

**Programming Period:** 2007 to 2027

**Instrument/Program level:** European

**Name of the instrument/Program:** EIB - EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK

**Instrument/Program eligible areas:** BELGIUM; CZECH REPUBLIC; DANMARK; GERMANY; EESTI; IRELAND; SPAIN; FRANCE; CROATIA; ITALY; LATVIA; LITHUANIA; LUXEMBOURG; HUNGARY; MALTA; NETHERLANDS; AUSTRIA; POLAND; PORTUGAL; ROMANIA; SLOVENIA; SLOVAKIA; FINLAND; SWEDEN; UNITED KINGDOM; GREECE; CYPRUS; BULGARIA

**Managing authority:**

European Investment Bank

**Objectives:**

To support projects that make a significant contribution to growth and employment in Europe.

**Eligible thematics in line with ERC sectors:** Life Sciences; Physical Sciences and Engineering; Social Sciences and Humanities

**Eligible thematics in line with S3:** Advanced Manufacturing; Aerospace, Aeronautics and Space; Agrifood processing; Alpine activities & technologies; Automotive; Bio-processes of biomasses; Blue growth; Chemicals; City development; Climate Change Mitigation; Cloud computing, e-tourism, smart mobility systems; Cultural & creative industries; Eco-efficient factory; Efficient production technologies, automation & intelligent materials; Entrepreneurship & Growth of young companies; Environmental Governance & Information; Environmental technologies, renewable energies & resource efficiency; Food & nutrition (ingredients and modification of food, materials, smart packaging, food quality, quality assurance, food production technologies); Green & Clean energy & technologies; ICTs (Digital technologies & user-friendly systems); KETs; Life Science & Biotechnology; Logistic; Maritime technologies; Mechatronics; Nature & Biodiversity; New and intelligent materials, nano and microtechnology; New Technologies for mountain agriculture; Open data (including PA), GIS, e-learning, Cloud computing, e-tourism, smart mobility systems; Photonics; Public health & security (e-Health); Renewable energies & resource efficiency; Robotics; Secure technologies; Smart & energy-efficient buildings; Smart manufacturing and related services; Specialised production for an excellent mountain; Sustainable energy & renewables; Sustainable innovation & infrastructure; Sustainable Living & mobility

**Action typologies:** Development of cluster initiatives (i.e. joint training and market research); Promoting conditions able to facilitate cross-border collaboration between companies; Supporting SMEs' cross-border networks; Activities which operate close to the end-users and the market; Actions to improve sustainable linkages among actors

of the innovation systems for strengthening regional innovation capacity; Support to exchange of experiences in the field of business and innovation development; Feasibility studies; Funding for prototypes development; Supporting collaborative applied research projects between companies, laboratories and socio-economic actors including support for technology transfer

**Beneficiaries:** Local public authority; Regional public authority; National public authority; Sectorial agency; Infrastructure and (public) service provider; Interest groups including NGOs; Higher education and research; Education/training centre and school; Start up; Large enterprise, enterprise excluding SME; SME; Business support organisation; General public; International organization, EEIG under national law

**Status of the eligible institutions:** Public; Private; Public equivalent body; International organisation

### **Funded projects under this**

**Program:** <http://www.eib.org/projects/pipelines/index.htm>

### **Events organized by this**

**Program:** <http://www.eib.org/infocentre/events/index.htm>