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OYSTER 2nd Call for Proposals for

Marine ECR Cooperation Project

Application Form (September 2023 call)

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| Following the guidance and criteria outlined in the 2nd OYSTER Call for Proposals Marine ECR Cooperation Project Call Text, please complete the full application form below.The application form has the following sections and page limits:PART A: Administrative details and project summary (No page limits)PART B: Technical proposal (Maximum 6 pages)PART C: CVs of the Applicants (Maximum 1 page per Applicant)For each section, type your responses within the boxes provided. Applications that exceed the stated page limit will not be considered. Font size for responses should be 11pt. Please respond to each section. Incomplete applications will be excluded.Within each section, the information *in italics* indicates what should be included. This text can be deleted in the submitted application. Please submit your completed application by email to fellowships@euromarinenetwork.eu and secretariat@euromarinenetwork.eu before **15/11/2023 at 23.59 CET**. Applications submitted after the deadline will not be accepted. |

**PART A: Proposal Summary and Applicant Details**

**Proposal Summary**

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| **Proposal Title** |  |
| **Acronym** |  |
| **Key Words** |  |

**Main scientific disciplines**

*Please check the broad categories that best correspond to your proposal (no more than 3 - 4 under each column).*

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| *Broad categories of scientific disciplines / fields* | *Other categories (tools, transverse expertise, possible domains of EuroMarine services or activities....)* |
| [ ] Physics and climate of the Ocean[ ] Changing Ocean[ ] Marine Biogeochemistry[ ] Marine Biology[ ] Marine Biodiversity[ ] Marine Ecology[ ] Marine Ecosystems functioning[ ] Marine Bio-resources[ ] Marine Biotechnology[ ] Fisheries and Aquaculture[ ] Coastal Systems and marine spatial planning[ ] Economics, Law, Sociology[ ] Ecosystem Services[ ] Social Sciences | [ ] Science[ ] Training / Capacity Building[ ] Mobility[ ] Communication[ ] Knowledge Transfer[ ] Networking[ ] Scientific Project Management[ ] Data[ ] Infrastructures[ ] Expertise (provision of)[ ] Marine policies / Science-governance interface[ ] Modelling[ ] High-throughput approaches[ ] Interdisciplinarity |

**Short Summary** *(Maximum length: 1/2 page)*

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**Applicant Details**

**Lead Applicant Details**

*Even if all the co-applicants will have the same responsibilities, one of the ECRs should take the lead for communication with the funding organisation. Ideally, the ECR leading the application should be the one affiliated to the Full Member of EuroMarine that will manage the funds (in case that option is selected).*

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| **Name of Lead Applicant:** |  |
| **Email address of Lead Applicant:** |  |
| **Phone number:** |  |
| **Organisation affiliation of Lead Applicant:**  |  |

**Co-Proposers Details**

*Proposals need to involve ECRs from at least three different EuroMarine Full Member organisations in at least two different countries. A list of 2023 EuroMarine Members is available at* <https://euromarinenetwork.eu/members-directory/?page=1>*. Please add as many co-proposer as needed.*

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| **Name of Co-proposer 1:** |  |
| **Email address of Co-proposer 1:** |  |
| **Phone number:** |  |
| **Organisation affiliation of Co-proposer 1:**  |  |

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| **Name of Co-proposer 2:** |  |
| **Email address of Co-proposer 2:** |  |
| **Phone number:** |  |
| **Organisation affiliation of Co-proposer 2:**  |  |

**Organisation Managing the Budget**

*Please choose one of the options below.*

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| **EuroMarine Association** |[ ]
| **Other** |[ ]
| *If you choose other, please indicate the name of the organisation that will manage the funds* |  |

**Part B: OYSTER Call for Proposals Marine ECR Cooperation Project – Technical Proposal**

**1. Excellence** *(Maximum length: 2 pages)*

**1.1 Objectives**

*Please describe the objectives of your proposed project. This section should include the Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) that you will use to measure the impact and achievement of the project.*

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**1.2 Project Description, Methodology and Expected Outcomes**

*Please provide a full description of your project. Indicate how and why the proposed topics are innovative and/or relevant to the call and provide a brief description of the expected outcomes.*

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***Summary of Expected Outcomes***

*Please indicate the type of outcome (e.g., synthesis paper, peer-publication (please indicate the target journal), position paper recommendations for the EuroMarine Community), date of achievement and brief description in the table below. Please expand the table as needed.*

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| ***Outcome*** | ***Type of outcome*** | ***Expected date of achievement*** | ***Brief description*** |
| **O1** |  |  |  |
| **O2** |  |  |  |
| **O3** |  |  |  |

**2. Impact** *(Maximum length: 2 pages)*

**2.1 Added Value to the involved ECRs and the OYSTER Group**

*Please describe how the project will have an impact on the ECRs involved. Also indicate how it will contribute to the OYSTER objectives and priorities.*

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**2.2 Wider Impact**

*Please indicate how the project addresses EuroMarine priorities and favours the integration of the EuroMarine community and how it can contribute to the UN Decade of Ocean Science (*[*www.oceandecade.org*](http://www.oceandecade.org)*) plans and the* [*EU Mission Restore our Oceans and Waters*](https://research-and-innovation.ec.europa.eu/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open-calls/horizon-europe/eu-missions-horizon-europe/restore-our-ocean-and-waters_en)*.*

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**2.3 Measures to Maximise the Impact**

*Please indicate the communication and dissemination activities that you will carry out to promote the project and its results.*

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**3. Implementation** *(Maximum length: 2 pages)*

**3.1 Implementation Plan**

*Please give a complete overview of how you will implement your project, including:*

* *Brief presentation of the overall structure of the work plan*
* *Timing of the different activities and their components (Gantt chart or similar)*
* *Detailed description of each task and expected outcomes*

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**3.2 Risks and Mitigation Measures**

*Please complete the table below with a list of critical risks, relating to project implementation and potential mitigation measures.*

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| **Description of risk**  | **Level of (i) likelihood, and (ii) severity: Low/Medium/High)** | **Proposed risk-mitigation measures** |
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**3.3 Allocation of Resources**

*Please provide an estimation of the costs of the project. Please refer to the Call Text for details about eligible costs. Please include in the table below any in-kind contribution.*

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| **Cost Category** | **Amount**  | **Requested to OYSTER** | **In-kind contribution (if any)** |
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**Part C: Applicants Career Summary**

*Please provide an outline summary of the academic career highlighting the applicant’s research topic and professional achievements (max. 1 page/applicant). The CV will not be evaluated, it will be used to understand the link between the applicant’s background and the proposed project.*

**Applicant 1**

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| Name Surname |  |
| Institution |  |
| Position  |  |
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**Career Summary**

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**Applicant 2**

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| Name Surname |  |
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**Applicant 3**

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| Name Surname |  |
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**Career Summary**

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