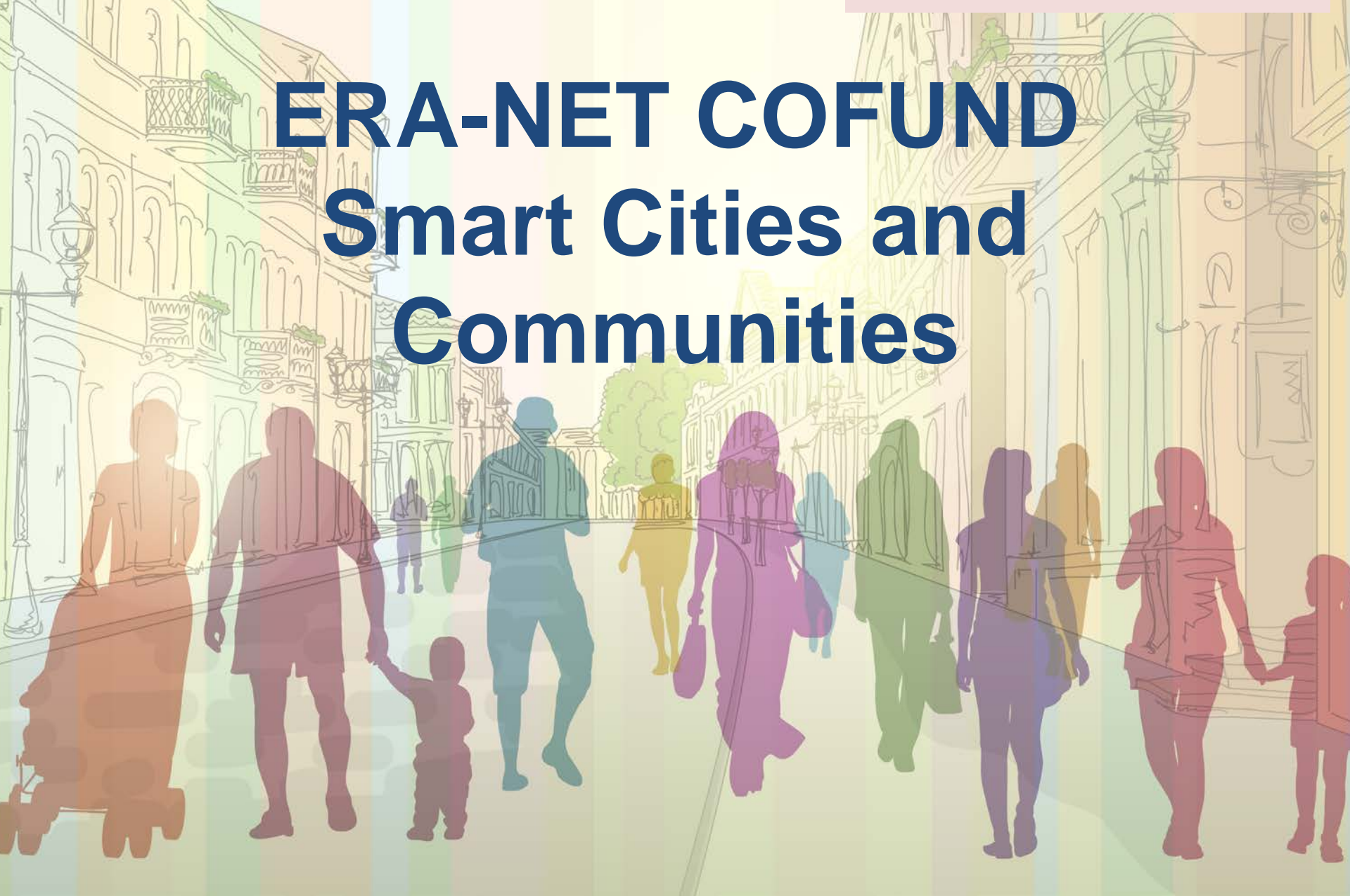


ERA-NET COFUND Smart Cities and Communities



Overview

- Established by the Joint Programming Initiative (JPI) Urban Europe and the Smart Cities Member States Initiative (SC MSI)
- Open in winter 2014/2015
- 2-step application
- Call budget approx. 28 M€
- 12 countries

Time Schedule

- Open in winter 2014/2015
- Pre-proposal deadline: end of March 2015
- Invitations for applicants to submit full proposal: May 2015
- Full proposal deadline: September 2015
- Funding decisions announced: December 2015/January 2016
- Start of projects: December 2015 to March 2016

Call Topics

1. Smart urban energy and mobility systems
2. Smart tools and services for integrated urban energy and transport systems
3. Smart big data
4. Smart governance and smart citizens

Type of Projects

- The call aims towards innovation and implementation of integrated low-carbon energy and transport systems at the urban scale
- Mandatory to include innovation and implementation activities
 - Pre-implementation: preparation of smart city implementation
 - Implementation: demonstration of technology, tools, service, data or governance development in the area of smart cities
 - Post-implementation: evaluation or monitoring of smart city implementation
- Projects are also allowed complementing innovation and implementation activities with applied urban research and strategic urban research

Who can apply?

- Project consortium consisting of at least three eligible applicants from at least three participating countries.
- Project consortium must have the interest and competence to undertake research, development, innovation within the specified themes.

Project Partners and Call Budgets

Country	Agency	Funding 2015-2018 (3 years)
Austria	FFG	3.3 M€
Belgium	DGO6	0.3 M€
	Innoviris	0.5 M€
	FNRS	0.2 M€
Cyprus	RPF	0.2 M€
Finland	Tekes	0,9 M€
Netherlands	NWO	0.9 M€
Norway	RCN	1.9 M€
Portugal	FCT	0.9 M€
Romania	UEFISCDI	0.8 M€
Spain	CDTI	1.4 M€
Sweden	Formas	1.4 M€
	Swedish Energy Agency	1.9 M€
	Vinnova	0.9 M€
Switzerland	DETEC	3.7 M€
Turkey	TÜBITAK	0.9 M€

ENSCC vs. H2020 SC Lighthouse Projects

- ENSCC asks for an integration of different technologies and a human-centred approach. Not an obligation for Lighthouse projects
- ENSCC targets smaller scale projects addressing smaller cities and small scale testing
- ENSCC enables a preparation phase for lighthouse projects for smaller cities
- ENSCC invites projects with specific ambition for implementation, but invites the combination with research activities

More information? Please contact the JPI Urban Europe Call Secretariat

Johannes Bockstefl

FFG - Austrian Research
Promotion Agency

Telephone: +43 5 77 55-5042

E-mail: johannes.bockstefl@ffg.at

Anke van der Made

NWO – Netherlands Organisation
for Scientific Research

Telephone: +31 70 344 05 11

E-mail: a.vandermade@nwo.nl

Or visit www.jpi-urbaneurope.eu

