# **Proposal Writing**

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# What do you need for a good Proposal?

# A good project idea

- Scientific Excellence / High Innovation Potential
- The Project has to serve the needs of the European Community / European Policies (Impact)
- The Project has to match the requirements of the Topic / Work Programme
- An excellent consortium
- A well written proposal
  - The proposal has to convince the evaluators
  - The proposal has to follow the rules/guidelines







### **RESEARCH & INNOVATION**





On this site you can find and secure funding for projects under the following EU programmes:

- . 2014-2020 Horizon 2020 research and innovation framework programme
- · 2007-2013 7th research framework programme (FP7) and Competitiveness & Innovation Programme (CIP)
- · Research Fund for Coal & Steel, COSME, 3rd Health Programme, Consumer Programme

#### Non-registered users

- · search for funding
- · read the H2020 Online Manual & download the legal documents
- · check if an organisation is already registered
- · contact our support services or check our FAQs

#### Registered users

- · submit your proposal
- · sign the grant
- · manage your project throughout its lifecycle
- · register as expert advising the Commission







FUNDING **OPPORTUNITIES** 



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INFORMATION AND SUPPORT

HORIZON 2020

RESEARCH ON EUROPA

CORDIS

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Work Programme (use the latest version!)
Topics and background Information

Proposal Template (specific for call and funding scheme)

Rules for Participation

(Annotated) Model Grant Agreement (Details on rules for particiption and financing)

Guide for Proposal Submission and Evaluation

Model for Consoritum Agreement

**Ethics Checklist** 

Political Background Papers





### p://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/funding/reference\_docs.html#h2020-call\_ptef-

HORIZON 2020

WORK PROGRAMME 2014 - 2015

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HORIZON 2020

WORK PROGRAMME 2014 - 2015

18. General Annexes

Important Notice on the First Horizon 2020 Work Programme

This Work Programme covers 2014 and 2015. Due to the launching phase of Horizon 2020, parts of the Work Programme that relate to 2015 (topics, dates, budget) are provided at this stage on an indicative basis only. Such Work Programme parts will be decided during 2014.

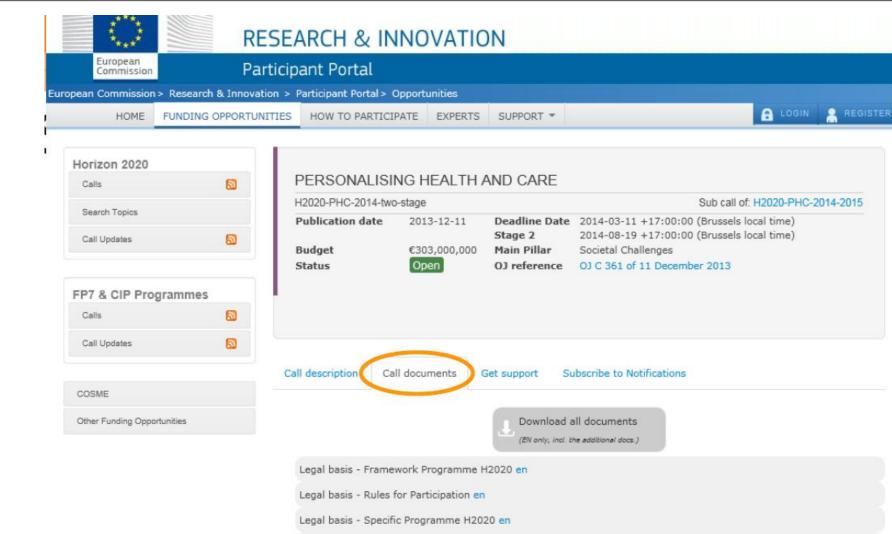
(European Commission Decision C (2013)8631 of 10 December 2013)



## There is no Guide for Applicants as in FP7







WP H2020 - 1. Introduction en

Self Evaluation form en

Contact points for topics en

WP H2020 - 18. General Annexes en

Essential information for clinical studies en

WP H2020 - 8. Health, demographic change and wellbeing en

Part B Proposal template section 1-5 - updated 14\_01\_2014 en

# Submission

- Electronic submission only
- Single Stage Procedure:
  - Direct submission of a full proposal (ca 70 pages)
- > Two Stage Procedure:
  - First Submissin of a short proposal (usually 15 pages, in some cases 7 pages)
  - If all thresholds are met in the first stage: Submission of a full proposal
- Fixed Deadlines





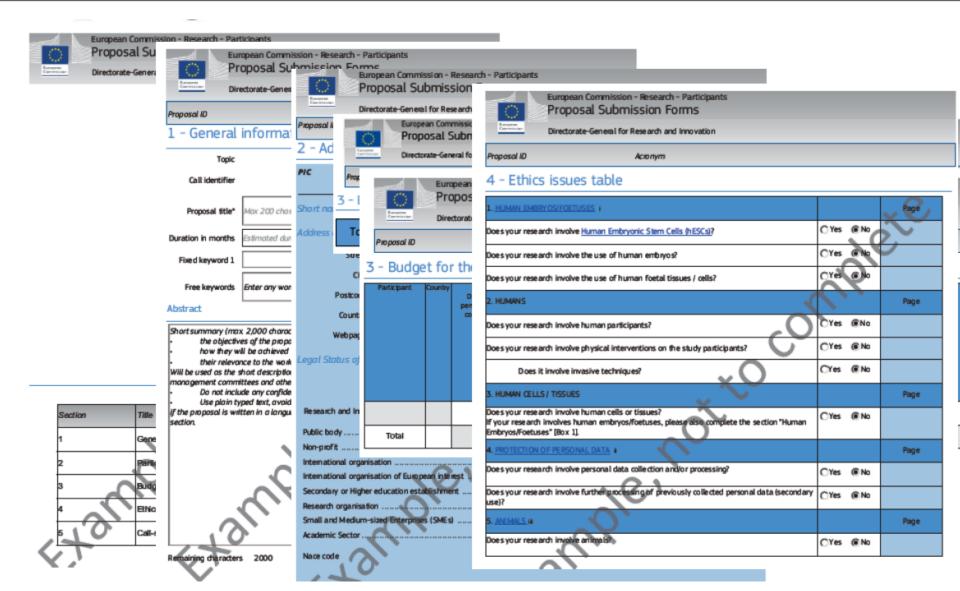
# Structure of the Proposal

# Forms

- Title, Acronym, Duration, Key Words, Abstract
- Partner (Stage1: only Coordinator)
- Budget (Stage1: only one amount for total Budget, budget breakdown only in stage two)
- Ethics, Environment, Third Countries (not in stage 1)
- In collaboation with the administration of your organisation
- Free text description of the project along a predifined template (Technical Annex, Part B) including some tables and forms











# **Abstract**

 Should enable the scientific officer to select the right evaluators (together with the key words)

- Should provide the reader (Evaluator) with a clear idea about
  - Objectives / aims of the planned project and how they shall be met
  - Relate to the Topic
  - Significance of results
- Should
  - Be easy to read and understand
  - Convince the evaluators make them curious





# Structure of the proposal

COVER PAGE

Title of Proposal

List of participants

Participant No *	Participant organisation name	Country
1 (Coordinator)		
2		
3		

<sup>\*</sup> Please use the same participant numbering as that used in the administrative proposal forms.

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# Technical Annex

# **Structure**



1. Excellence



2. Impact (even more important than in FP7)

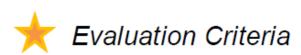


3. Implementation

Section 4: Members of the consortium

Section 5: Ethics and Security

Not in 1st stage







# Structure of the proposal

### 1. Excellence

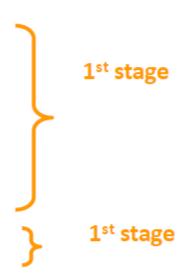
- 1.1 Objectives
- 1.2 Relation to the work programme (Topic)
- 1.3 Concept and approach
- 1.4 Ambition

## 2. Impact

- 2.1 Expected impacts
- 2.2 Measures to maximize impact
  - a) Dissemination and exploitation of results
  - b) Communication activities

# 3. Implementation

- 3.1 Work plan Work packages, deliverables and milestones (Tables)
- 3.2 Management structure and procedures
- 3.3 Consortium as a whole
- 3.4 Resources to be committed





# Structure of the proposal

### Section 4: Members of the consortium

- 4.1. Participants (applicants)
- 4.2 Third parties involved in the project (including use of third party resources)

### Section 5: Ethics and Security

### 5.1 Ethics

- submit an ethics self-assessment
- provide the documents that you need under national law(if you already have them), e.g.:
  - » an ethics committee opinion;
  - » the document notifying activities raising ethical issues or authorizing such activities

### 5.2 Security





# Resurse utile

Informații generale H2020

www.h2020.md

Apeluri H2020

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/opportunities/index.html

Programe de lucru /Reguli financiare

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/funding/reference\_docs.html

Reguli de participare

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/doc/call/h2020/common/1595113-h2020-rules-participation oj en.pdf

Anexe generale

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/doc/call/h2020/common/1617621-part 19 general annexes v.2.0 en.pdf



