CIRCAT: Cybersecurity Infrastructure Resilience, Collaboration and Advanced Training — CIRCAT Open Call 1

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BASIC INFO

We are looking for applications from National Cybersecurity Authorities (NCAs), National Coordination Centres, large industrial installations, Operators of Essential Services (OES), governmental entities, and other relevant stakeholders with the capacity to aggregate demand. Eligible applicants include SMEs, mid-caps, large companies, research centres (including universities), and public bodies. All entities must be registered in, and controlled by, an entity or person established in a Member State of the European Union or an EEA country.

Organization Name *

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Website *

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Primary contact person

Name and Surname *

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Position *

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Email *

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Phone Number: *

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Location of the applicant

Address:

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Country of registration *

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Type of Entity: *

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Which CIRCAT vertical does your application address?

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Relevance

This criterion assesses the extent to which the proposal aligns with the objectives and scope of the CIRCAT Open Call. Additionally, it assesses the level of contribution to European cybersecurity priorities.

How many of the targeted CIRCAT technologies (Networks, Applications, Virtualisation, Cloud, Industrial Control Systems, IoT) does your scenario integrate? *

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How many EU regulatory frameworks (e.g., NIS2, DORA, EU Cyber Solidarity Act) does your scenario directly support for compliance? *

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What percentage of the digital assets in your proposed testing scenario are sourced from EU-based providers? *

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Describe your proposed penetration testing scenario, including the specific threats and vulnerabilities it addresses within your chosen critical infrastructure vertical. *

Max: 3000 characters

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Explain how your scenario aligns with the CIRCAT project objectives, EU cybersecurity priorities, and strengthens the European digital supply chain *

Max: 2000 characters

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Expected Impact

What is the estimated percentage reduction in the time elapsed between the occurrence of a cyber threat and its detection targeted by your scenario? *

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What proportion of the organisation's targeted infrastructure assets will the scenario be able to detect and assess? *

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How many potential vulnerabilities do you estimate your scenario will expose and analyse?

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Cybersecurity & Operational Benefits: *

Detail the expected results in terms of vulnerability identification, risk mitigation, and operational improvements for your infrastructure. Detail the expected results in terms of vulnerability identification, risk mitigation, and operational improvements for your infrastructure. (Max: 2000 characters)

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Broad Societal & Environmental Impact: *

Explain the cross-border relevance of your project and how it benefits society, increases innovation capacity, and aligns with the European Green Deal goals. (Max: 2000 characters)

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Project Implementation

How many distinct penetration testing phases are fully detailed in your current implementation plan? *

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What is the combined cybersecurity experience of the core technical team dedicated to this project? *

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How many Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) personnel will actively work on defining the scenario? *

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Work Plan & Methodology: *

Outline the key steps to define the scenario within the 6-month support programme duration. (Max: 3000 characters)

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Capacity & Infrastructure: *

Describe the team's operational capacity, expertise, and the tools or testing environments you currently possess to support this project. (Max: 2000 characters)

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Access to the Infrastructure & Agreements. *

Describe your access rights to the specific infrastructure required to define the penetration testing scenario. If your entity is not the direct owner or operator of this infrastructure, please detail the existing agreements, partnerships, or formal authorisations you have in place with the infrastructure owner to guarantee you can successfully execute the project. (Max: 2000 characters)

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Budget

Total Project Cost (€) *

[redacted]

Grant Requested (€) *

Maximun grant is 40.000,00€

[redacted]

Co-financing Commitment (%)

(min. of 50%)

[redacted]

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Declaration of Honour

Please read carefully the statements below. You will not be able to change the statements after the deadline. By ticking the boxes below, I confirm that

I have read and understood the information about the project, as provided in the Open Call Terms and Conditions *

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I acknowledge that the evaluators and the European Commission and its bodies and agencies may have access to the data collected under the open call *

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The data provided in the application form is true and up-to-date *

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The entity I represent meets the eligibility conditions described in the Open Call Terms and Conditions. *

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There is no conflict of interest between the company I represent and any of the consortium partners *

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I did not make false declarations in supplying the information required, as a condition of participation in the Open Call or do not fail to supply this information *

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Do you have a 'Gender Equality Plan'? (Public bodies, higher education institutions, and research organisations from EU countries and EEA countries are obliged to have it.) *

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The entity I represent is not directly or indirectly controlled by a country that is not an eligible country (i.e. any country outside of EU member states) or an ineligible country entity. *

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Processing Personal Data

Please read the privacy notice available at https://fundingbox.com/privacy-notices/open-call/.

I confirm that I have read and understood the information clause concerning the processing of the personal data provided above. *

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I confirm that I have legal basis for processing the personal data of the team members listed in the application form. *

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I will pass the information clause provided above to all team members mentioned in the application form. *

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