

WP4 Call for Proposals

E³UDRES² Scientific Council

1. Summary

This document is intended to start the establishment of a Scientific Council to provide advice on scientific matters to the E³UDRES² alliance. The council should be the relevant body for academic and strategic aspects of research activities, integrated into the E³UDRES² structure.

2. Objectives/Responsibilities

The Council:

- Makes recommendations and supervises the research work under WP4.
- Validates the revisited joint E³UDRES² Research strategy, prepared by the WP4 team, reflecting previous EU policies, previous activities & experience, integrating capacity of all nine partners, before being sent for approval to the Executive Board.
- Supervises the implementation of the E³UDRES² Research networks policy approved by the Executive Board.
- Supervises the definition of the concept of E³UDRES² Applied Research Centres of Excellence (CoE), proposed by the WP4 team (including criteria, characteristics, role and potential benefits), to be submitted to the Executive Board for approval.
- Identifies and selects the relevant future CoE from the expressions of interests received through the E³UDRES² Call and propose them for further development in view of the decision by the Executive Board.
- Supervises the definition of the E³UDRES² Joint Doctoral Programmes concept, methodology & policy (including criteria, characteristics, joint methodologies, model & rules, mobility models, conditions for candidates, financing models etc).
- Validates the proposed E³UDRES² Joint Doctoral Programmes concept, methodology & policy, before being sent for approval to the Executive Board.
- Supervises the implementation of the selected Joint Doctoral Programmes.
- Monitors quality and performance of the joint research activity.
- Advises on any other problems related to E³UDRES² joint research activities.

3. Composition of the Scientific Committee

The Scientific Council is composed of senior researchers/scientists from all partners.

Each partner should appoint qualified experts (internationally recognized researchers, with previous experience in research management and administration).

Proposals should be accompanied by a CV/biography focused on research experience (such as expertise on scientific committees, coordination of R&D&I projects and other scientific activities, membership in professional associations, academies etc). The CV

should also include the main scientometric indicators (ORCID ID, Researcher ID, h-indexes for WoS – Scopus – ScholarGoogle).

The Chair of the Scientific Council will be elected in the first meeting of the Council.

4. Selection of the Scientific Committee members

The members of the Scientific Council will be selected from the received proposals by the WP4 team, after analysing the profile of each proposed member and will be sent for final approval to the E³UDRES² Executive Board.

5. Proposals for the Scientific Committee members

The proposals for the members of the Scientific Committee have to be made according to each partner's internal strategy, but they should respect the principles stated in article 3 and should include all relevant data in the attached CV.

Contact & Submission by E-Mail: Lead and Co-leads of WP4

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Deadline: Send your proposals until 15 February 2024

Selection: Will be made by the WP4 team and approved by the Executive Board at latest during the E³UDRES² Executive Board in Timisoara on 6 March 2024.