

FundingBox Group

The Largest & Trusted EU Deep Tech Funding Ecosystems

Event

6G-IA Brokerage
Event for the Work
Programme 2026

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About us

- Non-profit SME headquartered in Poland, Spain and Denmark.
- Team of ~ 95 professionals, experts in funding distribution (cascade funding), marketing, ecosystem building, technology transfer and acceleration
- EC Trusted player: +10 years of experience, participation of +80 projects (~50 including FSTP), 10 of them as coordinators
- Partner of Target X project, in charge of open calls and related C&D and ecosystem building activities.



JU SNS WP2026 topics

HORIZON-JU-SNS-2026-STREAM-C-01

SNS Experimental Infrastructure

Partner for FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THIRD PARTIES (FSTP)

Complete management of FSTP:

- from definition, design and launch of the Open Call
- FSTP (contracts, payments, all legal elements)
- Support programme to the third-party projects

Partner for ECOSYSTEM ENGEGEMENT

Supporting outreach via ecosystem building and consolidation

FundingBox experience

Cascade Funding in numbers

1 **Open Call**

56

EU Projects with FSTP

200

Open Calls launched

45

Upcoming Open Calls

2 **Applications**

12.228

submitted applications

90

Countries

3 **Selection**

2.460

beneficiaries

44

countries

230M€

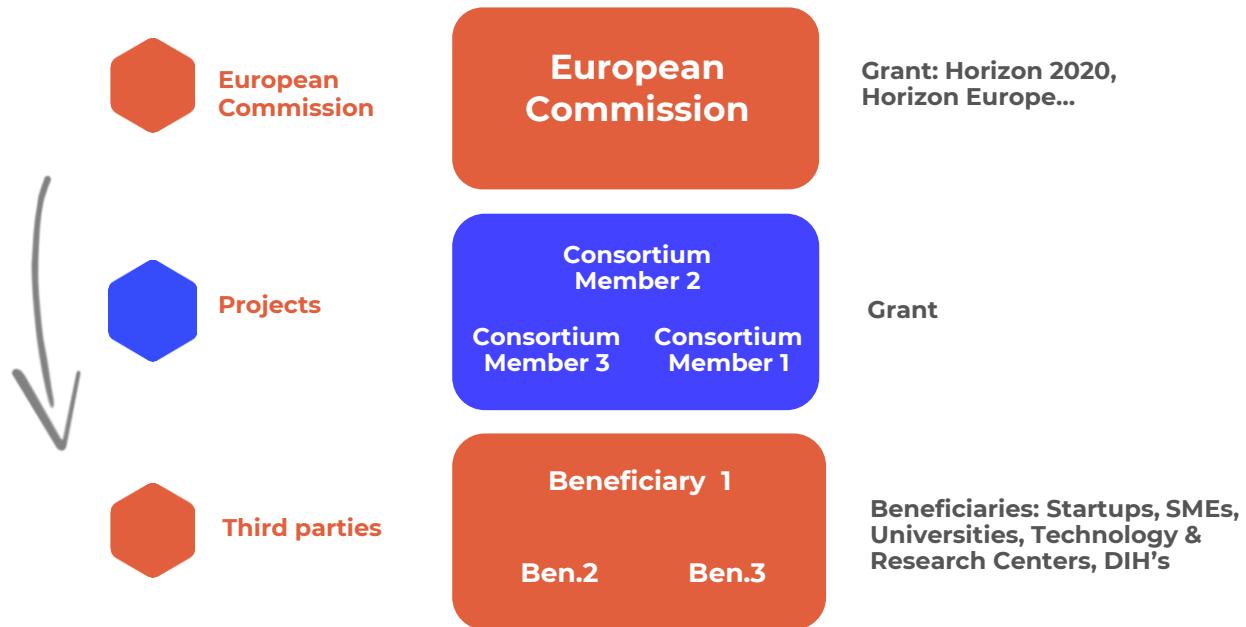
Cascade Funding
managed by
FundingBox

How does **Cascade Funding** works?

Cascade financing is a **transparent and trusted mechanism for distributing financial resources** to third parties (also referred to as FSTP)

These Third Parties are the **beneficiaries** **start-ups, scale-ups, SME and/or mid-caps**, in the uptake or development of digital innovation.

They are carried out through a system of **Open Calls** -> funding opportunities for proposals, and are managed by the **consortium**, which acts as an intermediary between the beneficiaries and the organization manager - the European Commission



JU SNS WP2026 Other topics

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Communication, Dissemination and Exploitation partner

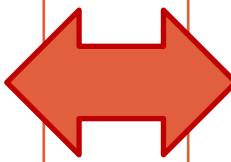
Supporting outreach combining Ecosystem building activities and Tech transfer expertise consolidation

Ensuring market uptake for EU innovations,

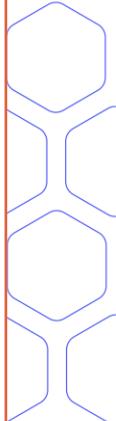
Valiation – to – Adoption pipeline for sustainability

TECH – ECOSYSTEM championing

- **Unrivalled reach to EU SMEs, startups and innovation stakeholders**
- **Targeted Social media campaigns**
- Strong network of **Supportive Partners**
- Build **synergies with EU innovation ecosystems**
- Continuous dissem & engagement actions with **EU companies**
- **High-impact communication assets**



- Translate of validation data to **product-market fit** reports, exploitation and business models
- **Business model validation** (structured methodologies and tools, early adopters programme)
- Close monitoring and **hands-on support**, from tech to commercial value
- **Guidelines and recommendations** for market adoption



6G Impact Network: building collaboration with 6G existing ecosystem

Steps



Identify European Initiatives, projects, real business examples (FSTP, EoI beneficiaries) e.g. the IPCEI-CIS, the Cluster 4 activities and National projects



Outreach and gather ecosystem representatives, standardisation bodies and intermediary organisations to show how the project can support SMEs



Define collaboration mechanisms to identify real business pain points, validate value proposition, feedback loops, workshops, knowledge exchange...



Leveraging on SMEs expertise, showcase pilots results and success stories in World Class events, report on best practices, contribution to lessons learned

Go-to-market support by Fundingbox Exploitation team



Techfinders: EU technology innovation in one site

Techfinders.io: online platform that offers you meaningful connections, providing a place for **research centers to engage with technology interested SMEs**

Curated catalogue specifically tailored to industry needs, to **develop real uses cases** to promote technology



HOW IT WORKS?

Technologies uploaded in catalogue filtered by technology, industry, developer or project.
Easy application in one click

Example: 5G project in Techfinders (Zero-Swarm)

HOW PRIVATE 5G CONNECTIVITY SUPPORTS YOUR INDUSTRIAL NEEDS
ZERO-SWARM
How private 5G connectivity supports your industrial needs
KNOWLEDGE, Zero-SWARM

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All 5G Project Publisher

SEARCH RESET

5G-Powered Remote ZDM
Safe and autonomous transport of goods in the factory shop floors using 5G
Cloud-Controlled Mobile Robotic Arm

Meaningful content about the technology (5G)

5G technologies in Techfinders catalogue

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Engineering, Technical University of Denmark.

FRAUNHOFER IGD

Fraunhofer IGD, with locations in Darmstadt, Rostock, and Kiel, stands out as a provider of exceptional software solutions in the field of visual computing, a computer science domain focused on images and 3D models.

ITI

ITI has developed R&D applied to the needs and problems of companies, looking for technological solutions that respond to social and economic challenges, improve industrial competitiveness, promoting a more

VIDEO SYSTEMS

Video Systems, an Italian company, specializes in leveraging artificial vision and intelligence for quality and process control in manufacturing.

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