



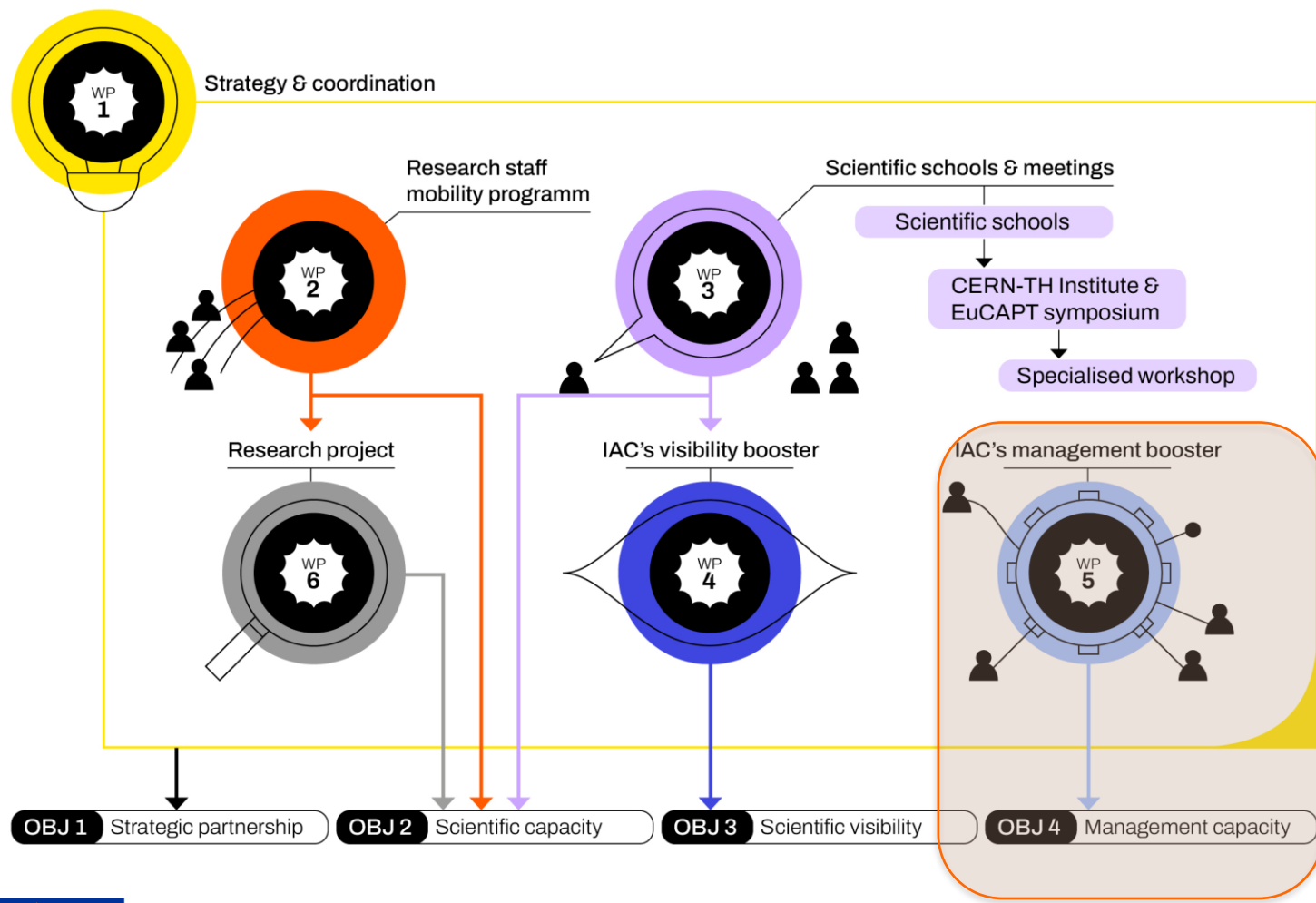
PROJECT MANAGEMENT AND TRAINING WITHIN UNDARK

Overview of the Activities to be done



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UNDARK OVERVIEW



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IAC'S MANAGEMENT BOOSTER - .OBJECTIVE



- Exchange of research management best practices from top partners to the IAC for their implementation.
- Boost the elaboration of HE proposals.
- Raise the efficiency of HE Project Management.
- Improve existing processes in IAC's research Management.



WP5 IAC'S MANAGEMENT BOOSTER

Improve IAC Research
Management skills and
competence through
short visits

HE Proposal
Elaboration Workshops

Tutoring on HE
proposal elaboration for
researchers and
managers.

Tutoring on HE
proposal management
for researchers and
managers.

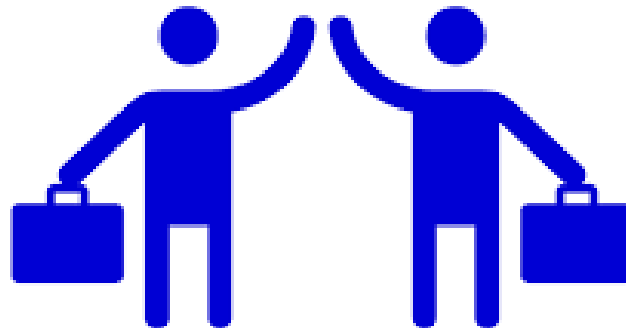
Boost IPR &
Technology Transfer in
IAC



IMPROVE IAC RESEARCH MANAGEMENT SKILLS AND COMPETENCE THROUGH SHORT VISITS.



- Within this task, short term visits of IAC administrative staff to internationally leading partners will be prepared and delivered



HE PROPOSAL ELABORATION WORKSHOPS

- **3 Specific Workshops** to prepare the researchers of IAC for submitting proposals for different HE schemes.
 - More specifically, this includes the European Research Grants Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions and Research and Innovation Actions.
 - These workshops will be in-person at the IAC and streamed online, will have a duration of 1 day and will be open to the researchers from the partners
 - **The first one to be organized in the first months of 2025**



TUTORING ON HE PROPOSAL ELABORATION FOR RESEARCHERS AND MANAGERS.



○ **Continuous mentoring**

- To identify topics
- Brainstorms to select the proposals to be done
- After we decide to go forward to a proposal
 - Plan until deadline
 - Weekly meeting to revise progress
 - Solve doubts
 - Review proposal and propose improvement
- At least 6 researchers will be mentored during the project duration



TUTORING ON HE PROPOSAL ELABORATION FOR RESEARCHERS AND MANAGERS.



- Tomorrow (15:00-16:00) : Meeting to probe interests on coaching/training on EU projects at the IAC

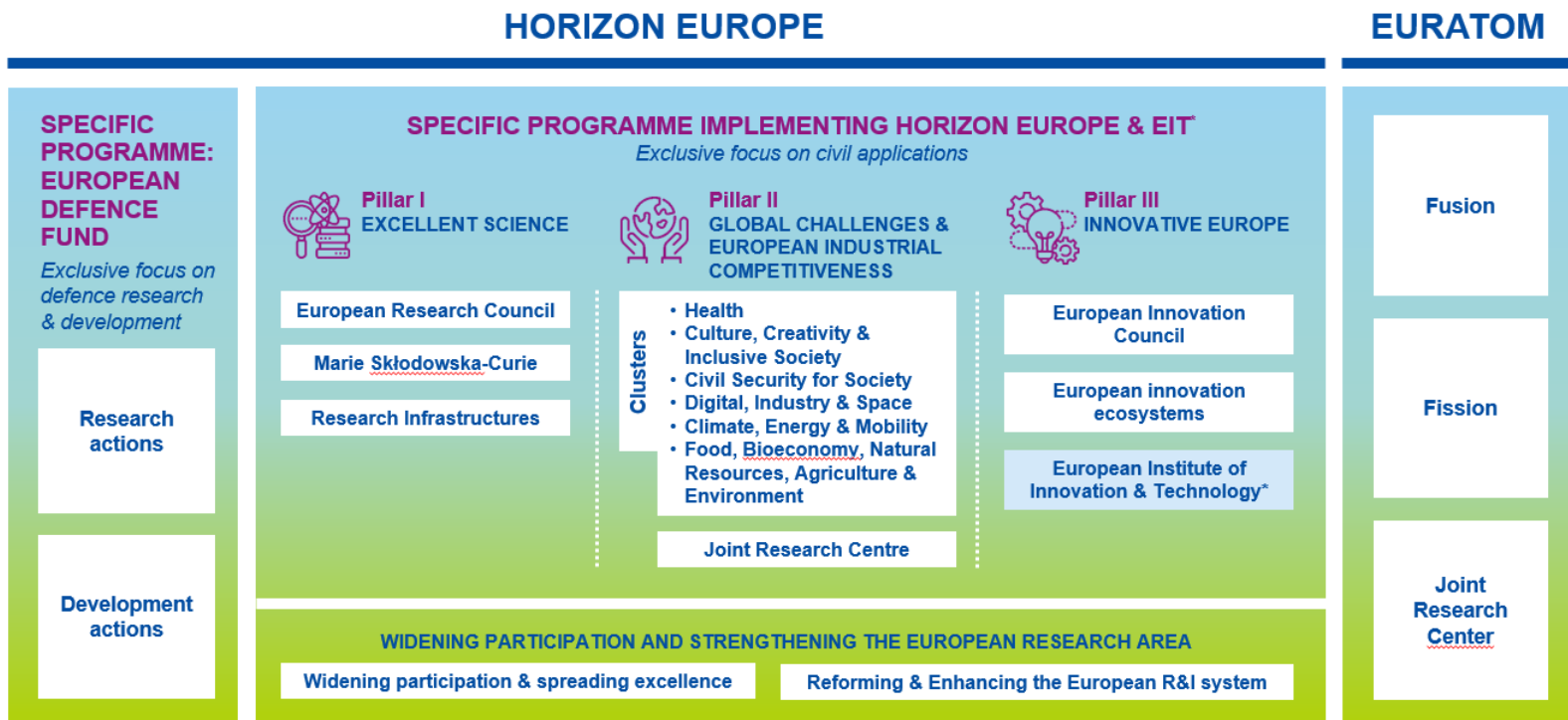


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ABOUT HORIZON EUROPE

- Horizon Europe supports research and innovation through Work Programmes, which set out funding opportunities for research and innovation activities.



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PILAR 1 OVERVIEW



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ERC GRANTS

ERC STARTING GRANTS

Grants up to 1.5€ million for 5 years
For promising early-career researchers
with 2 to 7 years experience after PhD

ERC CONSOLIDATOR GRANTS

Grants up to 2€ million for 5 years
For excellent researchers with 7 to 12
years experience after PhD

ERC ADVANCED GRANTS

Grants up to 2.5€ million for 5 years
For established research leaders with
a recognised track record of research
achievements

ERC PROOF OF CONCEPT

Lump Sum Grant of 150.000€
For existing ERC grant holders to bring
their research ideas closer to market

SYNERGY GRANTS

Grants up to 10€ million for 6 years
To address ambitious research
questions that can only be answered
by the coordinated work of a small
group of 2-4 principal Investigators

ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

For researchers wishing to work or
gain experience in an ERC grantee's
team



MSCA ACTIONS

Doctoral Networks

*Doctoral
programmes in and
outside academia
incl. joint & industrial
doctorates*

Postdoctoral Fellowships

*Support to excellent
postdoctoral
researchers*

Staff Exchanges

*Support for research
and innovation staff
exchanges*

COFUND

*Co-funding doctoral
and postdoctoral
programmes*

MSCA and Citizens

*Public outreach
events (Night)*



PILAR 2 OVERVIEW



Pillar II GLOBAL CHALLENGES & EUROPEAN INDUSTRIAL COMPETITIVENESS

Clusters

- Health
- Culture, Creativity & Inclusive Society
- Civil Security for Society
- **Digital, Industry & Space**
- Climate, Energy & Mobility
- Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture & Environment

Joint Research Centre



TUTORING ON HE PROPOSAL MANAGEMENT FOR RESEARCHERS AND MANAGERS.

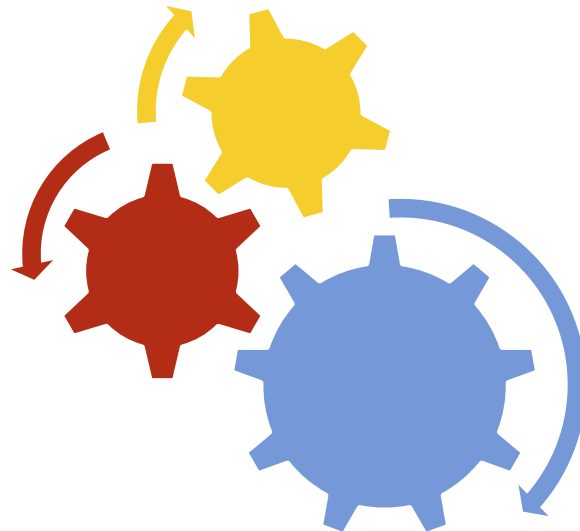
- 1 workshop, with a duration of 1 day, will be organized by SAT at the IAC. It will be conducted in person and simultaneously streamed online, allowing participation from all partner institutions.

- Continuous mentoring will be done by SAT to IAC management and administrative staff during the project to train on the challenges of managing HE projects.
 - Identify bottlenecks and challenges
 - Solve doubts
 - Propose possible alternatives to gain efficiency

- Meeting during the KoM to discuss the current challenges



- To encourage the exploitation of the use of the research results.
- 1 workshop will be organized it will be conducted in person and simultaneously streamed online, allowing participation from all partner institutions.
- Also, support will be provided by SAT to the IAC in technology transfer methods to enlarge the impact of the research done in the institution.



OUR TEAM INVOLVED IN UNDARK



Ana Branco

- Technological Physical Engineer, with more **than 20 years of experience in European projects management and European Proposal Elaboration.**
- Intellectual Property training from the WIPO and from EPO, and in Gender issues from ONUWomen



Blanca Araujo

- Industrial Engineer with more **than 15 years experience in building new proposals** and projects,
- Innovation and agile consultant, project management and EU business management



Jorge Bayon

- Telecommunication Engineer with more **than 20 years of experience in Technology Transfer** and international project management
- Support innovative and new technology project



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NEXT STEPS

- Tomorrow 15:00-16:00 :Meeting to probe interests on coaching/training on EU projects at the IAC
- First workshop - date to be defined but in the first months of 2025
- Feel free to contact us for any doubt/assistance concerning Horizon Europe proposals elaboration or project management
 - Talk with me during the coffee/lunch breaks





THANK YOU FOR ATTENTION

And if you have any doubts, please feel free to contact me :

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