## **GCE NODE**

An Industry-Driven Cluster for Ocean Technologies

Horizon Europe – what's in it for you?

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# Activities of this work programme support the implementation of the

- Paris Agreement
- UNs Sustainable Development Goals
- European Economic Recovery Plan
- European Green Deal
- 'An economy that works for the people'
- 'A Europe fit for the digital age'
- EU priorities on climate, energy, and mobility









# Horizon Europe legislation defines three types of impact tracked through **Key Impact Pathways**

- 1. Creating high-quality new knowledge
- 2. Strengthening human capital in R&I
- 3. Fostering diffusion of knowledge and Open Science

Scientific Impact



- 4. Addressing EU policy priorities & global challenges through R&I
- 5. Delivering benefits & impact via R&I missions
- 6. Strengthening the uptake of R&I in society

Societal Impact



- 7. Generating innovation-based growth
- 8. Creating more and better jobs
- 9. Leveraging investments in R&I

Economic Impact











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#### **Clusters in 'Global Challenges and Industrial Competitiveness'**

Clusters	Areas of intervention	
Health	<ul> <li>Health throughout the life course</li> <li>Non-communicable and rare diseases</li> <li>Tools, technologies and digital solutions for health and care, including personalised medicine</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Environmental and social health determinants</li> <li>Infectious diseases, including poverty-related and neglected disease</li> <li>Health care systems</li> </ul>
Culture, creativity and inclusive society	<ul><li>Democracy and Governance</li><li>Social and economic transformations</li></ul>	Culture, cultural heritage and creativity
Civil security for society	<ul><li>Disaster-resilient societies</li><li>Protection and Security</li></ul>	Cybersecurity
Digital, Industry and space	<ul> <li>Manufacturing technologies</li> <li>Advanced materials</li> <li>Next generation internet</li> <li>Circular industries</li> <li>Space, including Earth Observation</li> <li>Emerging enabling technologies</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Key digital technologies, including quantum technologies</li> <li>Artificial Intelligence and robotics</li> <li>Advanced computing and Big Data</li> <li>Low-carbon and clean industry</li> <li>Emerging enabling technologies</li> </ul>
Climate, Energy and Mobility	<ul> <li>Climate science and solutions</li> <li>Energy systems and grids</li> <li>Communities and cities</li> <li>Industrial competitiveness in transport</li> <li>Smart mobility</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Energy supply</li> <li>Buildings and industrial facilities in energy transition</li> <li>Clean, safe and accessible transport and mobility</li> <li>Energy storage</li> </ul>
Food, bioeconomy, natural resources, agriculture and environment	<ul><li>Environmental observation</li><li>Agriculture, forestry and rural areas</li><li>Circular systems</li><li>Food systems</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Biodiversity and natural resources</li> <li>Seas, oceans and inland waters</li> <li>Bio-based innovation systems in the EU Bioeconomy</li> </ul>

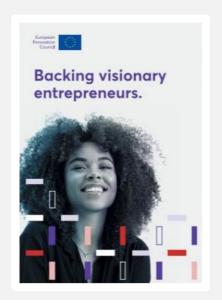
The EIC Accelerator supports companies (principally start-ups and SMEs) to scale up high impact innovations with the potential to create new markets or disrupt existing ones.





#### The EIC Accelerator can support your company to scale up if you ...





- Develop high risk/high impact innovations;
- Have the potential to create new markets, disrupt existing ones and contribute to societal innovation;
- Build on scientific discovery, radical thinking or technological breakthroughs ('deep tech');
- Require significant **funding** over a long timeframe before returns can be generated ('patient capital').

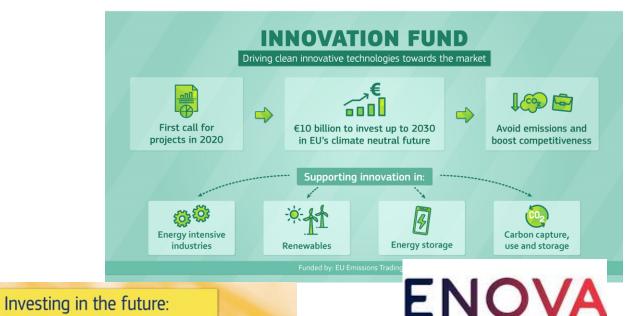


- Financial support to the company as an individual grant of EUR 75 000 to support the initial steps in the innovation process, and the growth of the company,
- Mentoring and coaching provided by the EIC Business Acceleration Services (BAS), under the new "Women Leadership Programme", which include dedicated networking and pitching events,
- The possibility to participate in dedicated activities organised by InvestEU and Enterprise Europe Network.

#### **Complementary funding opportunities**







**Digital Europe** Programme Interoperability & **Digital transformation** € **9.2** billion 1.3 € billion in total **Advanced** digital skills 0.7 € billion **High performance** computing 2.7 € billion Cybersecurity & trust Artificial 2 € billion intelligence 2.5 € billion









### The EU Taxonomy



The Taxonomy sets performance thresholds (referred to as 'technical screening criteria') for economic activities which:

- make a substantive contribution to one of six environmental objectives (Figure 1);
- do no significant harm (DNSH) to the other five, where relevant;
- meet minimum safeguards (e.g., OECD Guidelines on Multinational Enterprises and the UN





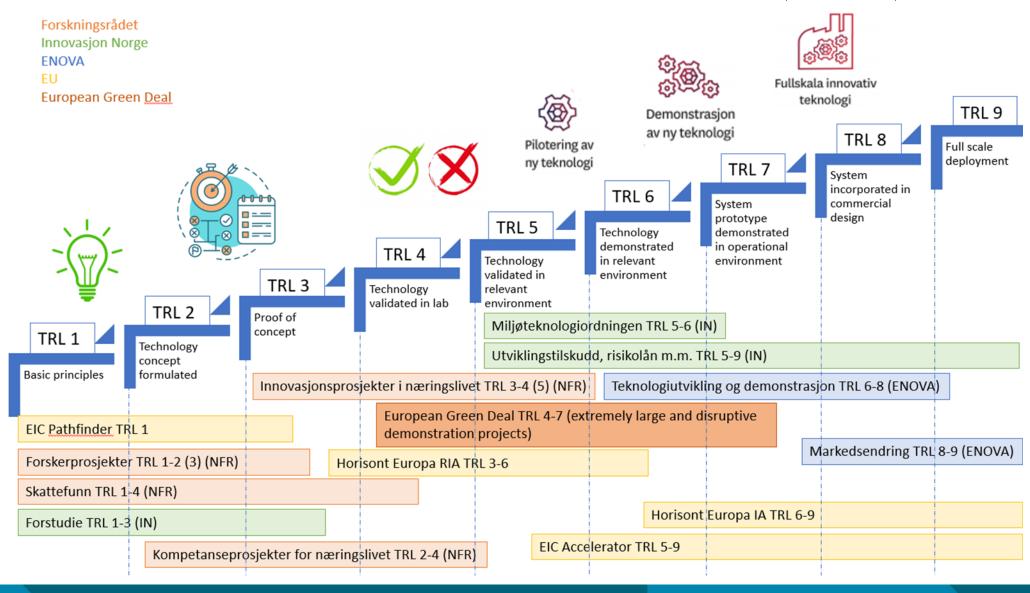
### GCE NODE – our European network

- Wind Europe
- Ocean Energy Europe
- ELBE+, industrial value chain to new blue markets
- EU Advisor network from Norwegian clusters
- Bilaterale agreements with European clusters:
  - Pole Mere Bretagne Atlantique
  - Interizon ICT Cluster
  - Univeristy of Rijeka, cluster development
  - RISE
  - more



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## Vanskelighetsgrad og mulige (gratis) hjelpere

Program	Programeier	Vanskelighetsgrad	Mulige gratis hjelpere (i tillegg til GCE NODE)
SkatteFUNN	Forskningsrådet	Lav (~80 % tilslag)	Bedrift klarer selv
Forprosjekt	Innovasjon Norge	Lav/medium	Innovasjon Norge rådgiver
Innovasjonskontrakt	Innovasjon Norge	Lav/medium	Kunden, Innovasjon Norge rådgiver
Miljøteknologiordningen	Innovasjon Norge	Lav/medium	Innovasjon Norge rådgiver
Idéavklaringsmidler	Forskningsmobilisering Agder	Lav	Kompetansemeglere i Forskningsmob. Agder
Regionalt forprosjekt	Regionalt Forskningsfond Agder	Medium	FoU-partner
Innovasjonsprosjekt i næringslivet	Forskningsrådet	Høy (~30 % tilslag)	FoU-partner, kunde
EIC Accelerator,	EU	Svært høy (~x % tilslag)	EU-rådgiver, Innovasjon Norge
Fellesprosjekter i EU	EU	Svært høy (~10 % tilslag)	Konsortiet, EU-rådgiver



# I am available for more questions and talks – my contact information is:

