

### **Information session**

### **INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND BUSINESS MODELS**

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# INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND BUSINESS MODELS

Call CREA-MEDIA-2024-INNOVBUSMOD



# **OBJECTIVES OF THE CALL**

ENCOURAGE THE DEVELOPMENT AND SPREAD OF INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND BUSINESS MODELS

IN ORDER TO IMPROVE THE

### VISIBILITY, AVAILABILITY, AUDIENCE AND DIVERSITY

OF EUROPEAN WORKS IN THE DIGITAL AGE

AND/OR THE OVERALL COMPETITIVENESS and/or GREENING OF THE EUROPEAN A/V INDUSTRY



# **ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES**

SUBTITLING OR ACCESSIBILITY, DISCOVERABILITY AND RECOMMENDATION TOOLS TO IMPROVE THE VISIBILITY, AVAILABILITY, CIRCULATION AND/OR POTENTIAL AUDIENCE OF EUROPEAN A/V WORKS

**BUSINESS** TOOLS **IMPROVING THE EFFICIENCY AND TRANSPARENCY OF THE A/V MARKETS** (AUTOMATED RIGHTS MANAGEMENT SYSTEM, TECHNOLOGY FOR DATA GATHERING AND ANALYSIS, ETC.)

#### **BUSINESS MODELS SEEKING TO OPTIMISE THE**

SYNERGIES AND COMPLEMENTARITIES BETWEEN DISTRIBUTION PLATFORMS

BUSINESS TOOLS EXPLORING

**NEW MODES OF PRODUCTION, FINANCING, DISTRIBUTION OR PROMOTION** ENABLED OR ENHANCED BY NEW TECHNOLOGY (AI, BIG DATA, BLOCKCHAIN, METAVERSE/VIRTUAL WORLDS, NFT, ETC.)

> INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND BUSINESS MODELS IMPROVING THE GREENING PROCESS OF THE A/V INDUSTRY



### **AWARD CRITERIA**

#### RELEVANCE OF ACTIVITIES (45 PTS)



RELEVANCE OF THE PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT AND/OR SPREAD OF INNOVATIVE TOOLS AND BUSINESS MODELS TO ADDRESS THE NEW NEEDS OF THE A/V MARKET



THE EUROPEAN DIMENSION/POTENTIAL OF THE PROJECT ADEQUACY OF THE STRATEGIES PRESENTED TO ENSURE A MORE SUSTAINABLE AND MORE ENVIRONMENTALLY-RESPECTFUL INDUSTRY

ADEQUACY OF THE STRATEGIES TO ENSURE GENDER BALANCE, INCLUSION, DIVERSITY AND REPRESENTATIVENESS, EITHER IN THE PROJECT/CONTENT OR IN THE WAY OF MANAGING THE ACTIVITY 5

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### **AWARD CRITERIA**

#### QUALITY OF THE ACTIVITIES (30 PTS)

THE ADEQUACY OF THE METHODOLOGICAL AND STRATEGIC CHOICES TO THE OBJECTIVES OF

THE PROJECT, INCLUDING MARKET ANALYSIS, NATURE AND TIMING OF THE ACTIVITIES TO BE IMPLEMENTED, TARGET GROUP, SELECTION METHODS, TARGET SEGMENTS AND TERRITORIES, SYNERGY AND COLLABORATION WITH DIFFERENT SEGMENTS OF THE VALUE CHAIN, STRATEGIES TO BE IMPLEMENTED AND

TOOLS DEPLOYED

THE COHERENCE OF THE BUSINESS MODEL (INCLUDING STRUCTURE OF CO-FINANCING), AND FEASIBILITY AND COST-EFFICIENCY OF THE PROJECT



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### **AWARD CRITERIA**

#### DISSEMINATION (15 PTS)

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THE METHODOLOGY PROPOSED FOR **COLLECTING, ANALYSING AND DISSEMINATING DATA IN ORDER TO** SHARE RESULTS, GUARANTEE THE TRANSPARENCY OF THE PROJECT AND PROPOSE KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE

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THE IMPACT OF THE PROJECT ON THE **VISIBILITY AND/OR AVAILABILITY,** AUDIENCE OF EUROPEAN WORKS IN THE DIGITAL AGE AND/OR THE **COMPETITIVENESS OF THE EUROPEAN A/V INDUSTRY** 

#### **PROJECT MANAGEMENT** (10 PTS)

THE COHERENCE, ADDED-VALUE AND **COMPLEMENTARITY OF THE PROJECT TEAM AND/OR PARTNERSHIP**, INCLUDING TASKS DIVISION, DECISION-MAKING PROCESS AND EXCHANGE OF **KNOWLEDGE VIS-À-VIS** THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT





# **QUALITY THRESHOLD**

70%

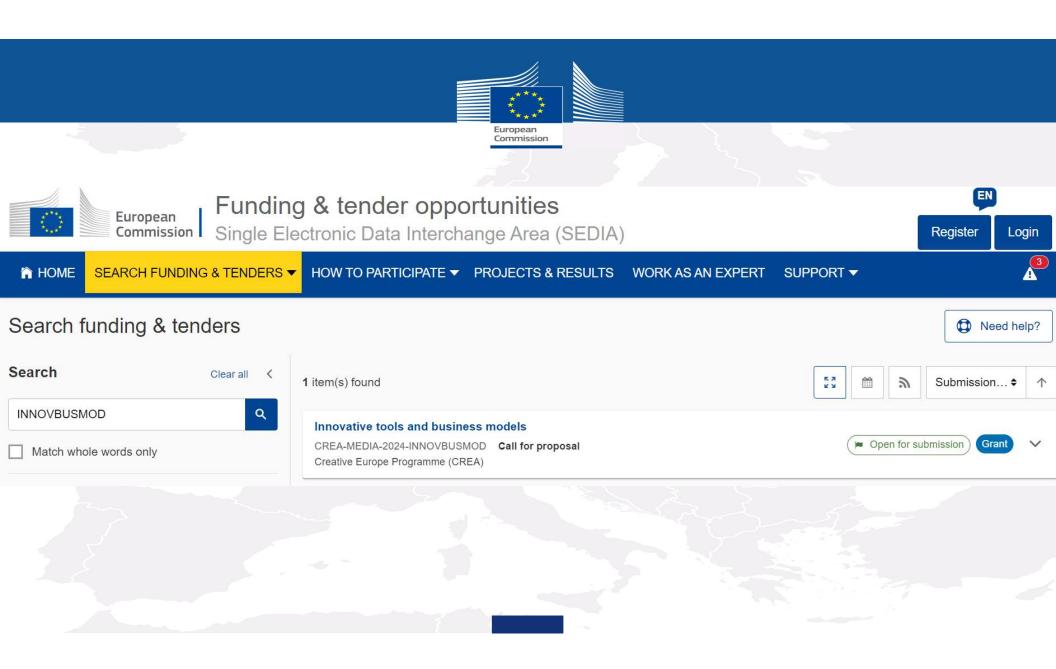




# **BUDGET AND TIMELINE**



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# **TECHNICALITIES**

MAIN ELEMENTS TO UNDERSTAND THE **E-FORM**:

 $\rightarrow \text{PART A}$   $\rightarrow \text{PART B}$   $\rightarrow \text{PART C}$ 



# **E-FORM IN SUBMISSION SYSTEM**

Topic and type of action can only be changed by creating a new proposal.	Administrative forms (Part A)		
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# PART A – EDIT FORMS

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# PART A

#### SIMPLIFIED BUDGET DETAILED BREAKDOWN PER WORK-PACKAGE IN PART B

#### Application forms

Proposal ID SEP-210833587

Acronym LAST360

3 - Budget

Name of beneficiary	Country	Role	Personnel costs - without volunteers/ EUR	Personnel costs - volunteers/ EUR	Subcontracting costs/ EUR	Purchase costs - Travel and subastence/ EUR	Purchase costs- Equipment/ EUR		Financial support to third parties/ EUR	Indirect costs/ EUR	Total eligible costs/ EUR	ineligible costs/ EUR	blal estimated roject costs and contributions/ EUR	Funding rate	Maximum EU contribution to eligible costs/ EUR	Requested EU contribution to eligible costs/ EUR	Max grant amount/ EUR	Income generated by the project/ EUR	in kind contributions/ EUR	Financial contributions/ EUR	Own resources/ EUR	Topi estimated project income EUR
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### PART A

### **BUDGET MUST BE BALANCED (COST/INCOME)**

### **PERSONNEL COST-VOLUNTEERS ARE NOT APPLICABLE**

### □ FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THIRD PARTIES ARE NOT APPLICABLE



# PART B

#### 1. RELEVANCE

1.1 Background and general objectives

#### Background and general objectives

For 'European Co-development', 'European Slate development', 'European Mini-Slate development' and 'TV and Online content':

- Provide a presentation of the applicant company (and partners for the European Co-Development and TV and Online actions) its management, its activities, its present position in the national and European markets and its editorial line in terms of development and production.

- For European Slate and Mini-Slate development, also describe the company's development plans and its present and forecast financial status (this must include the company's total turnover and total development expenditure in the last two financial years in €).

For 'Fostering European media talents and skills', 'Markets & networking', 'Innovative tools and Business models', 'Networks of European cinemas', 'European VOD networks and operators', 'European festivals', 'Subtitling of cultural content', 'Audience Development and Film Education', 'Creative Innovation Lab' and 'Journalism Partnership': Define the objectives of your proposal and explain their relevance to this call for proposals.

For 'Films on the Move': Describe the experience of the sales agent on pan-European projects, the number of distributors involved and the experience of distributors and their involvement in the project.

Insert text

- WORD DOCUMENT (TO UPLOAD IN PDF)
- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT FOR EVALUATION
- CHECK THE CORRECT QUESTIONS BASED ON THE ACTION/CALL (SEE SLIDES 18-21 OF THIS PRESENTATION THE LIST OF THE QUESTION RELATED TO THIS CALL)



#### **1. RELEVANCE**

1.1 Define the objectives of your proposal and explain their relevance to this call for proposals (Sub Award Criterion: 1.1).

1.2 Describe how your activity meets the needs of the industry/sectors (Sub Award criterion: 1.1).

1.3 Explain the European dimension of your project (including, if applicable: origin of content or audiovisual works; crossborder and crosslanguage dimension; potential for European expansion; nature of the partnership; scope and size of partners) (Sub Award criterion: 1.2).

1.4 Describe the strategies to ensure a more sustainable and environmentally-respectful industry (Sub Award criterion: 1.3).

1.5 Describe the strategies to ensure gender balance, inclusion, diversity and representativeness, either in the project/content or in the way of managing the activities (Sub Award criterion: 1.4).



#### 2. QUALITY

2.1 Provide a comprehensive market analysis justifying your main methodological and strategic choices (development, marketing, pricing, etc). The market analysis must clearly describe the target markets (size and structure, demographics, localization, trends and growth perspectives) and the situation of the competition (direct/indirect competitors, differentiation, barriers to entry, regulation, etc). The methodology (including a list of activities to be implemented) and strategic choices must also be clearly described (Sub Award criterion: 2.1).

2.2 Explain your business model and your medium-term financial strategies. An estimation of the expected revenues in the next years must be provided (Sub Award criterion: 2.2).

2.4 Demonstrate the cost effectiveness of your action and explain how the estimated budget is conceived in the most economical way. Please also explain your co-financing strategy (if applicable) (Sub Award criterion: 2.2).

2.5 Describe critical risks, uncertainties or difficulties related to the implementation of your project, and your measures/strategy for addressing them. Indicate for each risk (in the description) the impact and the likelihood that the risk will materialize (high, medium, low), even after taking into account the mitigating measures (Sub Award criterion: 2.2).



#### **3. PROJECT MANAGEMENT**

3.1 Explain the coherence, added value and complementarity of the project teams and/or the consortium regarding the work coordination, task division, decision making processes, exchange of knowledge vis-à-vis the objectives of the project (Sub Award criterion 3).

3.2 Describe the project teams and how they will work together to implement the project. List the main staff included in the project by function/profile and describe briefly their tasks (Sub Award criterion 3).

#### **4. DISSEMINATION**

4.2 Describe the methodology proposed for collecting, analysing and disseminating data in order to share the results, guarantee the transparency of your project and propose an exchange of knowledge (Sub Award criterion 4).

4.3 Explain the impact of your project on the visibility, availability, audience of European works in the digital age and/or competitiveness and greening of the European audiovisual industry (Sub Award criterion 4).



#### 5. WORKPLAN, WORK PACKAGES, ACTIVITIES, RESOURCES AND TIMING

- 5.1 Work Plan (Sub Award criteria 2.1 and 2.2)
- 5.2 Work packages, activities, resources and timing (Sub Award criteria 2.1, 2.2 and 3)

#### 7. DECLARATIONS



### **PART B: WORK PACKAGES**

#### PROJECT ACTIVITIES MAY BE ORGANISED IN THE FOLLOWING WORK PACKAGES:

- WP 1 PROJECT MANAGEMENT (MANDATORY)
- WP 2 ACTIVITIES OF THE FIRST YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION
- WP 3 ACTIVITIES OF THE SECOND YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION
- WP 4 ACTIVITIES OF THE THIRD YEAR OF IMPLEMENTATION

ADDITIONAL WORK PACKAGES MAY BE ADDED (WE **RECOMMEND** NOT TO EXCEED 4 WORK PACKAGES IN TOTAL)



## **WORK PACKAGES CHECKLIST**

- □ EACH WORK PACKAGE MUST HAVE A SPECIFIC ESTIMATED BUDGET
- □ EACH WORK PACKAGE MUST CONTAIN AT LEAST ONE DELIVERABLE
- CHECK THE CALCULATIONS: WP BUDGET 1 + WP BUDGET 2 + (ETC) = GLOBAL TOTAL ESTIMATED BUDGET IN PART A !!!!



### **MILESTONES & DELIVERABLES:**





NOT APPLICABLE. DO NOT FILL IN (NO BLOCKING WARNING)



MUST INDICATE A DUE DATE WITHIN THE DURATION OF THE RELATED WORK PACKAGE

FINAL REPORT IS NOT A DELIVERABLE

□ AUDIT REPORT IS **NOT** A DELIVERABLE



### DELIVERABLES

	Deliverable No (continuous numbering linked to WP)	Deliverable Name	Work Package No	Lead Beneficiary	Туре	Dissemination Level	Due Date (month number)
0	D1.1		1		[R — Document, report] [DEM — Demonstrator, pilot, prototype] [DEC — Websites, patent filings, videos, etc] [DATA — data sets, microdata, etc] [DMP — Data Management Plan] [ETHICS] [SECURITY]	[PU — Public] [SEN — Sensitive] [R-UE/EU-R — EU Classified] [C-UE/EU-C — EU Classified] [S-UE/EU-S — EU Classified]	

- DISSEMINATION LEVEL: ONLY PU (PUBLIC) OR SEN (SENSITIVE)
- DUE DATE: MUST CORRESPOND TO THE MONTH NUMBER IN THE PROJECT NOT TO THE CALENDER MONTH

□ AVOID SUBMITTING ALL YOUR DELIVERABLES THE VERY LAST MONTH OF THE PROJECT



### **Final recommendations**

### **RECOMMENDATION 1:**

BEFORE STARTING WORK ON YOUR APPLICATION, PLEASE CONTACT YOUR DOMESTIC **CREATIVE EUROPE DESK** TO CHECK ITS RELEVANCE TO THE OBJECTIVES OF THE CALL: <u>Creative Europe Desks | Culture and Creativity (europa.eu)</u>

### **RECOMMENDATION 2:**

TO FIND OUT HOW TO REGISTER AND VALIDATE YOUR COMPANY ONLINE, PLEASE WATCH THIS VIDEO: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VuNI478WEtU</u>



### **THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!**

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