

Small Collaborative Projects

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1. Background

- EMPIR Committee decided to run another SCP call launching in June 2021
- The unused RMG budget from the last few years was collated to provide this year's budget for the call.
- Based on last year's experience the call will be similar to SCP 2020

2. Call scope I

Small Collaborative Projects (SCP)



Overall strategic aim

of the new instrument for capacity building by EURAMET in the form of small collaborative projects with limited budgets 150 K€ and up to 18 months duration is to fund support activities targeted at emerging EURAMET NMIs/DIs.

Proposed topics should address one of the following topics:

- to support **smart-specialisation** through the coordination and sharing of resources and services across national borders,
- to build **stronger links with stakeholders** with the aim of determining needs for metrology services and cooperatively developing solutions for meeting them,
- to **transfer knowledge to non-NMI/DI** actors by building networks with stakeholders in metrology services.

→ All proposals which address the **second or third bullet point** of the topics are requested to have a **stakeholder involvement already** in place at the proposal stage.

2. Call scope II



Further description:

- Sharply targeted, one specific objective.
- Call scope is broad, nearly everything is allowed except research.
- Max. of 4 deliverables, better less but well defined.
- Envisioned to have at least 2 (ideally 3) emerging NMIs/DIs and 1 highly developed NMI/DI as partners.

2. Call scope III



- Guide 12 updated with appropriate examples:
<https://msu.euramet.org/downloads/documents/Guide12.pdf>
- SCP Model grant agreement and consortium agreement is available for download on the MSU website:
<https://msu.euramet.org/downloads/#contractual>

3. Timeline



- Call opens same day as RMGs:
- OPENING DATE: 6 July 2021
- CLOSING DATE: 7 September 2021
- Evaluation is planned beginning of October
- Decision on selection of funded projects will be taken at the EMPIR Committee in late November.
- Project starts are envisaged for late spring / summer 2022.

Questions?

