Organisations

### 1. Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia

http://mes.gov.ge/index.php?lang=eng

# 2. Shota Rustaveli National Science Foundation of Georgia

The Foundation's mission is to support the development of excellent and innovative scientific research in Georgia and the integration of Georgian researchers and young scientists in the international research area.

http://rustaveli.org.ge/

# 3. Regional Centre for Information and Scientific Development

RCISD located in Hungary is an innovative SME, founded by scientists and R&D managers to carry out scientific research but also for participating in coordinating & support actions, furthermore being a kind of back office where the management R&D activities can be outsourced. http://rcisd.eu/

### 4. Max Planck Institute of Molecular Cell Biology and Genetics

The Institute, employing 500 scientists from over 50 countries, administers pioneering basic research. Research programs of the Institute span multiple scales of magnitude, from molecular assemblies to organelles, cells, tissues, organs, and organisms.

https://www.mpi-cbg.de/home/

## 5. Institute of Fundamental Technological Research, Polish Academy of Sciences

The main task of the Institute is to conduct high quality research in the areas which are the focus of the world's science and technology. The most important fields of the Institute's expertise include theoretical and applied mechanics, theory of coupled mechanical and physical fields, theoretical and experimental mechanics of materials and structures, computational methods in mechanics, acoustoelectronics, and ultrasonic medical diagnostics.

http://www.ippt.pan.pl/en/home.html

## EU Framework Programme for Research and Innovation "Horizon 2020"

6. **Horizon 2020** is the biggest EU Research and Innovation programme ever, with nearly €80 billion of funding available over 7 years (2014 to 2020) – in addition to the private investment that this funding will attract. It promises more breakthroughs, discoveries and world-firsts by taking great ideas from the lab to the market.

http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en

# 7. Work Programme 2018-2020 according to scientific fields/sections

https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en/what-work-programme

8. **SPIRE** (Sustainable Process Industry through Resource and Energy Efficiency)

An alliance of eight sectors of the European process industry (cement, ceramics, chemicals, engineering, minerals and ore, non-ferrous metals, steel and water) launched a new initiative on Sustainable Process Industry through Resource and Energy Efficiency (SPIRE), which is now becoming a contractual public-private partnership (PPP) under the new EU framework programme Horizon 2020.

See SPIRE calls in the Work Programme 2018-2020 on p. 61:

 $\underline{http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/data/ref/h2020/wp/2018-2020/main/h2020-wp1820-leit-nmp\ en.pdf}$ 

9. **European Research Council (ERC)** The ERC's mission is to encourage the highest quality research in Europe through competitive funding and to support investigator-driven frontier research across all fields, on the basis of scientific excellence.

Latest work programme (2018) <a href="https://erc.europa.eu/sites/default/files/document/file/ERC-Work-Programme-2018.pdf">https://erc.europa.eu/sites/default/files/document/file/ERC-Work-Programme-2018.pdf</a>

# 10. Participant Portal

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/home.html

To register, you need to login in the Participant Portal (if you are a new user, create your account):

https://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/organisations/register.html

Detailed information on how to prepare and submit your proposal, register your organization, and prepare or manage your grant.

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/funding/guide.html

# 12. FAQ regarding portal

http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/support/faq.html

## 13. National Contact Points (Georgia)

http://horizon2020.ge/?page\_id=255

#### 14. EURAXESS

"EURAXESS – Researchers in Motion" is an initiative of the European Research Area (ERA) – it is the operational side of the EC strategy that addresses barriers to the mobility of researchers and seeks to enhance the career development of researchers.

https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/

## 15. CORDIS

CORDIS is the Community Research and Development Information Service.

It is the European Commission's primary public repository and portal to disseminate information on all EU-funded research projects and their results in the broadest sense.

## http://cordis.europa.eu/

16. **EaP PLUS** is a coordination and support action funded under Horizon 2020, the EU Framework Programme for Research and Innovation. It aims to stimulate cooperation between researchers from the EaP countries & EU MS.

https://www.eap-plus.eu/

### 17. Black Sea Horizon (BSH)

**BSH** aims to contribute to the EU's external relations with the Black Sea region building on the "Black Sea Synergy" initiative, the Black Sea Economic Cooperation (BSEC) and other ongoing policy dialogue fora by providing specific services and tools tailored to identifying and eliminating existing cooperation obstacles and tackling common problems in the field of international STI cooperation

https://blacksea-horizon.eu