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# EUROPEAN INNOVATION COUNCIL WORK PROGRAMME 2022 – NOVELTIES AND IMPLEMENTATION

WEBINAR DATE AND TIME: WEDNESDAY, 30/03/2022 17:00–18:15 PM (EEST – CYPRUS TIME)

16:00-17:15 PM (CET)

#### **WEBINAR OBJECTIVE:**

The objective of the event is to provide up-to-date information on the content of the **newly** adopted European Innovation Council (EIC) Programme for 2022 under Horizon Europe. It will provide information on the **novelties** regarding Pathfinder, Transition and Accelerator programs for proposals to potential applicants. Also, this webinar will offer **valuable insights** regarding a judge's perspective regarding the evaluation process of the applications. In addition, the participants will have the opportunity to ask questions regarding the above topics

#### TARGET AUDIENCE:

EIC aims at identifying and supporting breakthrough technologies and game-changing innovations with the potential to scale up internationally and become market leaders. It supports all stages of innovation from R&D on the scientific underpinnings of breakthrough technologies, to validation and demonstration of breakthrough technologies and innovations to meet real world needs, to the development and scaling up of start-ups and small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs).

This webinar is addressed to all Research Organizations, SMEs, Enterprises and Innovators.



### **SPEAKERS:**

*Mr. Keith Sequeira* is Head of governance and coordination unit of the European Innovation Council (EIC) and SME Executive Agency

Mr Sequeira is responsible for the team supporting the EIC Advisory Board, preparing the EIC work programmes, hosting the EIC Programme Managers and overseeing communication activities.

*Ms.* Stavriana Kofteros is Vice-Chair of the Research Innovation Foundation and European Innovation Council Investment Committee and an EIC Ambassador.

She is co-founder of Startup Cyprus and the European Startup Network, and member of the Women Economic Forum, the Innovation Advisory Board, the Transatlantic Council European Innovation Ecosystem Leaders and the European Digital Leaders Network

# **WORKING LANGUAGE:**

#### **English**

#### **ONLINE PLATFORM:**

The event will be streamed on ZOOM. For registrations, please click <a href="here.">here.</a>

#### **AGENDA:**

TIME FRAME	TITLE/SPEAKERS
17:00 - 17:10	Welcome Address  **Dr Nikolaos P. Mastroyiannopoulos*, Chief Scientist for Research and Innovation, Republic of Cyprus.
17:10 - 17:40	EIC Work Programme 2022 – Novelties and Implementation  Mr. Keith Sequeira (Head of Unit (responsible for EIC Board, Strategy and Feedback to Policy) at EISMEA)
17:40 - 17:50	EIC. A Judge's Perspective  Ms. Stavriana A. Kofteros  EIC Investment Committee & EIC Ambassador
17:50 - 18:15	Q&A



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