

The widerAdvance Facility and its services

Katarzyna Walczyk-Matuszyk

Institute of the Fundamental Technological Research PAS

This project has received funding from the European Union's Horizon Europe Programme under grant agreement No 101159516
— widerAdvanceFacility — HORIZON-WIDERA-2023-ACCESS-05.



Funded by
the European Union

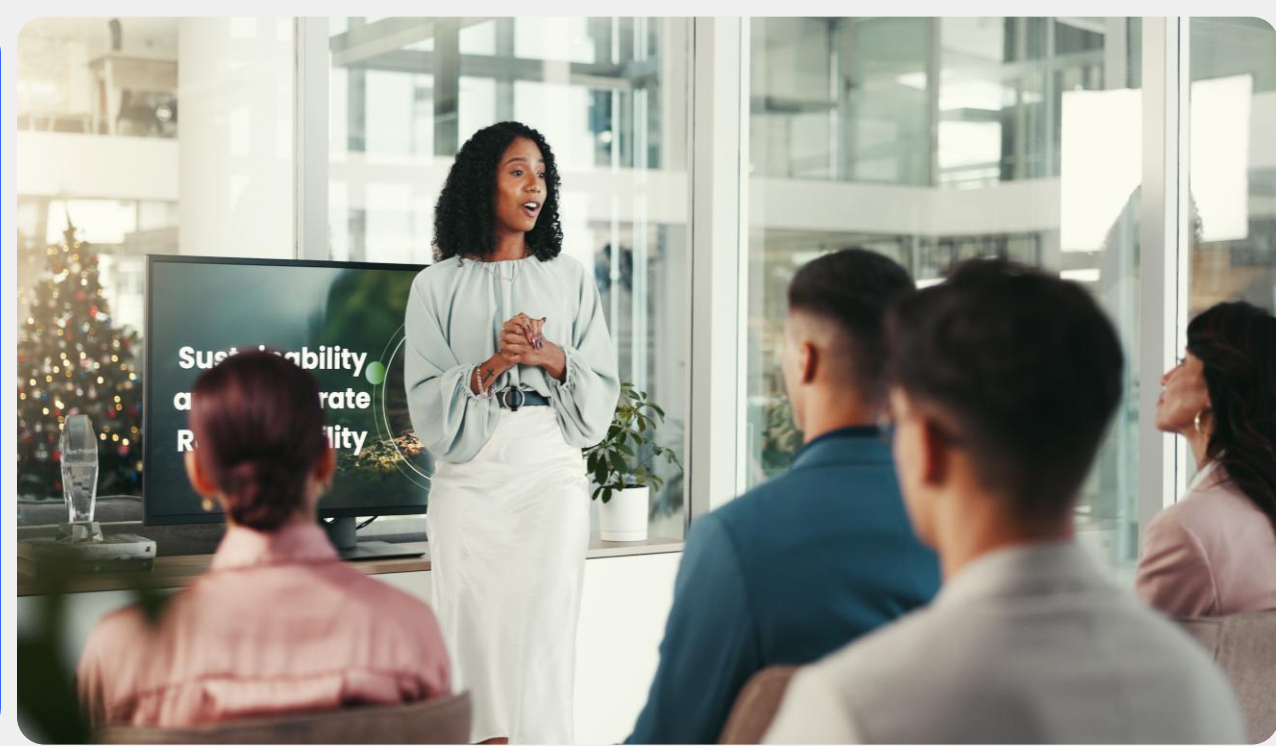
RESEARCH

INNOVATION

COLLABORATION

widerAdvance Facility

Duration of 48 months:
01.01.2025 – 31.12.2028

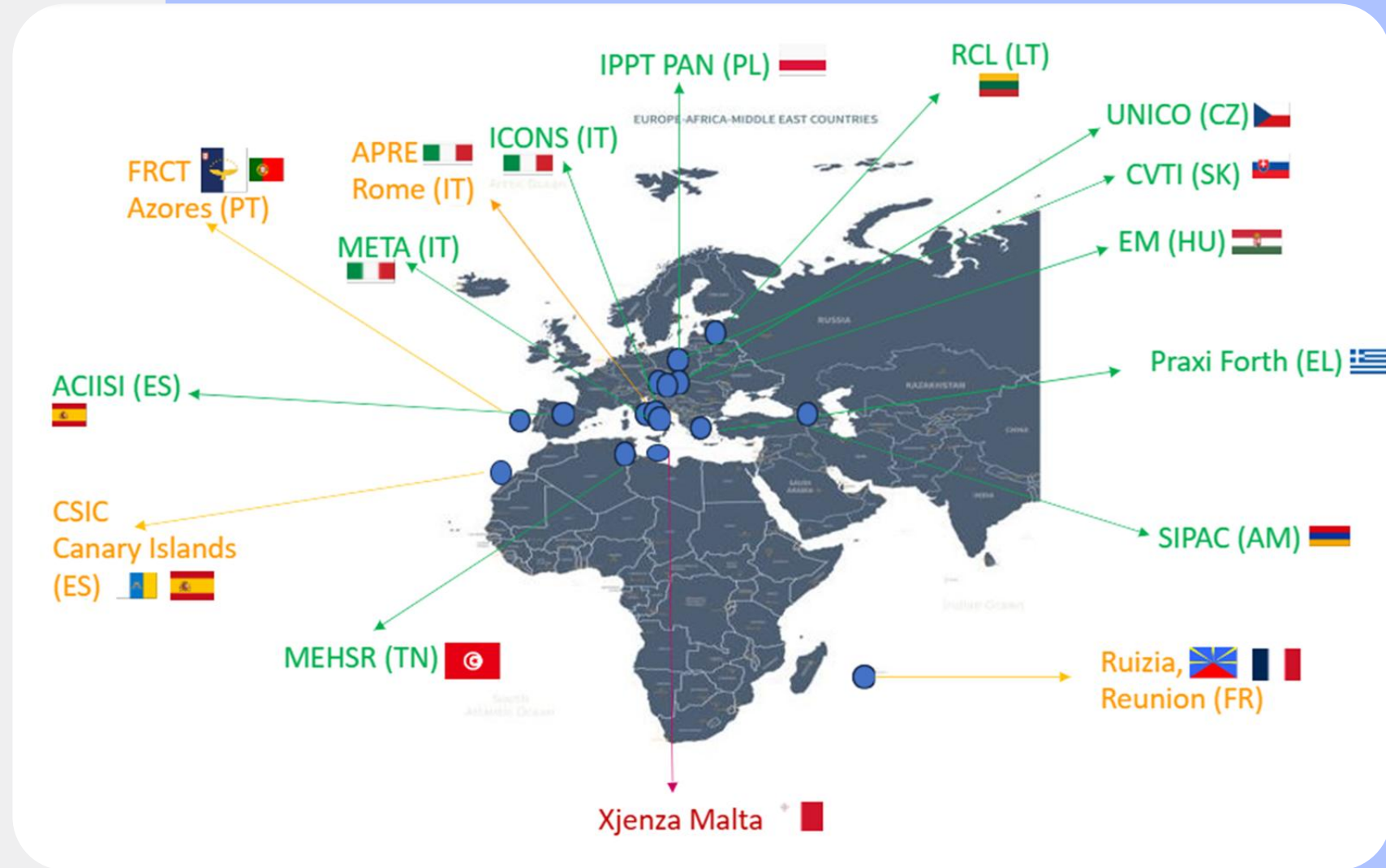


Main objective

Tailored expert services for **Widening countries**: from IP and standardisation to dissemination, exploitation, and capacity building- transforming research results into real-world impact.

Valorisation of knowledge.

Project Consortium - services and embedding in Widening countries



For whom is widerAdvance Facility?

Organisations from Widening Countries and Outermost Regions

coordinators or partners in Widening projects of Horizon 2020
or WIDERA projects in Horizon Europe

Researchers,
Staff of Research
Management and
Administration (RMAs)
Management

Focus on Key Exploitable
Results (KERs) and
capacity building

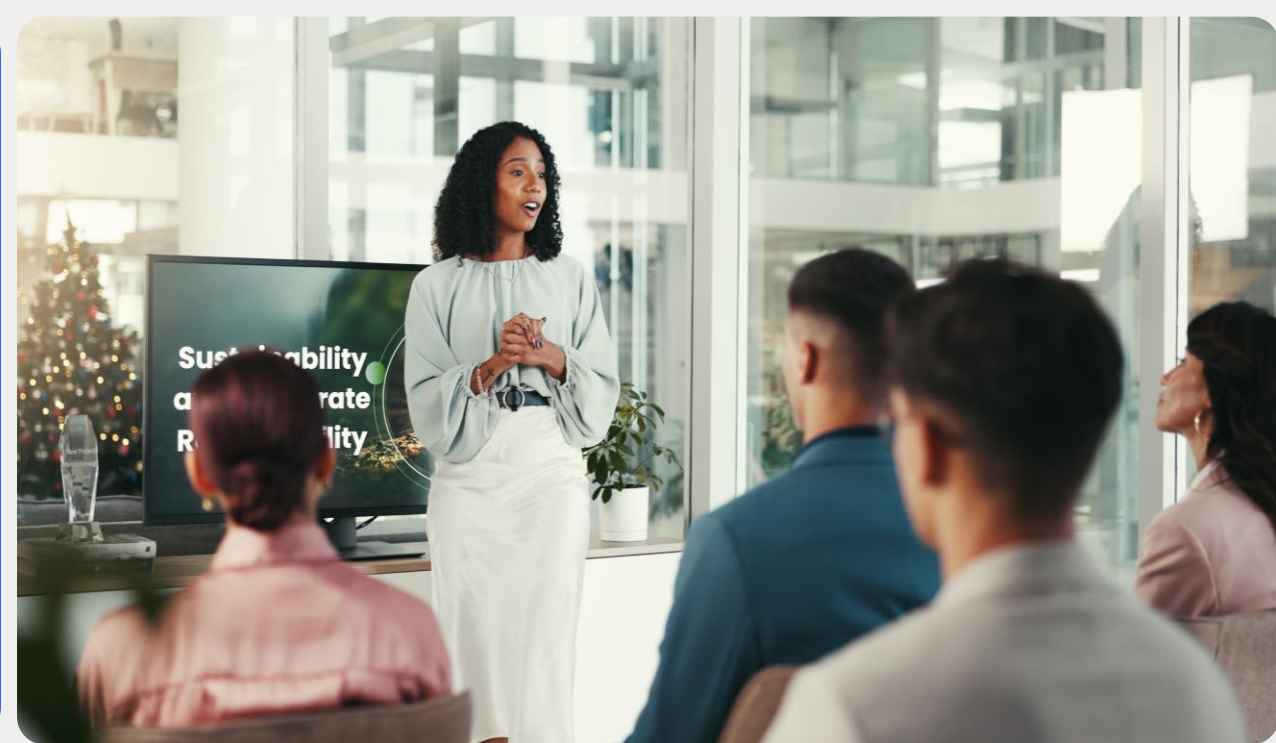
Direct or indirect link
to Widening actions
(the same thematic
domain)

RESEARCH

INNOVATION

COLLABORATION

Horizon 2020 or Horizon Europe Widening action



Main actions – Entry point to the Facility

ERA Chairs, ERA Talents, Excellence Hubs, European Excellence Initiative, Hop-on Facility, Pathways to synergies, Teaming for Excellence (Phase 2 in Horizon 2020), Teaming for Excellence (Stage-2 in Horizon Europe), Twinning, Twinning for Western Balkans, Widening/ERA Fellowship (H2020/HE) and **COST Innovation Actions**;

widerAdvance Facility

One-stop shop for valorisation services



D&E Academy to improve maturity of selected KERs – workshops & coaching for 15 KERs.



Support with intangible assets via specialised coaching.



Support with standardisation via specialised coaching.



Preparation to match with third parties - via specialised coaching.



Awareness and training webinars increasing D&E capacities.



Matchmaking on-site events between RTs and relevant innovation stakeholders.



Study visits to access best practices.



Training, coaching, and mutual learning on synergies with other EU instruments.

RESEARCH

INNOVATION

COLLABORATION

What a single organisation will receive?



Individual plan

how to effectively disseminate and exploit our research results



Indication which follow-up funding

(e.g.: ERDF, RRF, ESF) to use and with whom to deal (regional/ national authorities)



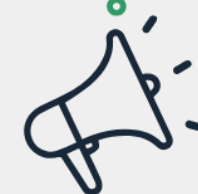
Staff trained on D&E



Links with industry, VCs, investors etc.



Promotion of our achievements



What are our targets?



Strengthened D&E capacities of up to **1000 individuals** as part of RTs and/or RMAs.



Increased maturity level of **750 KERs linked to** Widening actions (directly or indirectly).

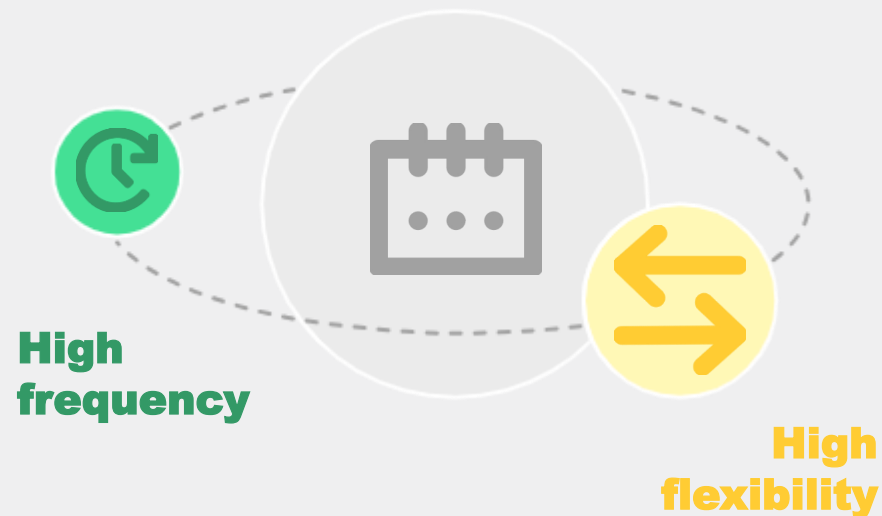


100+ organisations involved from Widening Countries.



Increased recognition of Widening beneficiaries in relevant Countries at national, regional level.

How to apply?



- Through a unique **Open Call** - next cut-off 30 April 2026.
- Applications submitted at any time through an **on-line application** form in the Facility's website.
- Applications collected and assessed at pre-defined **cut-off dates** (every 3 months) to allocate the different services to the eligible organisations. **There are min. 12 cut-off dates planned.**
- Each organisation can present **multiple KERs, RTs and RMAs.**

Our next events

26
FEBRUARY

Standards: The Missing Link in Your Innovation Strategy

📍 Location: Online

Join us →

06
MARCH

Result dissemination for different stakeholders

📍 Location: Online

Join us →

Contact us



www.widerAdvance.eu



info@widerAdvance.eu

This project has received funding from the European Union's Horizon Europe Programme under Grant Agreement No 101159516.



Funded by
the European Union