Empowering the e-Infrastructure partnerships in ERA

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Quo vadis, EOSC?

What do we want to achieve?

- Reduce the fragmentation of research information, harmonise access policies, links for eliminating silos and enhancing the circulation of knowledge in digital form
- Ecosystem of research data and related services, covering the whole data life cycle, from discovery and mining to storage, management, analysis and re-use
- New scale of cross-disciplinary and collaborative research that addresses major societal challenges and accelerates Europe's transition to open science
- Capitalise on initial efforts in 2018-2020 to federate existing and emerging research data infrastructures and initiatives, drive the progressive implementation of a "Web of FAIR data" supporting across the whole of Europe the transition to a more effective research

European partnerships in Horizon Europe

- Horizon Europe will support European partnerships with EU countries, the private sector, foundations and other stakeholders. _The aim is to deliver on global challenges and industrial modernisation through concerted research and innovation efforts._

- The Horizon Europe proposal lays down the conditions and principles for establishing European Partnerships. 3 types are proposed:

  - Co-programmed European Partnerships
  - Co-funded European Partnerships using a programme co-fund action
  - Institutionalised European Partnerships

- These partnerships will only be implemented where other parts of the Horizon Europe programme would not achieve the objectives desired or expected impacts

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Horizon Europe – regulation (proposal)
ANNEX III : PARTNERSHIPS

- Selection criteria

  - Evidence that the European Partnership is more effective in achieving the related objectives of the Programme
  - Coherence and synergies of the European Partnership within the EU research and innovation landscape
  - Transparency and openness (priorities and objectives, partners and stakeholders)
  - Additionality and directionality (outcomes, deliverables and impacts; leverage effects; flexibility; exit/phasing-out)
  - Partners' long term commitment

- Other criteria on implementation / monitoring / evaluation, phasing-out and renewal

Forthcoming timelines:

- Setting up the **European Partnership** for EOSC (draft published end of May)

- **Legal entity** « EOSC Association » (statutes signed in June)

- **Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA)** (Open consultation July-September)

- Sustainability WG report « **Iron Lady** » (consultation July-September)

- EOSC Association becomes operational & Iron Lady report is finalized (October)

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Thank you

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