



# Horizon 2020 Work Programme for Research & Innovation 2018-2020

Secure Societies Work Programme 2018-2020
2019 Call

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### **Outline**

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- 2. Capability based Approach
- 3. Work Programme Topics for 2019
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    - **DRS**: Disaster-Resilient Societies
    - FCT: Fight against Crime and Terrorism
    - BES: Borders and External Security
    - **GM**: General Matters (i.e. Networks, PCPs)
  - PROTECTING INFRASTRUCTURE call



# **POLICY CONTEXT**





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**04/2015**: **European Agenda on Security** defines the priority actions at EU level to ensure an effective EU response to security threats over the period 2015-2020

"Research and innovation is essential if the EU is to keep up-to-date with evolving security needs. Research can identify new security threats and their impacts on European societies. It also contributes to creating social trust in research-based new security policies and tools. Innovative solutions will help to mitigate security risks more effectively by drawing on knowledge, research and technology."





#### **Policy Context**

**10/2016: new Commissioner for the Security Union**, supported by a horizontal Task Force involving 30 different services in the Commission and the EEAS

**Mission letter** of Julian King as Commissioner for Security Union:

"During our mandate, I would like you to support the Commissioner for Migration, Home Affairs and Citizenship in the following tasks:

[...] "Ensuring that EU-financed security research targets the needs of security practitioners and develops solutions to forthcoming security challenges [...]."





### **Policy Context**

12/2018 Seventeenth Progress Report towards an effective and genuine Security Union

#### **Section on EU Security Research**

'EU security research is one of the building blocks of the Security Union enabling innovation in technologies and knowledge crucial for developing capabilities to address today's security challenges, anticipating tomorrow's threats and contributing to a more competitive European security industry.'

'Given the particular nature of the security sector (in which the market is represented mainly by public authorities), appropriate uptake of research output can be guaranteed only if research is acknowledged as one of the building blocks of a wider capability development process bringing together policy-makers, practitioners, industry and academia. The close involvement of all stakeholders at an early stage is instrumental to identify capability gaps, and define capability priorities that can, when needed, trigger research requirements.'





#### The Challenge

# The security research landscape

Notwithstanding the effort still gap between research output and market uptake

- highly fragmented and mostly institutional market
- the limits of existing funding schemes
- the misalignment between demand and supply





# Research is not a stand alone process

Research is part of a wider process:

# The Capability Development Process







#### **Five main Actors:**

- Researchers
- Policy makers
- Practitioners
- > Industry
- Citizens







#### Researchers

# Make an idea become reality







# **Policy makers**

- Define the policy objectives and provide the overall strategic direction
- Topics in the security research calls are supporting the implementation of the different policies in the different domains.







#### **Practitioners**

Define the operational requirements to ensure achievement of intended policy objective

Many topics in the security research calls foresee a compulsory participation of practitioners to

- Enhance policy support and adherence to operational requirements
- Improve market uptake
- Increase Innovation dimension
- Reduce oversubscription
- Reduce duplications





# **Industry**

- a single and strong EU security market is fundamental to increase the competitiveness of the industrial base and the level of confidence in the security of supply for strategic technologies
- private and public sector to work hand in hand in developing a vision for tomorrow's security ecosystem
- Many topics in the security research calls foresee a compulsory participation of the private sector.



#### **Citizens**

- All Calls have a "Human Factor" embedded within.
- A better integration of the societal dimension means more trust and resilience
- A better societal consideration into technological requirements means socially compatible solutions.
- Understanding of causes and societal roots of a an event and of human behavior (prevention).



# **Capability Development Cycle**

**Analysis of Needs** 

Assessment of what is available

Research and acquisition

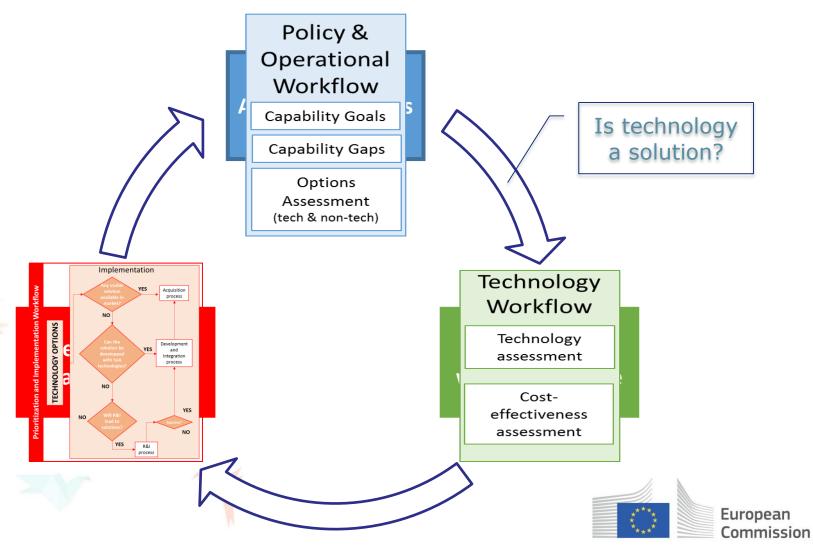


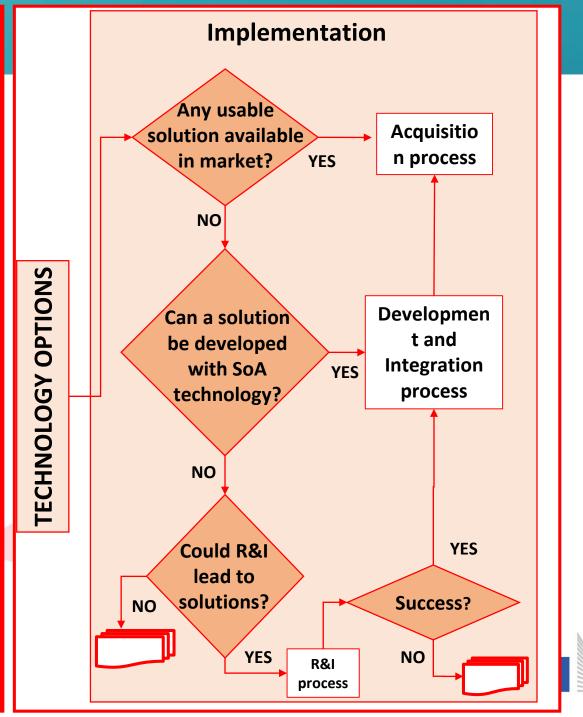






#### **Capability Development Cycle**







# **SECURITY** call





# **Main Policy Drivers**

#### **DISASTER-RESILIENT SOCIETIES**

**European Agenda on Security** 

**Security Progress reports** 

CBRN Action Plan COM(2009) 273 final

CBRN E-risks COM(2014)247 final

**EU Civil Protection Mechanism Decision 1313/2013** 

Serious Cross-border threats to health Decision 1082/2013

**EU Climate Adaptation Strategy** 

#### FIGHT AGAINST CRIME AND TERRORISM

**European Agenda on Security** 

**Security Progress reports** 

Council Conclusions of 06/2016 on the way forward in view of the creation of a European Forensic Science Area

Cybersecurity Package COM(2017)477

#### **BORDER AND EXTERNAL SECURITY**

**European Agenda on Security** 

**Security Progress reports** 

European Border Surveillance System (EUROSUR - Regulation No 1052/2013)

**Smart Borders legislative Initiative** 

New EBCG Proposal COM(2018) 631 final

#### **GENERAL MATTERS**

**European Agenda on Security** 

**Security Progress reports** 

The European Agenda on Security

Mission letter of Julian King

#### DISASTER-RESILIENT SOCIETIES

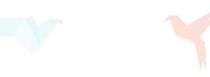
- SU-DRS01-2018-**2019**-2020: Human factors, and social and societal, and organisational aspects for disaster-resilient societies
- SU-DRS02-2018-**2019**-2020: Technologies for first responders
  - Sub-topic 2: Innovation for rapid and accurate pathogens detection
  - Sub-topic Open
- SU-DRS03-2018-**2019**-2020: Pre-normative research and demonstration for disaster resilient societies
  - Sub-topic 2 Pre-standardisation in crisis management (including natural hazard and CBRN-E emergencies)
- SU-DRS04-**2019**-2020: Chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear (CBRN) cluster
- SU-DRS05-**2019**: Demonstration of novel concepts for the management of pandemic crises



#### FIGHT AGAINST CRIME AND TERRORISM

- SU-FCT01-2018-**2019**-2020: Human factors, and social, societal, and organisational aspects to solve issues in fighting crime and terrorism
  - Sub-topic 2: Understanding the drivers of cybercriminality, and new methods to prevent, investigate and mitigate cybercriminal behaviour
  - Sub-topic: Open
- SU-FCT02-2018-**2019**-2020: Technologies to enhance the fight against crime and terrorism
  - Sub-topic 1: Trace qualification
  - Sub-topic: Open
- SU-FCT03-2018-2019-2020:Information and data stream management to fight against (cyber)crime and terrorism







#### BORDER AND EXTERNAL SECURITY

- SU-BES01-2018-**2019**-2020: Human factors and Social, societal and organisational aspects of border and external security
  - Sub-topic 2: Modelling, predicting and dealing with migration flows to avoid tension and violence.
  - Sub-topic: Open
  - Eligibility conditions
- SU-BES02-2018-**2019**-2020: Technologies to enhance border and external security
  - Sub-topic 3: Security on board passenger ships.
  - Sub-topic 4: Detecting threats in the steam of commerce without disrupting business.
  - Sub-topic: Open
- SU-BES03-2018-2019-2020: Demonstration of applied solutions to enhance border and external security
  - Sub-topic 2: New concepts for decision support and information systems.
  - Sub-topic Open



#### **GENERAL MATTERS**

SU-GM01-2018-**2019**-2020:Pan-European networks of practitioners and other actors in the field of security

a. [2019] Practitioners in the same discipline and from across Europe.

In 2019, proposals are invited in two specific areas of specialisation:

**Protection of public figures** 

**Handling of hybrid threats** 

SU-GM03-2018-2019-2020: Pre-commercial procurements of innovative solutions to enhance security









# Main policy drivers

Action Plan protection of public spaces COM(2017) 612

#### **Critical Infrastructure Protection**

- Directive 2008/114/EC – Identification and designation of EU Critical

Infrastructure

- European Programme for CI Protection (COM (2006) 786, COM(2013) 318)





SU-INFRA01-2018-**2019**-2020: Prevention, detection, response and mitigation of combined and cyber threats to critical infrastructure in Europe

- In 2018 and 2019 the following CI shall be addressed:
  - Water systems
  - Energy infrastructure (Energy value chain, Gas networks, others)
  - Transport infrastructure (Ports, Airports, others)
  - Communication infrastructure
  - Ground segments of space systems
  - Health services
  - E-Commerce and postal infrastructure
  - Sensitive industrial sites and plants
  - Financial services
- \*Areas in red, covered in calls 2016 and 2017
- \*\*Areas in black, not yet covered

#### Non-exclusive approach

Check Participant Portal for areas covered in 2018!



SU-INFRA02-2019: Security for smart and safe cities

- Priorities rising from the EU Operators forum to be considered:
  - Underline the involvement of operators (e.g. mass events and entertainment, hospitality, shopping malls, sports and cultural venues, transport hubs and others).
  - Bring in the status of the implementation of the Action Plan (SU progress report December 2018):
    - Improved cooperation
    - Lessons learnt Recommendations
    - Synergies with other EC funding instruments (UIA ERDF)

