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5th Call for Proposals

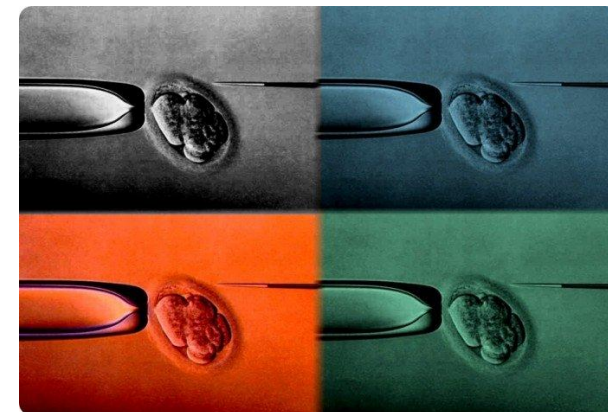


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EUROpean network of TRANS-national RTD for SME's in the field of **BIOTEchnology**



EUROTRANS-BIO Initiative

EUROTRANS-BIO (ETB), established as an ERA-NET project supported by the European Commission, is an initiative between governmental R&D&I funding bodies in **Austria, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, The Netherlands, Basque Country, Catalonia and Madrid (Spain), Flanders and Wallonia (Belgium).**

EUROTRANS-BIO's goal is to establish cross-border partnerships between SMEs and their strategic partners, improve and accelerate technology transfer, strengthen European efforts to achieve sustainable industrial development in the field of biotechnology.

EUROTRANS-BIO launches common calls for industry-driven trans-national R&D&I projects to create an integrated funding programme for biotech SMEs. Since 2004 four joint calls have been implemented and 80 projects with overall project costs of 139 Mio € have been funded. From 2009 to 2012 ETB will launch annual calls and establish a sustainable joint program for funding biotech R&D&I projects of European SMEs.



EUROTRANS-BIO 5th Call Key-data

The **5th joint call** for trans-national projects of the EUROTRANS-BIO initiative will open on the **1st of October 2009**

The deadline for submitting proposals is the **1st of February 2010**

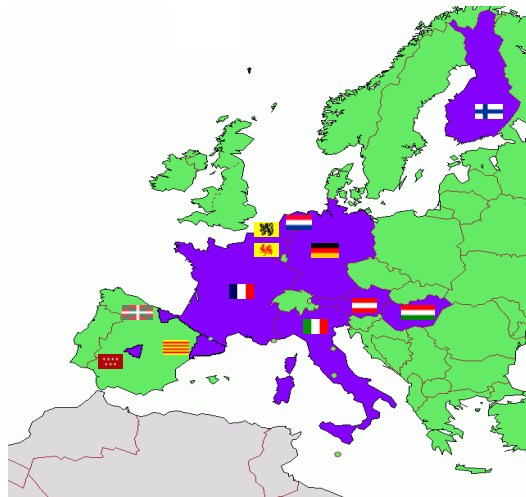
Funding will be offered to **innovative** industrial R&D&I and applied research projects **in all fields of biotechnology:** red, green, white, blue, etc

Projects in the fields of **Medical devices, Medical technology or Health & Nutrition** may also be funded depending on national/regional funding criteria

Consortia consisting of **at least two SMEs** from **two different participating countries** can apply for ETB funding

The overall budget of the call is about **30 million euros**

Each applicant should contact his/her **national funding agency** before submitting



EUROTRANS-BIO 5th Call Application Procedure

Call opening	<u>1st October 2009</u>
Project Building Applicants should contact National Agency	<u>October 2009 to February 2010</u>
Electronic Submission of Proposal to ETB Office	<u>Deadline: 1st February 2010</u>
Eligibility Check	<u>March 2010</u>
International Technical and Economic Evaluation	<u>April to May 2010</u>
ETB Recommendation for Funding	<u>June 2010</u>
National Funding Decision	<u>From July 2010</u>
Project Start	<u>From August/September 2010</u>

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