirements

O Project Duration: 12 months



Entities geographically based in countries covered by at least, 2 different EIT Manufacturing ICs\*. **BO & ME** role covered by entities from RIS countries.



TRL:

To achieve TRL 8 or higher by the end of the activity.



Expected budget

per activity:

**Topic 1.A.**: 450k€. The minimum co-funding rate is 30%.

**Topic 1.B.**: 450k€. The minimum co-funding rate is 30%.

**Topic 1.C.**: 450k€. The minimum co-funding rate is 15%.



**Financial Sustainability** 



Additional documents: Financial Plan and GANNT Chart





### Topic 2 – RIS Education

#### Up-skilling and re-skilling manufacturing workforce in EIT RIS countries

Proposals should concentrate on providing EIT Regions with the tools, knowledge and skills necessary to play a key role in the transition towards an innovative, digital, green, inclusive manufacturing that will keep Europe at the forefront of global manufacturing.

#### Such as:

- ✓ advanced materials implementation
- ✓ circular economy implementation
- ✓ green social and financial sustainability implementation
- ✓ Al and Data Analytics in Manufacturing
- ✓ digital and twin transition
- certifications/tailor-made training courses considering the needs of a sector, coaching, mentoring, and professional development opportunities

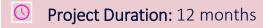
- The proposals should meet the requirements deploy in "Learning programmes requirements".
- Each training learning program should incorporate innovation and entrepreneurship competencies.

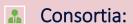




### Topic 2 - RIS Education

Specific requirements





Entities geographically based in countries covered by at least, 2 different EIT Manufacturing ICs\*. BO & MC roles should be covered by entities in RIS eligible countries.



Expected budget per activity:

200k€. The minimum co-funding rate is 15%.



**Financial Sustainability** 



Additional documents:

Business Owner Deck, Instructional designer deck







If you have any question you can contact:

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