



European Innovation Council Work Programme 2022

Budget €1.7 billion



THREE MAIN FUNDING SCHEMES

EIC PATHFINDER

early-stage technology research	€350 million
grants	< €4 million



EIC Pathfinder Open 2022 (€183 million)

Submissions open 1 March, close 4 May



EIC Pathfinder Challenges 2022 (€167 million)

Submissions open 15 June, close 19 October

EIC TRANSITION

technology validation and spin-out	€131 million
grants	< €2.5 million



EIC Transition Open (€70.9 million)
and Challenges (€60.5 million)

Apply anytime from 1 March,
cut-offs: 4 May and 28 September

EIC ACCELERATOR

commercialisation and scale-up	€1.16 billion
grants	< €2.5 million
equity investments	< €15 million



EIC Accelerator Open (€630.9 million)
and Challenges (€536.9 million)

Apply anytime,
cut-offs: 23 March, 15 June and 5 October



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EIC Scale-Up 100
initiative to identify 100
potential deep-tech unicorns



**Stronger support
to women innovators**



New EIC challenges
in the green, digital and
many other technologies



**Equity investments
above €15 million**
for technologies of strategic
European interest



**Simplified Seal
of Excellence**



**Business Acceleration
Services**
including coaching and
training, access to
global partners as well as to
innovation ecosystem and
peers (offered to all the
selected applicants)

