

Missions in the Commission
proposal

Horizon Europe

THE NEXT EU RESEARCH & INNOVATION
PROGRAMME (2021 – 2027)

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Horizon Europe – What's new?

Lessons Learned

from Horizon 2020 Interim Evaluation



Support breakthrough innovation



Create more impact through mission-orientation and citizens' involvement



Strengthen international cooperation



Reinforce openness



Rationalise the funding landscape



Key Novelties

in Horizon Europe

European Innovation Council

R&I Missions

Extended association possibilities

Open science policy

New approach to Partnerships



R&I Missions

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Relating EU's research and innovation better to society and citizens' needs; with strong visibility and impact

A mission is a portfolio of actions intended to achieve **a bold and inspirational as well as measurable goal** within a set timeframe, with impact for science and technology, society and citizens that goes beyond individual actions

- Horizon Europe proposal defines mission characteristics and elements of governance
- Specific missions will be **co-designed with Member States, stakeholders and citizens** and programmed within the Global Challenges and Industrial Competitiveness pillar (drawing on inputs from other pillars)



R&I Missions – Possible Process

- July-Nov – Commission and MS exchange of views resulting in five mission areas
- Stabilisation of SP text, including mission areas in Annex and Strategic Planning process – Q1 2019
- Open call for EoI for mission board members - Q1 2019
- First meetings of the mission boards - Q2 2019
- Discussion with the shadow programme committee - during 2019
 - mission boards
 - specific missions and their objectives
 - elaboration of draft work programmes
- Finalisation of work programmes (according to progress with the negotiations) during 2020



Mission Boards

- Need for independence + broad expertise
- Engaging with MS – e.g. via link with ad hoc group
- Commission supervision - presentations by Chairs to (shadow) PC
- Supporting mission manager (if appointed)
- Advisory roles in
 - Defining specific missions (from areas) and objectives – these to be endorsed by shadow strategic PC
 - Drafting mission portfolio calls and topics in WP – shadow PC endorsement on draft WP
 - Selection of evaluation experts, evaluation briefing and portfolio of projects selected (not evaluating proposals)
 - Reporting on progress to PC
- Role in communication and exploitation

Strategic planning to define multiannual work programmes and calls for proposals

- Transparency and stakeholder involvement
- Prioritisation and flexibility to align to political priorities
- Internal programme coherence & synergies with other programmes

Multiannual Strategic R&I Plan

* Multiannual orientations and priorities in one document

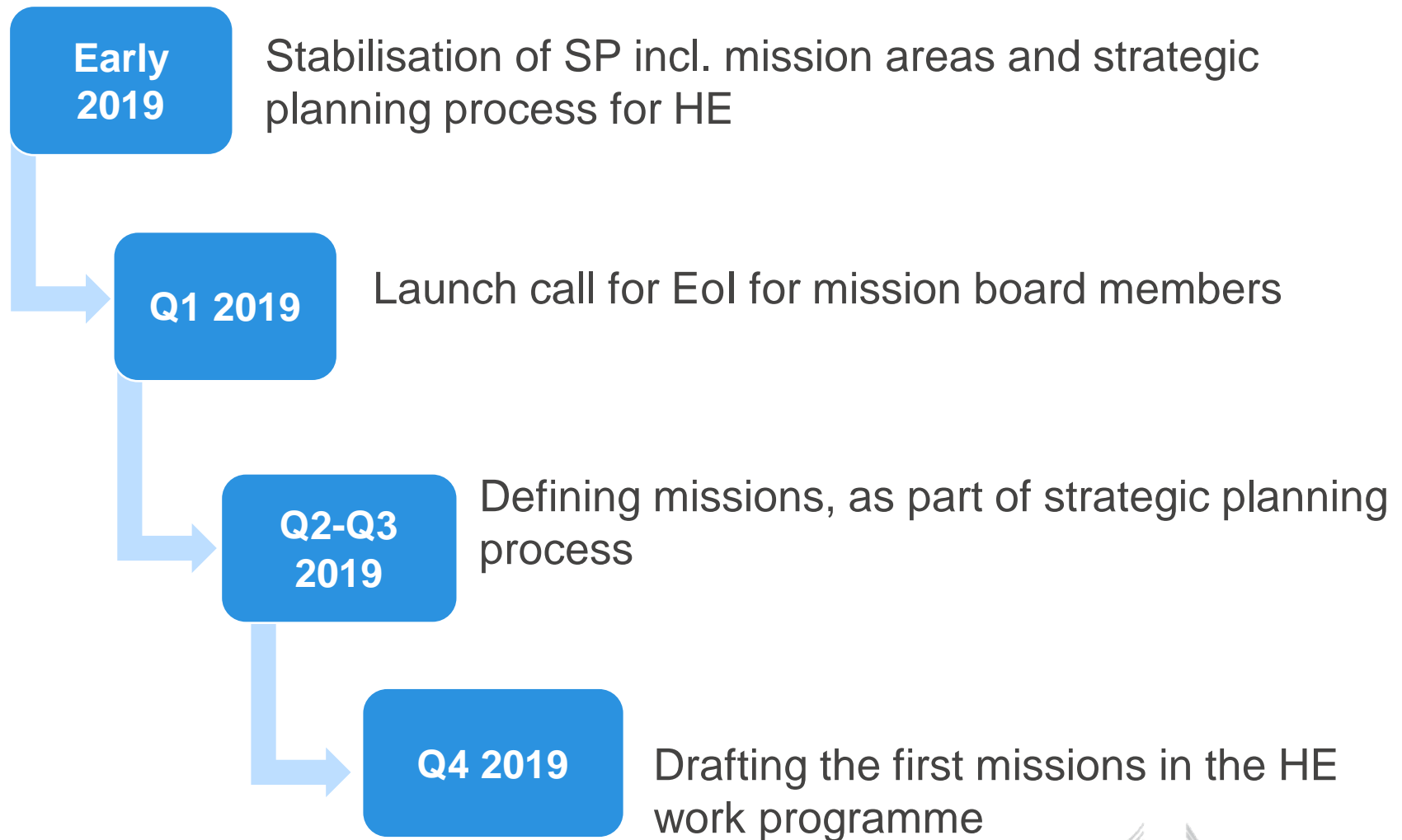
* Areas for partnerships and missions

Strategic discussions with Member States and European Parliament

Consultation with stakeholders

Work Programmes

Possible next steps





Thank you!

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