

22nd-23rd-24th October 2025 | Malta (MT)



# **Staff Exchange and Training for CL1 NCPs**

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### **Cavalieri Art Hotel**

Spinola Road, San Ġiljan STJ 3019, Malta

22nd-24th October, Malta

The aim of the third HNN3.0 Staff Exchange hosted by the NCPs from Xjenza Malta is offering a full day for those CL1 NCPs interested in exchanging good NCP practices and working methods. Participants will have also the opportunity to learn more about synergies between funds and the also the Widening Programme. The programme also includes a visit to Xjenza Malta, the government agency responsible for promoting and coordinating scientific research, technological innovation, and science communication in Malta. The Staff Exchange is organized back-to-back with the first on-site NCP Training focused on valorization of research results. (see below)

## STAFF EXCHANGE – 22<sup>nd</sup> October (Day 1)

8.45 – 9.00	Registration
9:00-9:15	Welcome and introduction to the training by HNN3.0 representatives
9:15-10:40	- Exchange of Experiences as a Health NCP (I)
Coffee Break (10:40-11:00)	
11:00-12:00	- Exchange of Experiences as a Health NCP (II)
	Questions & Answers
Lunch Break (12:00-13:30)	
14:00-17:00	- Visit Xjenza Malta / Esplora. The role of NCPs in Malta (Host)
	Questions & Answers
17:00	Final discussion and closing remarks

## STAFF EXCHANGE – 23<sup>rd</sup> October (Day 2)

9:00 – 10:30	<b>Experiences in using the structural funds</b> (The Maltese mechanism for promoting coordinators The Widening programme, etc)	
Coffee Break (10:30-11:00)		
11:00 - 12:30	Experiences in using the structural funds from the NCPs	
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch and End of Staff Exchange	



## **Training for CL1 NCPs on** Valorisation of research results

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The NCP Training is focused on valorisation of research results. This training provides CL1 NCPs with key insights into the valorisation of research results in Horizon Europe. It covers pathways to societal and economic impact, exploitation strategies, and available EU tools. Participants will explore practical examples and common challenges from health-related projects. Interactive sessions will strengthen NCPs' capacity to guide applicants on impact and valorisation.

### Training on Valorisation of research results – 23rd October (Dav 1)

Training on valorisation of research results 25 October (Bay 1)		
13:45 -14:00	Registration	
14:00 –14:15	Welcome by Xjenza Malta and introduction to the Training by HNN3.0 representatives	
14:15 –15:30	Introduction to valorisation in Horizon Europe.	
	Policy drivers and framework definitions	
	Eugene Sweeney, Director, Iambic Innovation Ltd, Senior Advisor European IP Helpdesk	
Coffee Break (15:30-16:00)		
16:00 –17:00	<ul> <li>Where and how to address valorisation in Horizon Europe proposals, including common pitfalls and how to address them</li> </ul>	
	Strategies for the management and protection of research results	
	Eugene Sweeney, Director, Iambic Innovation Ltd, Senior Advisor European IP Helpdesk	
17:00-17:00	Wrap-up / end of day 1	
20:00	Social Dinner	

## Training on Valorisation of research results – 24th October (Day 2)

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9:15 – 9:30	Welcome and recap	
9:30 – 11:15	The evaluation process, observations of an evaluator and tactical tips	
	Pathways from research to impact	
	Measures to Maximise Impact	
	Case studies of successful research valorisation	
	Further help and support	
	Eugene Sweeney, Director, Iambic Innovation Ltd, Senior Advisor European IP Helpdesk	
Coffee Break (11:15-11:30)		
11:30 - 12:15	Valorisation in Presentation: Pitching and Storytelling Research Results	
	Giorgio Maria Vingiani, HNN3.0 Project Manager, APRE	
12:15 –12:45	Practical examples of Valorisation	
	Andras Havasi, University of Malta	
12:45 -13:00	Wrap-up / End of training	
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	