What is the Funding and Tender Opportunities Portal?

It is the entry point for participants and experts in funding programmes and tenders managed by the European Commission and other EU bodies.

In order to navigate and apply electronically for all EC funding opportunities, it is mandatory to have an individual ECAS account with the EU log-in details.

Users can sign up and access the Portal using a single email address and password.
In order to set up your ECAS account for the portal with the log-in details, you need to type the following link to your browser:

https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home

1. **Register**: You firstly need to click on the ‘Register’ button at the top right hand corner of your screen.
2. **Sign up: provide your details**
3. **Select a call**: In the main page, under ‘Search Funding & Tenders’ and after having chosen the ‘H2020’ programme from the drop down menu you will be able to select the call you wish to apply to. You need to ensure you have unticked the ‘Closed’ calls.

- **Click on ‘Search Funding and Tenders’**
- **Select the ‘H2020’ programme**
- **Select the call group**
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Double-click on your chosen topic
4. Create an online proposal

Horizon 2020

Work programme: ERC-2016

Call name: Call for proposals for ERC Proof of Concept Grant - Call 8: ERC-2019-ProC

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Topic Updates

- Dec 13, 2018 12:17:35 PM
  Update of HG2022 Armored (Metal) Grant Agreement v5.1 is now available, see below, under Topic Conditions. Additional documents.

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Topic Description

Scope:

Eligible Countries

1. Eligible countries: The conditions specific to the ERC are described in the ERC 2019 Work Programme under the heading Eligibility criteria and in Annex 3. An overview is provided below.

The ERC actions are open to researchers of any nationality who intend to conduct their research activity in any EU Member State or E sie Associated Country. Principal Investigators may be of any age and nationality and may reside in any country in the world at the time of the application. ERC Principal Investigators do not necessarily have to be based in Europe.

For more information, please refer to the ERC Horizon 2020 Funding & Tenders Portal or the ERC Guide for Applicants.

Topic conditions and documents

Please read carefully all provisions below before the preparation of your application (for more detailed information, please refer to the Information for Applicants to the Proof of Concept Grant 2019 Call, the ERC-2019-ProC/TKS2 Instructions, and the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)).
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You can access documents and topic information here.

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Fill in the PIC code: 999984156
Fill in the university’s short name: UREAD

Project Acronym
Abstract
5. Access the proposal template

You can access the template here
6. Add contacts

Click on the + button to add partner organisations and contacts to the proposal.

Ensure you always grant the EU Unit with access to your online application. You can do this by adding the following as an additional contact with full access rights.

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