JOINT CALL ON POSITIVE ENERGY DISTRICTS AND NEIGHBOURHOODS

With this first of a series of calls on the topic of Positive Energy Districts and Neighbourhoods (PED/PEN), JPI Urban Europe invites transdisciplinary and cross-sectoral communities of researchers and practitioners to create projects with focus on:

- Smaller-scale joint R&I projects (duration 1-2 years) on PED/PEN implementation
- Providing transnational alignment
- Comparison and exchange of experiences between ongoing (European) projects in different PED implementation phases
- Their integration in general urban strategies
- Stakeholder involvement strategies and the role of geographical/climatic conditions.

**The Call Topics**

**Topic 1:** Contributing to the climate-neutral city: Holistic approaches for PED implementation

**Topic 2:** Embeddedness in local contexts: Applied approaches for integrating PEDs in different urban contexts and the legal framework

**Topic 3:** Engagement and governance: Urban governance, stakeholder involvement concepts and business models

**Who can Apply?**

- Companies (from industry/large companies to SMEs),
- Cities, municipalities, regions
- Consumers (e.g. business enterprises, test households, etc.)
- Citizens' representatives, NGOs
- Research organisations (universities, university colleges, research institutes or other authorities with research undertakings)

**Participating Countries and Funding Agencies**

- Austria - FFG
- Belgium - Innoviris
- Czech Republic - TA ČR
- Sweden - SWEA

**Proposal deadline:**
24 September 2020, 12:00 a.m. CEST

Find more information, all relevant documents, online submission and national contact points on the call page: jpi-urbaneurope.eu/ped-pilot-call