Several Opportunities for the Successful Participation of Georgian Scientists in H2020 Programs

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Classification of the Most Popular International Scientific Foundations in Georgia

Assistance Programs/Foundations:

ISTC www.istc.ru

STCU www.stcu.int

NATO www.nato.int/science

TEMPUS www.tempus.ge

ENPI http://www.delgeo.ec.europa.eu/

INTAS Closed in 2007

Applied Programs/Foundations :

EC FP programs http://cordis.europa.eu.int

GRDF www.grdf.ge

DFG www.dfg.de

IFS www.ifs.se

SNF www.snf.ch

EC Scientific Contribution

- The European Union is a world leader in research and innovation, responsible for 24% of world expenditure on research, 32% of high impact publications and 32% of patent applications, while representing only 7% of the population.
- It must be underlined that about 6% of representatives of third countries participated in FP7 and this number is increasing.
- In new H2020 program the interest of the Europe is to strengthen the EU's excellence and attractiveness in research and innovation as well as its economic and industrial competitiveness (creating thereby win-win situation); to tackle global societal challenges (such as climate changes, infectious diseases, food security, etc.) and support the EU external policies (ENP, Science diplomacy, ERA, etc.)

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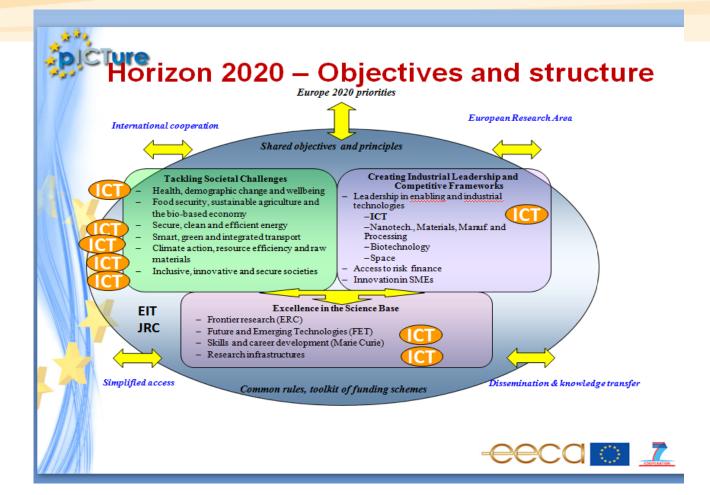
EC FP7 Program







H2020 program



Priorities of Industrial Leadership

- Industrial Leadership aims to speed up development of the technologies and innovations that will underpin tomorrow's businesses and help innovative European SME's to grow into world-leading companies.
- It consists of the following objectives:
 - Information & Communication Technologies (ICT)
 - Nanotechnology
 - Advanced materials
 - Biotechnology
 - Advanced manufacturing and processing
 - Space



General Aims of Horizon 2020

Total cost of H2020 program is 80 billion EUR

- Excellent science → 24 441 million EUR
- Industrial leadership → 17 016 million EUR
- Societal challenges → 29 679 million EUR

The main goal is to increase GDP on R&D up to 3% by 2020

- To direct at least 20% of the H2020 budget to climate related objectives
- To significantly increase participation of and support to SME's (15% of the budget in "Leadership in enabling and industrial technologies"- LEIT and "Societal Challenges")

Partner Search Program

The name of the project is: Idealist 2018 (Transnational Cooperation among ICT NCPs).

Project web site: www.ideal-ist.eu

In IDEALIST are united ICT NCPs from 35 countries, among them is ICARTI from Georgia.

All IDEALIST projects had the same coordinator – German DLR (air space institute).

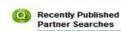
At present coordinator is ISERD Company from Israel.







- > H2020 EU-JAPAN -2014 Close date: 10/04/2014
- H2020 FoF -2014/2015 Close date: 20/03/2014
- > H2020-FINERA-2014/2015 Close date: 02/09/2014
- > H2020-ENERGY-EE-2014/2015 Close date: 05/06/2014
- > H2020-ENERGY-LCE-2014/2015 Close date: 07/05/2014



- > PS-IT-89787: SPAIN-TING: Spacetime-Inspired Computing
- > PS-ES-89283: Knowledge as a Service: exploring the Big Data paradigm towards knowledge generation for smart and advanced technological applications
- > PS-ES-89830: MDE-Health
- > PS-IT-89363: single chip safety microsensors

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- > PS-IT-89228: (RAFT) Using the RFID technology against the freight thefts along the supply chain
- > PS-NO-89154: Inclusive-MT
- > PS-NO-89152 Inclusive-MT

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- > Towards 2020: New Horizons for RTD and Innovation in the Western Balkan Region
- > AAL-Forum 2014



> First competitive call for experiment proposals under the European Clearing House for Open Robotics Development (ECHORD++) project











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QA label Partner search

PS-IT-89787	SPAIN-TING: Spacetime- Inspired Computing	13/03/2014	H2020- FETOPEN- 2014/2015	FETOPEN 1 – 2014/2015: FET-Open research projects	Italy	0	Open 🗸
PS-ES-89283	Knowledge as a Service: exploring the Big Data paradigm towards knowledge generation for smart and advanced technological applications	07/03/2014	H2020- ICT-2014	ICT 15- 2014: Big Data and Open Data Innovation and take-up	Spain	0	Open 🗸
PS-ES-89830	MDE-Health	06/03/2014	H2020- HEALTH- PHC-2014/2015	PHC 26 – 2014; Self-management of health and disease: citizen engagement and mHealth	Spain	3	Open 🗸
PS-IT-89363	single chip safety microsensors	06/03/2014	H2020- ICT-2014	ICT 2- 2014: Smart System Integration	Italy	0	Open 🗸
PS-IT-89725	Phrase-based Ontology Enabled Multilingual Natural Language Machine Translation	06/03/2014	H2020- ICT-2014	ICT 17- 2014: Cracking the language barrier	Italy	Ø	Open 🗸
PS-AM-89835	Enhancing the security and efficiency in cloud applications by Polynomials and White-box encryption (POLYBOX).	05/03/2014	H2020- ICT-2014	ICT 32- 2014: Cybersecurity, Trustworthy ICT	Armenia	0	Open 🗸
PS-SI-89391	CryptoCloud	05/03/2014	H2020- ICT-2014	ICT 7- 2014: Advanced Cloud Infrastructures and Services	Slovenia	G	Closed
PS-GR-89705	Intelligent Routing in real-time environment	28/02/2014	H2020- TRANSPORT- MG-2014/2015	MG.7.1-2014. Connectivity and information sharing for intelligent mobility	Greece	0	Open 🗸

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PROJECT OVERVIEW

PS ID: PS-IT-89787 Status: Open

Date of last Modification: 13/03/2014 Date of Publication: 13/03/2014

Call Identifier: H2020-FETOPEN-2014/2015

Objective: FETOPEN 1 - 2014/2015: FET-Open research projects

Funding Schemes: Research & Innovation Actions

Evaluation Scheme: One stage Closure Date: 29/09/2015



Serching partners interested in multidisciplinary research on computational universe conjecture and emergent computational patterns in discrete models of spacetime

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Proposal Outline:

Investigating the clever solutions invented by nature, in several billion years of evolution, for supporting life processes in the biosphere, is, today, a well consolidated practice in multi-disciplinary research areas such as bio-inspired computing, whose benefits in terms of technological innovation are already being delivered.

Project SPAIN-TING starts from the basic and highly controversial assumptions that (i) Nature is fundamentally computational, meaning that the complexity observed in the Universe is the manifestation of the emergent properties of pure information processing activities, and, more crucial, that (ii) computation occurs at all levels, down to the physical level of subatomic particles, and below. Not only 'life is evolving software' (as recently suggested by G. Chaitin), but spacetime itself, intended as the ultimate, discrete fabric of the cosmos, computes.

The conjecture of a discrete, network-based, algorithmic spacetime can be naturally placed in the context of established fundamental physics research (and quantum gravity), and dialogue with efforts in that area (e.g. with the Causal Set Program) is useful, but we expect contributions also from the fields of theoretical and evolutionary biology, of complex networks, and others. The most ambitious and visionary objective of this project is to open a path toward the identification, crucially by massive simulation, of some of the 'clever' computing solutions that may be hidden at the lowest scales (Plank, presumably) of the physical universe, in view of their technological exploitation in the form of spacetime-inspired computing.

PARTNER PROFILE SOUGHT

Required skills and Expertise:

We look for individual researchers, or groups, with the following skills:

 Discrete models of spacetime (Causal sets, Causal Dynamical Triangulations, Spin Networks, NKS). Phisics of spacetime (Lorentz metrics and invariance, Minkowski and de Sitter space,...).

Complex network science (scale free, percolation, ...).

- Computer science. Simple models of computation (Turing machines, cellular automata, boolean networks, graph rewriting systems, ...). Genetic algorithms. Massive parallel systems. Simulation of agent-based systems.
- Dynamical systems, chaos theory, self-organisation and emergence.
- Theoretical and evolutionary biology, artificial life (Kauffman, ...).
- Computational universe conjecture (Zuse, Fredkin, Wolfram, Lloyd, ...).

Description of work to be carried out by the partner(s) sought:

Theoretical research on, and massive computer simulation of algorithmic discrete models of spacetime satisfying key physical requirements (e.g. Lorentz-invariance); identification of emergent information-processing solutions in view of their technological exploitation.

Type of partner(s) sought:

Universities, public research institutions, research departments of private companies.

Looking for a Coordinator for your proposal:

No

PROPOSER INFORMATION

Organisation: CNR italian National Research Council

Department:

ISTI Istituto Scienza e Tecnologie Informazione
Type of Organisation: Research Center

Country: Italy

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Brokerage Events

- November 2013 IDEALIST organized **Brokerage Event in Vilnius.**
- In October 2014 IDEALIST organized Brokerage **Event in Florence (Italy).**
- June 2015, EC funded NoGAP Project provided attendance of Georgian scientists-technologists on technology fair in Frankfurt, Germany.

H2020 Key Drivers

- Focusing on parts of the societal challenges with high potential for sustainable competiveness, innovation and growth;
- Using dedicated measures to leverage and boost engagement of industry;
- Providing access to finance, which is an essential condition for successful innovation;
- Developing the new knowledge and contributing to skills, which underpin excellent research and innovation, and promoting EU excellence;
- Boosting the industrial deployment of enabling technologies;
- Addressing the research and innovation divide;
- **Supporting strong partnership with Member States**;
- Ensuring a strategic approach to international cooperation, to facilitate access to the best researchers and the best sources of expertise globally.
- FP7 and now H2020 are devoted to the creation and development of the **European Technology Platforms (ETPs).**
- At present there are 35 technology platforms in Europe. ICT technology platforms: NEM, NESSI, Net!works and Photonics21.

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