

OFFER launches its European User Facility Network catalogue & the first call for proposals

Dear SNETP members,

EURATOM-funded OFFERR project is pleased to announce its first call for proposals opening on Monday, 3 April 2023. Part of this announcement is the publication of the European User Facility Network (EUFN) catalogue, which presents all participating nuclear research facilities.

The objective is to facilitate access to key nuclear infrastructures for R&D experts and channel the financial support provided under the Euratom programme. The call is open to project proposals within all disciplines and topics of research, development and innovation that are in line with the strategic research and innovation Agenda (SRIA) of SNETP. Project proposals supported by other European associations and organizations acting within EURATOM framework will also be considered.

In this call, two types of applications are possible:

"fast-track project" to perform studies of limited scope within less than 6 months of access to the infrastructure, financial support of up to 50K EUR.

"complex project" to perform studies with extended scope within less than 18 months of access to the infrastructure, financial support of up to 1M EUR.

In order to provide a full overview of our European User Facility Network, we recommend you to take a close look at our comprehensive catalogue of facilities before preparing your application.

The submission of proposals starts on 3 April 2023 with the first cut off date for Fast track project being 16 May 2023. More information about the call and the application process can be found on SNETP's website.

OFFERR will hold its first webinar on the morning of 21 April 2023, to explain the call and to present the EUFN as well as some of the facilities. Stay tuned, more information will be available on SNETP's website and on SNETP's Linkedin account.

We look forward to receiving your applications and hope that this first call for proposals will foster international collaboration in nuclear research and lead to many innovative R&D projects among SNETP members.

Best regards,

The SNETP secretary



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