



## Urban Europe

creating attractive, sustainable and economically viable urban areas

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Joint Call for Proposals

Joint Programming Initiative Urban Europe

June 18, 2013

## JPI Urban Europe 2<sup>nd</sup> Call

- Call open: 18 June 2013
- Call closes: 18 Sep 2013  
(pre-proposals)
- Overall budget 15 M€
- Projects start mid 2014
- Topics
  1. Governance of urban complexity
  2. Urban vulnerability, adaptability, and resilience



## Governance of Urban Complexity

Cities are getting increasingly complex and new forms and structures for governance may be required to deal with this.

## Governance of Urban Complexity

*Possible areas of interest:*

- Explore new forms of *participatory and/or self-organising urban governance*.
- Explore *policy choices and governance frameworks* enabling urban centres to manage and address the challenges of urban complexity.
- Development of new forms of *real-time monitoring and distributed participation* in planning and decision making.
- Develop / use *large scale data* on urban issues and analyse the complex relationship between different entities.

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## Governance of Urban Complexity

Self organisation in energy provision and transport

Self organisation in land use planning and housing

Participative decision making in infrastructure development

Decentralisation in healthcare

Governance models

Governance tools

Data acquisition ('big data')

Monitoring

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## Urban Vulnerability, Adaptability, and Resilience

Enhance understanding of and response to natural, environmental, social, economic and technological shocks as well as gradual changes.

## Urban Vulnerability, Adaptability, and Resilience

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### *Possible areas of interest:*

- Development and testing of *theories* as well as development of *advanced systems analysis* on *systems transitions*.
- Development of *new, adaptive strategies, policies, methods, tools and decision support* to manage large scale disruptions as well as small scale continuous changes affecting the urban ecological, social and economic systems.
- Development of new *tools, methods, techniques, and policies* to *monitor* growth and change and to *forecast* risks.


## Urban Vulnerability, Adaptability, and Resilience

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Country	Funding agency	Indicative amount [k€]	Type of project <sup>2</sup>		
			Basic	Applied	Innovation
Austria	FFG	up to 2100 <sup>1</sup>	X	XX	XX
Belgium	FWO	400	XX		
	IWT	1000	X	XX	XX
	Innoviris	600	X	XX	XX
	SPW	1000		XX	
	FNRS	200	XX		
Cyprus	RPF	200		XX	
Denmark	DCSR	500	XX	XX	
Italy	MIUR	500	X	X	X
Netherlands	NWO	1200	XX	X	
Norway	RCN	600	XX	XX	
Sweden	Formas	3000	X	XX	X
	Swedish Energy Agency <sup>3</sup>	900	X	XX	XX
Turkey	TÜBITAK	800	XX	X	XX
United Kingdom	ESRC	2000	XX	XX	X

<sup>1</sup> current Austrian budget is 900k€ with an optional extension to 2100k€  
<sup>2</sup> XX = primary focus of FA; X = mandate for funding  
<sup>3</sup> energy relevance of project is criterion for funding

	
<h2>Requirements</h2>	
<b>Must have</b> (JPI UE eligibility criterions)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 countries</li> <li>• Max. 3 years</li> <li>• Urban focus</li> <li>• Not pure technical content</li> </ul>	
<b>Encouraged</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Integrative project design               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– Cross sectorial and/or</li> <li>– Multi-disciplinary and/or</li> <li>– Stakeholder involvement</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

## Consortium composition

1. Spread over multiple relevant sectors & disciplines
  2. Preferably, include multiple types of research
  3. Take into account FA funding conditions:
    - Not all FAs sponsor all types of research (basic-applied-implementation)
    - Some FAs require the participation of specific participants
- Match approach to FAs in application
  - Partner search form:  
[http://www.ipi-urbaneurope.eu/About/Progress/Partner Search Form second Urban Europe Call available now](http://www.ipi-urbaneurope.eu/About/Progress/Partner_Search_Form_second_Urban_Europe_Call_available_now)

## Two stage application

- First stage:
  - General project idea
  - Present a compelling case for what you want to do and why that is interesting
  - Name partners and say something about why they are selected
  - Indicative budget indication
- Second stage
  - Project plan, budget, detailed partner profiles, CV's, impact assessment, governance etc.

Submission via: <https://ecall.ffg.at>

## Indicative time schedule

- Call flyer published: June
- Call open: 18 June
- First application deadline: **18 Sept**
  - Project idea, consortium members, indicative budget
- Short list announcement: Early November
- Full applications deadline: **21 January**
- Decisions announced: May 2014
- Projects start: May – September 2014

## Criteria

- Check on eligibility criteria of relevant funding agency
- Check on eligibility criteria of JPI UE
- Evaluation of eligible proposals
- Top ranking pre-proposals – invitation to submit full proposal (approx. 25, *indicative!!*)
- Eligibility check & evaluation of full proposals
- Approx. 10 projects granted funding (*indicative!!*)

	Basic research	Applied research	Innovation
Relevance to call topics	25	25	25
Quality of work	35	30	25
(Potential) Impact	15	20	25
Project organisation	25	25	25



Thanks and keep in touch:

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