

Current EU funding opportunities

Borough briefing

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This document is an overview of EU related opportunities available as of April 2019. It includes a brief description of the calls, and more detail can be found for each in specific document. Two funding programmes currently have relevant open calls, Interreg North West Europe and LIFE. Several other types of EU related opportunities are also open such as replication programmes, call for speakers at European conferences or learning programmes.



You will also find a calendar at the end of the document. For more details on how to apply and the terms of reference, please contact us.

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Open opportunities as of April 2019

	PROGRAMME	DEADLINE	THEME	OVERVIEW	FUNDING or FUNDING RATE
CALL FOR PROJECTS	Interreg North West Europe Ninth call Innovation	14 June 2019	Clean energy	The aim of that call is to develop innovative products, processes and technologies contributing to CO2 reduction and the green economy, including green transport, in line with the big societal challenges addressed by the Paris Agreement. <i>See 2019 04 03 Report – Interreg NWE and the website</i>	60%
	LIFE Environment – Environment and Resource efficiency	17 June 2019	Noise, Air quality, Clean energy	The programme provides action grants for pilot and demonstration projects to develop, test and demonstrate policies. Relevant topics for this call are relating to noise, air quality, sustainable road transport as well as urban public transport. <i>See 2019 04 Briefing – LIFE and the website</i> <i>Please not that a webinar organised by Defra will be taking place on 8 May 2019.</i>	55%
	LIFE Environment - Governance and Information	19 June 2019	Awareness raising	The programme co-finance action grants for information, awareness and dissemination projects that aim to promote awareness raising on environmental matters. It also supports actions that aim at improving the quality of public administration for planning, analysing or reviewing activities to reduce administrative burden (ex. Review of a regional air quality plan). <i>See 2019 04 Briefing – LIFE and the website</i> <i>Please not that a webinar organised by Defra will be taking place on 8 May 2019.</i>	55%

REPLICATION PROGRAMME	AVENUE Replication programme	1 October 2019	Automated and electric vehicles	<p>AVENUE is a Horizon 2020 programme that designs and carries out full scale demonstrations of urban autonomous mini-buses. It currently operates in four cities: Geneva, Copenhagen, Lyon and Luxembourg. It is looking to expand to at least three more sites starting in May 2020, that would apply and evaluate the current platform and services.</p> <p>The consortium is looking for participants that have experience with running similar pilots or the legal authorisation to start running one by May 2020. The shuttles are to be integrated with the existing public transport offer, and application with a manufacturer other than theirs, Navya, are encouraged.</p> <p>See the project's website</p>	100,000 EUR
	TmaaS Replication programme	30 June 2019	Digital transition	<p>TmaaS is a Horizon 2020 programme based in Ghent and aimed at improving traffic management through the creation of a traffic management dashboard based upon local data. It is looking for cities to take up the current dashboard and apply it in their context, whilst also adding new datasets to improve efficiency.</p> <p>See the projects' website</p>	10,000 EUR
LEARNING PROGRAMME	Interreg Europe peer review programme	28 June 2019	Policy evaluation	<p>As part of its Policy Learning Platform, the Interreg Europe programme has developed a peer review programme, which allows local public bodies to receive feedback and advice from other European authorities. These outside stakeholders are invited for a two-days on-site visit for an exchange, based upon which they provide recommendations.</p> <p>In terms of topics, the four programme priorities are covered, with low-carbon economy (electric mobility, active travel, sustainable urban mobility plans) and environment and resource efficiency (green procurement) being of interest.</p> <p>See 2019 04 Interreg Europe Peer Review Programme</p>	The programme covers the travel and subsistence costs for up to six peers

WORKSHOP/CONFERENCE	CIVITAS annual conference abstract open call	31 May 2019	Any	<p>The CIVITAS Annual Conference will be taking place in Graz (Austria) from 2 to 4 October 2019. The programme is looking for speakers may present local initiatives on a range of urban mobility topics (SUMP, cycling, walking, freight, e-mobility, parking, safety, urban access regulations, automation, digitalisation...).</p> <p><i>See 2019 04 Civitas Forum call for abstracts</i></p>	LEPT may provide funding
	Polis annual conference abstract open call	19 May 2019	Any	<p>The 2019 Polis Conference will be taking place in Brussels on 27 and 28 November 2019. The five main themes are: environment & health in transport, traffic efficiency & mobility, road safety & security, access and governance & integration. Presentations on all these topics are welcome, and participants should submit an abstract highlighting innovative dimensions of the programme or policy, results and lessons learned.</p> <p><i>See 2019 04 Polis Annual conference call for abstracts</i></p>	LEPT may provide funding
	European Road Safety Summer School	14 July 2019	Road safety	<p>Co-organised by Polis, Road Safety GB, the European Road Safety Council and other partners, this week-long summer school is an opportunity to learn about integrated approaches to road safety. It will take place in Mechelen (Belgium) from 26 to 30 August 2019.</p> <p><i>See the event's website for more details.</i></p>	
	Polis working group on urban freight and BuyZET final event	1 May 2019	Freight	<p>Meeting on 15 May in Brussels, the Polis WG will be focusing on the exchange of good practices and public-private joint actions for CO2-free city logistics in major urban centres by 2030. Topics of discussion will include air quality, safety, clean fleet promotion, space management and data. The day before, the EU project BuyZET, that focused on smart procurement to reduce the footprint of goods and vehicles will be held.</p>	
	Polis working group on Traffic Efficiency	3 May 2019	Traffic efficiency	<p>The Traffic Efficiency WG will be meeting in Gothenburg, Sweden on 27 May 2019. The main themes to be addressed at this meeting are likely to be (i) EC policy related to data access and reuse; (ii) multimodal network management and (iii) the C-ITS delegated act.</p>	

Calendar view of opportunities as of April 2019

