

Call for an upcoming EU funded project: *Innovators of the future: bridging the gender gap (SWAFS 27-2020)*

LAMARR responds to the call [Innovators of the future: Bridging the gender gap](#). The project mission will be to empower girls to become future entrepreneurs and break gender stereotypes related to innovation and entrepreneurship. It will engage young people in different parts of their everyday life from their school environments to their out of school world. It will be implemented across 16 countries, engaging both schools already involved in entrepreneurship activities as well as schools unfamiliar with entrepreneurship schemes, proposing gender inclusive and STEM related entrepreneurship activities. To make this change sustainable and long-lasting it will tap into local innovation ecosystems creating forums of collaboration that will guide and provide the necessary skills to young girls in particular to become innovators in the future.

Role of a Third Party

Ecsite will involve six of its member institutions as Third Parties in the project. These 6 institutions will collaborate on the ground with the local chapter of [Junior Achievement Europe](#) to do the following:

- To become a Country Leader that will coordinate connections with schools in their region and will work with Entrepreneurship organisations engaged on the topic of gender and entrepreneurship;
- To select, adapt and translate a set of educational activities on the theme of STEM, Gender and Entrepreneurship, drawing from a Challenges Toolkit that will be developed for the project;
- To engage a number of schools that will run the activities;
- To organise one Hackathon in their museum;
- To disseminate the project in their country.

Criteria for selection: obligatory

- Ecsite member status
- Interest in establishing a lasting collaboration with the JA local chapter
- English speaking project manager
- The institution must be active in public engagement in science, have an interest on entrepreneurship and an existing network of schools;
- The institution must have a physical venue
- The institution must be located and carry out its activities in one of the following countries: Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Latvia, Luxembourg, Malta, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Albania, Iceland, Norway, Serbia, Switzerland and Turkey.

Criteria for selection: desirable

- Demonstrable experience in public engagement on the topic of gender;
- Expertise in developing Hackathon -type activities
- Specific entrepreneurship programme

Indicative Budget

The budget will be calculated based on the Person month (one person working full time for one month) rate, including the following:

- An estimated **4 Person-months** salary
- Translations (€1000)
- Travel and subsistence for one staff member to attend three project meetings (€2.000)
- Budget for other direct costs including one Hackathon (€7.000)
- Any additional costs incurred in order to achieve the task outlined

How to apply

Please fill in [this online form](#) by **Wednesday 25 March 23:59 CET**.

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