

# 4th Multi-Thematic EU-LAC Joint Call in STI 2022

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4<sup>th</sup> Joint Call In STI

# The EU-LAC Interest Group



## Background:

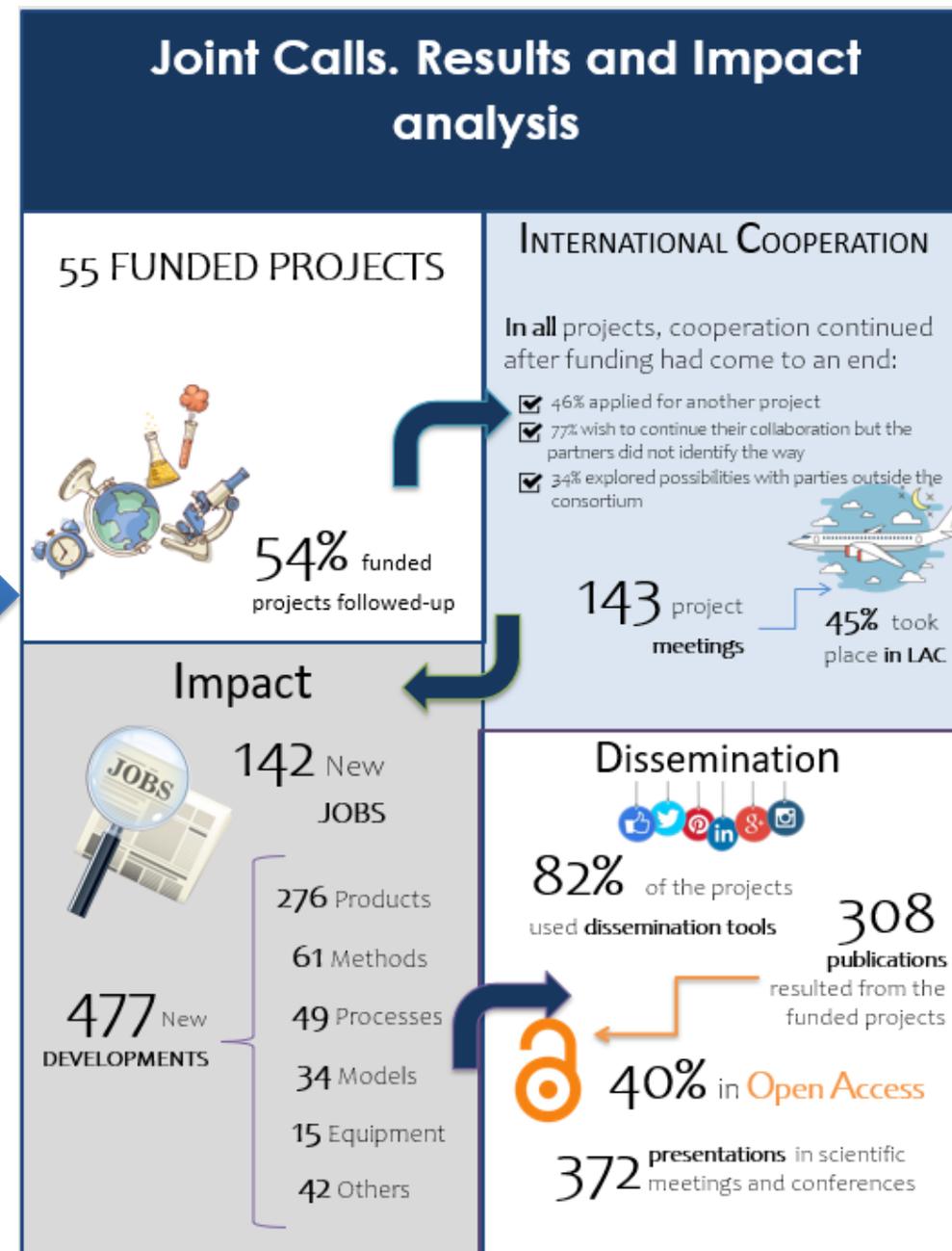
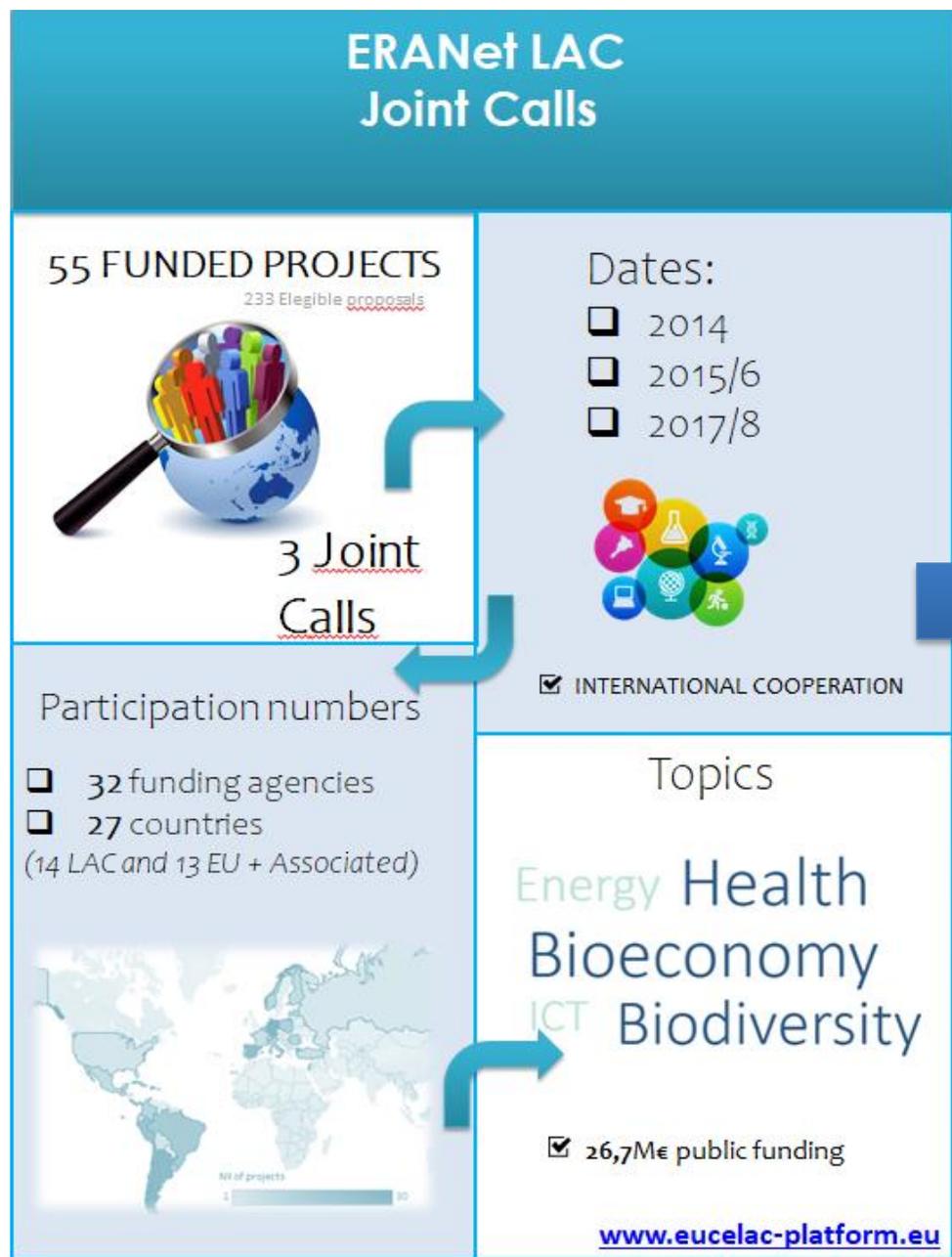
Founded in 2017 on initiative of BMBF Germany and MINCyT Argentina

- 29 funding agencies from Latin America, the Caribbean and the EU MS & AC, cooperating in bi-regional STI
- Overall coordination: Project Management Agency at the German Aerospace Center, DLR-PT
- Call secretariat: Spanish Foundation for Science and Technology, FECYT
- The IG aims to support the implementation of the Common EU-LAC Research Area with its four pillars
- The European Commission is participating in this initiative with a specific view of maintaining the overall coherence with the Governance of the EU-LAC relations.

## Benefits:

- Active engagement in transnational EU-LAC STI projects in addition to Horizon Europe
- Opportunity of building networks / finding research partners at intraregional and bi-regional level

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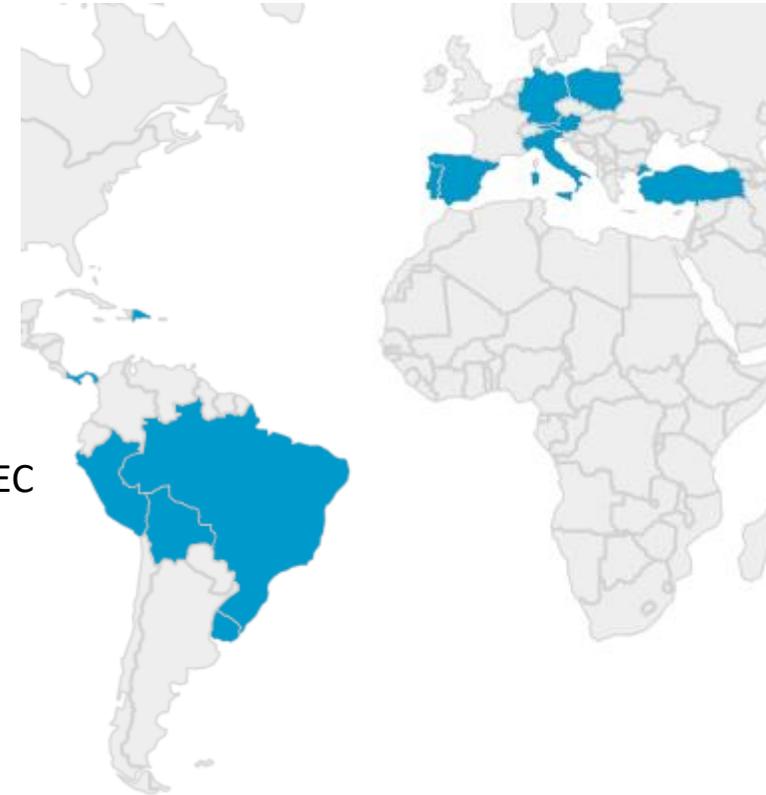


## 4<sup>th</sup> Joint Call: Participating countries/regions

➤ **15 national funding organizations from 13 countries**

➤ 6 from LAC and 7 from Europe

1. Austria: Bundesministerium für Bildung, Wissenschaft und Forschung, BMBWF
2. Bolivia: Ministerio de Educación - Vice Ministerio de Ciencia y Tecnología, MINEDU
3. Brazil: Conselho Nacional de Desenvolvimento Científico e Tecnológico, CNPq
4. Brazil: Brazilian National Council of State Funding Agencies, CONFAP
5. Dom. Rep.: Ministerio de Educación Superior, Ciencia y Tecnología, MESCyT
6. Germany: Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung, BMBF
7. Italy: Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche, CNR
8. Panama: Secretaria Nacional de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación, SENACYT
9. Peru: Consejo Nacional de Ciencia Tecnología e Innovación Tecnológica, CONCYTEC
10. Poland: Narodowe Centrum Badań i Rozwoju, NCBR
11. Portugal: Fundação para a Ciência e a Tecnologia, FCT
12. Spain: Instituto de Salud Carlos III, ISCIII
13. Spain: Agencia Estatal de Investigación, AEI
14. Turkey: Türkiye Bilimsel ve Teknolojik Arastırma Kurumu, TÜBİTAK
15. Uruguay: Agencia Nacional de Investigación e Innovación, ANII



## Call topics I

The research topics were formulated by the EU projects:



Detailed description:  
Call text – Annex 1

## Global Challenges

### 1.1 Global Challenges I - Interactions and integration between the climate science, SSH and other communities

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Panama, Poland, Spain (AEI), Turkey, Uruguay

### 1.2 Global Challenges II / Cross-cutting digital Research Infrastructure

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CNPq and CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Panama, Spain (AEI), Turkey

## Call topics II

### Health



#### **2.1 Health I - Personalised Medicine**

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CNPq and CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Italy, Panama, Poland, Spain (AEI and ISCIII), Turkey

#### **2.2 Health II - EU-LAC Regional Hubs: Integrating Research infrastructures for Health and Disease**

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CNPq and CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Italy, Panama, Peru, Portugal, Spain (AEI), Turkey, Uruguay

### Biodiversity

#### **3.1 Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services Research Infrastructures**

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CNPq and CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Italy, Panama, Peru, Spain (AEI), Turkey

### Energy

#### **4.1 Interoperability of energy data spaces for an optimized exploitation by producers and prosumers / Research Infrastructures**

- Participating funding agencies from: Austria, Bolivia, Brazil (CONFAP), Dominican Republic, Germany, Panama, Spain (AEI), Turkey

# Overview of funding by organization and topic

Legend: Yes = The respective funding agency is funding the indicated topic.  
No = No funding allocated to this topic by the respective agency.

| #  | Country   | Funding Agency | 1.1 Global Challenges I - Interactions and integration between climate science & SSH | 1.2 Global Challenges II - Cross-cutting digital research infrastructure | 2.1 Health I - Personalised Medicine | 2.2 Health II - EU-LAC Regional Hubs: integrating research infrastructures | 3.1 Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services Research Infrastructures | 4.1 Interoperability of energy data spaces / Research Infrastructures | Total in €                                    |
|----|-----------|----------------|--|--|--------------------------------------|--|--|---|---|
| 1  | Austria   | BMBWF          | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 200,000                                       |
| 2  | Bolivia   | MINEDU         | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | To be defined by the particip. Boliv. instit. |
| 3  | Brazil    | CNPq           | no   | 40,000   | 80,000                               | no   | 80,000   | no  | 200,000                                       |
| 4  | Brazil    | CONFAP         | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | See funding regulations of CONFAP             |
| 5  | Dom. Rep. | MESCYT         | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 200,000                                       |
| 6  | Germany   | BMBF           | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 1.000,000                                     |
| 7  | Italy     | CNR            | no   | no   | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | no  | 150,000                                       |
| 8  | Panama    | SENACYT        | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 177,000                                       |
| 9  | Peru      | CONCYTEC       | no   | no   | no                                   | 200,000  | 200,000  | no  | 400,000                                       |
| 10 | Poland    | NCBR           | 300,000  | no   | 300,000                              | no   | no   | no  | 600,000                                       |
| 11 | Portugal  | FCT            | no   | no   | no                                   | 300,000  | no   | no  | 300,000                                       |
| 12 | Spain     | AEI            | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 600,000                                       |
| 13 | Spain     | ISCI           | no   | no   | 750,000                              | no   | no   | no  | 750,000                                       |
| 14 | Turkey    | TUBITAK        | yes  | yes  | yes                                  | yes  | yes  | yes   | 750,000                                       |
| 15 | Uruguay   | ANII           | yes  | no   | no                                   | yes  | no   | no  | 44,000  |

# Timeline



| DATE  | ACTION  |
|---|---|
| Publication of the Call for Proposals   | Monday, 24 <sup>th</sup> January 2022   |
| Deadline for proposal submission  | <b>Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> April 2022 (17.00 CEST)</b>                        |
| Eligibility check: International and national as well as technical feasibility check of proposals | Starting with the submission of the proposals, ending 12 <sup>th</sup> May 2022 |
| External evaluations  | Ending 15 <sup>th</sup> July 2022   |
| Scientific Evaluation Committees' meeting (ranking of proposals)                                  | Before 15 <sup>th</sup> September 2022  |
| Meeting of funding parties to decide which proposals will be funded                               | Before 30 <sup>th</sup> September 2022  |
| Information of applicants about the results of the evaluation                                     | Before 14 <sup>th</sup> October 2022  |
| Preparation of national/ regional funding contracts/funding decisions                             | October - December 2022   |
| Start of projects   | December 2022 – February 2023   |
| Provision of Consortium Agreement to the Call Secretariat   | Upon official project start   |
| Maximum duration of projects  | 36 months   |

## Eligibility Criteria



### Eligibility check in 2 steps

- Call Secretariat checks eligibility with regard to criteria agreed by Group of Funding Parties
- Each Funding Party checks the eligibility of its national applicants according to national regulations

If international or national eligibility requirements are not met, the proposal will not be admitted to evaluation procedure.

To be eligible a proposal must:

- Conform to the scope and the thematic focus selected by the consortium
- Meet the consortium composition and partnership requirements as specified in the call text
- Comply with the maximum allowed duration
- Secure that each partner of the consortium complies with the funding regulations the national Funding Organization
- Be submitted in English, using the web tool provided for proposals **28<sup>th</sup> April 2022, at 17:00 CEST**

Only proposals meeting these criteria will be processed by the Call Secretariat. Non-eligible proposals will be rejected.

**Applicants are strongly advised to check their national funding regulations and to contact their national CCP in due time before the submission. The CCPs are listed in the call text.**

- The Funding Regulations of each funding agency are published at: <https://www.eucelac-platform.eu/joint-actions>

## Eligibility Criteria

### How many partners must cooperate in a project proposal?

- Each consortium submitting a proposal must involve a **minimum of four eligible partners from four different countries with at least two countries from each region** (according to the list of participating funding organizations).
- The coordinator must be eligible for the funding organizations participating in this Call.
- **Self-financed associated partners** may also be part of the consortia if they can clearly demonstrate an added value to the consortium and secure their own funding.
- They must provide the Call Secretariat with a **signed official** letter of support from their institution, stating the commitment of the organization/company to provide its own funding.

### Evaluation Criteria:

1. Excellence
  2. Impact
  3. Quality and efficiency of the implementation
  4. Economic impact, applicability and exploitation of results
- **The selection of the proposals for funding is based on an international peer-review procedure.**
  - **The formal funding decision will be made by the respective national Funding Party.**

## Useful Documents & Links

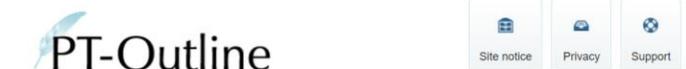
**Call website:** <https://www.eucelac-platform.eu/joint-call/4th-eu-lac-joint-call-sti-2022>

- ✓ Guide for Applicants
- ✓ National Funding Rules
- ✓ Proposal form for download



**Call management system:** <https://ptoutline.eu/app/eu-lac-2022>

- ✓ Proposals must be submitted online in English



**B2B Matchmaking Platform:** <https://europe-lac.b2match.io/page-2941>

- ✓ Free registration, call notification via e-mail



# EU-CELAC Platform



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## 4th EU-LAC Joint Call in STI 2022

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The EU-LAC Interest Group towards the Common Research Area launches a new Joint Call to enhance the bi-regional cooperation in Science, Technology and Innovation.

**Call opening date:** Monday, 24 January 2022  
**Call closing date:** Thursday, 28 April 2022

The aim of the Joint Call is to initiate sustainable and multilateral research cooperation between researchers from Europe, Latin-America and the Caribbean countries. Transnational consortia are invited to submit proposals related to six topics in the thematic fields of **Global Challenges, Health, Biodiversity, and Energy** (see call topics below). One of the specificities is the inclusion of four topics based on sharing large Research Infrastructures. Projects will be funded for up to 36 months.

Proposals must be submitted online in English following the [Guide for Applicants](#).

The application consists of two parts, the Project Description Template form and the online submission form accessible at <https://ptoutline.eu/app/eu-lac-2022>.

Link to the partner search tool: [ENRICH in LAC Matchmaking platform](#).

### Topics in the 4th Multi-Thematic Joint Call 2022

Transnational consortia are invited to submit proposals related to the following 6 topics in the thematic fields of **Global Challenges, Health, Biodiversity, and Energy**:

## Documents

- [4th EU-LAC JC Call Text](#)
- [Guide For Applicants\\_4th EU\\_LAC JC](#)
- [Project Description Template\\_4th EU\\_LAC JC](#)
- [Guideline Online Matchmaking Platform of ENRICH in Latin America & The Caribbean \(LAC\)](#)

## National Funding rules

- [Austria funding rules EULAC\\_2022\\_updated!](#)
- [Bolivia funding rules EULAC\\_2022](#)
- [Brazil\\_CNPQ funding rules EULAC\\_2022](#)
- [Brazil\\_CONFAP\\_funding rules EULAC\\_2022\\_updated!](#)
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# Online Submission Tool PT-Outline

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# Online Submission Tool

➤ See Guide for Applicants for step by step manual



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL <https://ptoutline.eu/app/forms/edit/757/6861/100493>. The user is logged in as [laura.bonora@fecyt.es](#). The page title is "PT-Outline". In the top right corner, there are links for "Site notice", "Privacy", and "Support". A session timeout of 17:21 CET is displayed. The main content area is titled "EU-LAC-2022-006" and "General Information". A red circle highlights the left-hand navigation menu, which includes "Overview", "General Information" (selected), "Project Coordinator", "Project Partner", "Project description", "Checklist for the coordinator", and "Final Check and Submission". Below the navigation menu, there are sections for "proposals" (submitted: 1, in process: 0) and "Call details" (Call acronym: EU-LAC-2022, Call deadline: 28-04-2022 17:00 CEST). The main form area contains several fields: "Keywords\*" (5 up to 7), "Project acronym\*" (max. 15 characters, 16 left), "Project title (long title)\*", and "Scientific abstract\*" (max. 2,000 characters, 2,000 left). A note states: "All fields marked with \* are mandatory for completing this form."

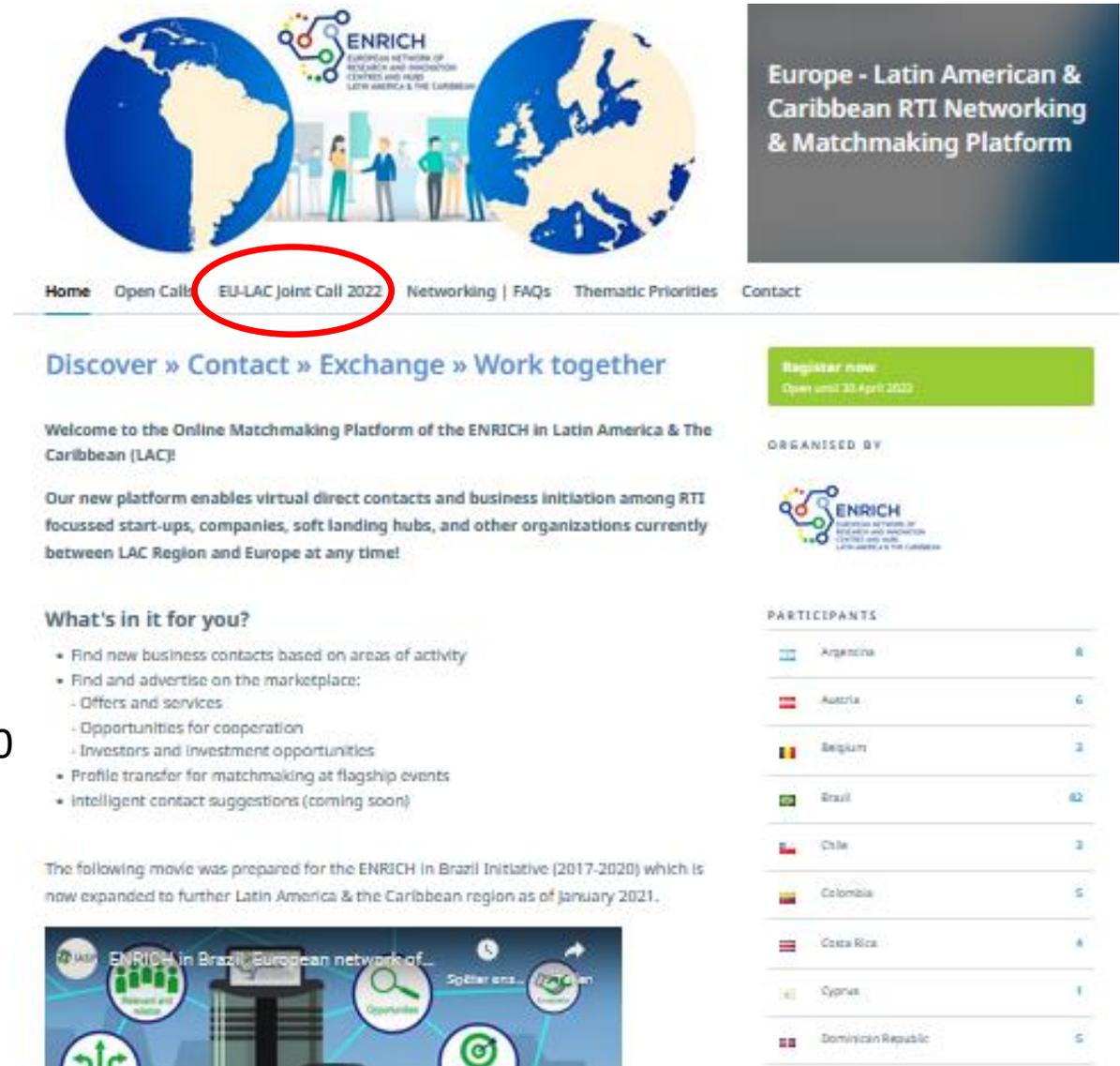
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|--------------------|----|
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| Austria            | 6  |
| Belgium            | 3  |
| Brazil             | 42 |
| Chile              | 3  |
| Colombia           | 5  |
| Costa Rica         | 4  |
| Cyprus             | 1  |
| Dominican Republic | 5  |

Welcome to the Online Matchmaking Platform of the ENRICH in Latin America & The Caribbean (LAC)!

Our new platform enables virtual direct contacts and business initiation among RTI focussed start-ups, companies, soft landing hubs, and other organizations currently between LAC Region and Europe at any time!

What's in it for you?

- Find new business contacts based on areas of activity
- Find and advertise on the marketplace:
  - Offers and services
  - Opportunities for cooperation
  - Investors and investment opportunities
- Profile transfer for matchmaking at flagship events
- Intelligent contact suggestions (coming soon)

The following movie was prepared for the ENRICH in Brazil Initiative (2017-2020) which is now expanded to further Latin America & the Caribbean region as of January 2021.



## How to publish your interest in these call topics via this platform?

If you are already a member of this platform and interested collaboration under these topics, you are kindly invited to update your profiles as indicated below:

### 1) Indicate which of the 6 topics you are interested in

Thus, other organisation can identify you.

Please select those topics you are interested in

### 2) Publish your Partner search related to these call topics via the Marketplace

Add a "EU-LAC Joint Call 2022" Partner Search Project

If you are new to this platform (and not registered yet), you will be able to make the selection during the registration process.

# ENRICH in LAC B2B Matchmaking Platform

85 Participants found

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2.1 Health I - Personalised Medicine  
(85)



3.1 Biodiversity and Ecosystem  
Services Research Infrastructures (96)



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2.2 Health II - EU-LAC Regional Hubs:  
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