



## ERA.Net RUS Plus *Call 2019*

Strengthening STI links between Russia  
and the European Research Area

# Joint Call on Science & Technology

21.10.2019 – 31.01.2020

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**The ERA.Net RUS Plus Call 2019 on Science and Technology is now open.  
Proposal submission deadline: 31.01.2020 at 15.00 CET / 17.00 Moscow time.**

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The goal of the call is to create a **long-term research collaboration** in the field of research and innovation between EU Member States/Associated Countries and Russia. The Joint Call covers Science and Technology projects. Research proposals can be submitted in the following S&T topics:

### 1. Nanotechnologies

- 1.1 Advanced nano-sensors for environment and health
- 1.2 Novel functional nanomaterials based on design and modelling

### 2. Health

- 2.1 Regenerative medicine, biomaterials and organ-on-a-chip-systems
- 2.2 Drug discovery for cancer, cardiovascular and infectious diseases

### 3. Social Sciences and Humanities

- 3.1 Demography, migration, conflicts and security issues
- 3.2 Opportunities for and challenges to regional development and social cohesion

### 5. Robotics

No subtopics defined ("bottom-up" approach)

### Participating Countries:

- Belgium
- Bulgaria
- Estonia
- Finland
- Germany
- Greece
- Latvia
- Moldova
- Russia
- Slovakia
- Switzerland
- Turkey

By **S&T projects** are meant joint Research and Development (R&D) projects undertaken by a partnership of institutions ('consortium') designed to produce new knowledge through fundamental, experimental and/or theoretical scientific research, whereby each team of the partnership actively pursues specific objectives with a view to pooling the results to contribute to common, well-defined objectives.

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Teams applying for funding must be eligible for funding by their respective national funding organisation. They can be **research and higher education entities, research and innovation performing SMEs**, or other entities eligible for funding according to respective national legislation.

**Eligible project consortia** must comprise project partners from **at least three different countries**, of which at least **one team is from Russia**. Applicants who are non-eligible for funding can join any eligible consortium submitting a proposal on their own expenses.

Proposals will be submitted and evaluated in **one-stage**.

The duration of a project is **24 months or 36 months** (depending on the involved Funding Parties).

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For detailed information about the respective national eligibility and funding criteria, you are strongly recommended to contact your respective **Contact Point** before submitting your proposal. All contact details available at <https://www.eranet-rus.eu/en/309.php>

General information and Terms of Reference of the Joint Call on S&T are available at:

<https://www.eranet-rus.eu/en/304.php>

Proposal submission must take place exclusively in electronic form by using the PT-Outline webtool accessible at:

[https://secure.pt-dlr.de/ptoutline/RUS\\_ST2019](https://secure.pt-dlr.de/ptoutline/RUS_ST2019)