

JPI URBAN EUROPE CALL MAKING CITIES WORK

WHAT IS YOUR CITY'S TRICKIEST CHALLENGE?

Imagine you have Europe's smartest heads working hard to solve your city's problems...



JPI Urban Europe develops the 'Making Cities Work' Call, to work on challenges posed by cities by making the transition from research to innovation and implementation. This call will have the following focus:

- **Challenge-driven:** cities are encouraged to express their needs and to be active in finding solutions together with companies, researchers, stakeholders and citizens.
- **Close to implementation:** focus on innovative implementation of existing knowledge rather than the generation of new knowledge.
- **Space for innovation:** join forces with cities, businesses, research and other stakeholder to spark creativity and solutions. Flexibility in run-time and funding.
- **European added value and impact:** share and learn, scale-up and distribute solutions European-wide.

The countries participating in the call are:

Austria, Belgium, Finland, Norway and Sweden

Projects

- Flexible in length (1-3 year) and funding (€500.000 - €1.000.000)
- Focus on challenge driven and implementation approach should be reflected in the consortia: at least one business and one city partner
- Cooperate with at least 3 partners from at least 2 participating countries
- Eligible partners for funding (national rules apply): municipalities, business, researchers and civil society

Timeline

May 30th	Brokerage event to identify topics for call
Mid-October 2017	Call opens
Mid-February 2018	Call closes
May 2018	Funding decision announced

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