



Horizon Europe Cluster 3

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Work Programme 2025

- Work Programme 2025 (wp-6-civil-security-for-society horizon-2025 en.pdf)
 - Deadline 12 November 2025
 - Open Topics: Read carefully!
- DESTINATIONS
 - Fighting Crime and Terrorism (FCT)
 - Border Management (BM)
 - Disaster Resilient Societies (DRS)
 - Resilient Infrastructure (INFRA)
 - Cyber Security (CS)





General recommendations:

- Read the introduction and call text carefully
- Build your network
- Consider previous projects
- For almost all calls you will need:
 - Actors from at least three different member states
 - Practitioners in the field that you are applying for





Fighting Crime and Terrorism (FCT)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-FCT-01: Open topic on modern information and forensic evidence analysis and on frontline policing
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-FCT-02: Open topic on prevention, detection and deterrence of various forms of crime and terrorism through an enhanced understanding of the related societal issues





Fighting Crime and Terrorism (FCT)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-FCT-03: Open topic on improved intelligence picture and enhanced prevention, detection and deterrence of various forms of organised crime
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-FCT-04: Humanitarian demining / Unexploded Ordnance Disposal (UXO) of civil areas and unexploded ordnance risk education





Border Management (BM)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-BM-01: Open topic on efficient border surveillance and maritime security
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-BM-02: Open topic on secured and facilitated crossing of external borders
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-BM-03: Open topic on better customs and supply chain security





Disaster Resilient Societies (DRS)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-DRS-01: Open topic on citizen and regional and/or local authorities' engagement in enhanced disaster risk awareness, including education, and preparedness
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-DRS-02: Open topic on Improving disaster risk management and governance to ensure self-sufficiency and sustainability of operations in support of enhanced resilience





Disaster Resilient Societies (DRS)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-DRS-03: Open topic on testing / validating tools, technologies and data used in cross-border prevention, preparedness and responses to climate extreme and geological events and chemical, biological or radiological emergency threats
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-DRS-04: Advancing autonomous systems and robotics for high-risk disaster response, strengthening disaster resilience in conflict-afflicted crisis zones





Resilient Infrastructure (INFRA)

- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-INFRA-01: Open topic for improved preparedness for, response to and recovery from large-scale disruptions of critical infrastructures
- HORIZON-CL3-2025-01-INFRA-02: Open topic for role of the human factor for the resilience of critical infrastructures





Find your partners for a consortium

- Funding and tenders portal
- SEREMA Security Research Map
- Research previous projects: Projects & results | CORDIS! European Commission
- Network events:
 - CERIS
 - Informationstag 2025 (April 2025)
 - SMI2G
 - Info Days Cluster 3 (11./12. June)
- Reach out to your national contact point





Make use of the resources and services we offer

- > Individual consultation on
 - proposal writing
 - partner search
 - specific challenges like security appraisal, ethics, inclusion of practitioners
- Proposal check (please contact us in advance)
- > Events
- > Informationsbrief zur zivilen Sicherheitsforschung





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