European Association of Innovation Consultants

European Innovation Council

€9.7bn budget

2021-2027

27 member states + 17 associated countries

Basic Principles Observed Technology Concept Formulated

Experimental Proof of Concept

Technology Validated in Lab

Technology Validated in Relevant Environment

Technology Demonstrated in Relevant Environment

System Prototype in Operational Environment

System Complete & Qualified

Actual System Proven in Operational Environment



Accelerator

TRL: 5/6 to 8/9

2021 budget: €1.09bn

Pathfinder

TRL: 1 to 4 2021 budget: €300m

Transition

TRL: 4 to 5/6 2021 budget: €100m

Application process: 1. Short application > 2. Full application > 3. Face-to-face interview 40% of places at the face-to-face interviews reserved for female CEOs

Funding options for single applicants: Grant first, Grant only, Blended finance, Investment only

Accelerator

Budget = €592.50m (50% allocated for investment)

Open Call

Full application deadline = 09/06/2021 & 06/10/2021

Grants of max. €2.5m and / or Equity of max. €15m

Funding rate = 70%

Challenge

Budget = €495.10m (50% allocated for investment)

> Full application deadline = 09/06/2021 & 06/10/2021

Grants of max. €2.5m and / or Equity of max. €15m

Funding rate = 70%

Challenge Topic

 Strategic health & digital technologies

2. Green Deal innovations for the economic recovery

Transition

Eligible applicants from previous funded EU projects: Pathfinder, FET, ERC Proof of Concept **Open Call** Challenge Challenge Topic **Budget** = €59.60m **Budget** = €40.50m 1. Medical devices Deadline = 22/09/2021 Deadline = 22/09/2021 2. Energy harvesting & storage Grants of max. €2.5m Grants of max. €2.5m technologies Funding rate = 100% Funding rate = 100%

Pathfinder	Collaborative projects: at least 3 partners		
	Open Call	Challenge	Challenge Topic
	Budget = €168m Deadline = 19/05/2021 Grants of max. €3m Funding rate = 100%	Budget = €132m Deadline = 27/10/2021 Grants of max. €4m Funding rate = 100%	 Awareness inside Tools to measure & stimulate activity in brain tissue Emerging technologies in cell & gene therapy Novel routes to green hydrogen production Engineered living materials