





Smart Anything Everywhere



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Smart Anything Everywhere

Empowering SMEs in the Digital Age



The Strategy Behind: Digitizing European Industry Initiative Mission:

To ensure that any industry in Europe, wherever situated and in any sector can fully benefit from digital innovations

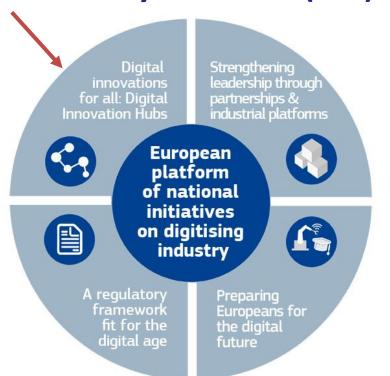
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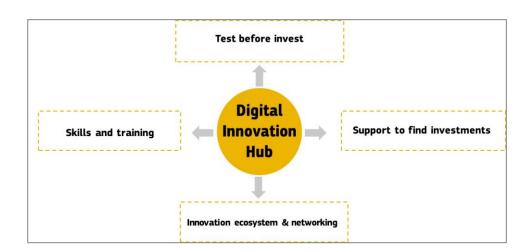




Digitizing European Industry Initiative (DEI)



Digital Innovation Hubs (DIH)



DIHs support companies, in particular SMEs, and public organisations in their digital transformation

Catalyse Digital Transformation







European DIH Initiatives include









Innovation Actions (IA): Networks of DIHs providing expertise and Cascade Funding through Open Calls to support SMEs and mid-caps

Coordination and Support Actions (CSA): To support the consolidation of a pan-European Network of DIHs and support stakeholders of the ecosystem

The Smart Anything Everywhere: Catalyse Digitization throughout Europe



Smart Anything Everywhere - Goals





To support European start-ups, SMEs, mid-caps (and public organisations) in their digital transformation





To build and consolidate a sustainable pan-European network of Digital Innovation Hubs (DIH)

Evolution of the SAE Initiative









H2020 Creating a well-functioning ecosystem

PHASE 1

- Gateone, Smarter-SI
- EuroCPS, CPSELabs

H2020

Growing the ecosystem to its European dimension

PHASE 2

- SmartEEs
- diatomic
- FED4SAE
- TETRAMAX
- Smart4Europe

H2020

Widening the pan-European network of DIHs

PHASE 3

- BOWI
- SMART4ALL
- DIGIFED
- HUBCAP
- DIH4CPS
- SmartEEs2
- Smart4Europe2

015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020

SAE Innovation Actions







SAE aligns different Projects (Innovation Actions) in various Technology Areas such as



Cyber-Physical and Embedded Systems



Customised Low Energy Computing powering Cyber-Physical Systems and the Internet of Things



Flexible and Wearable Electronics/
Organic Large Area Electronics



Widening Digital Innovation Hubs

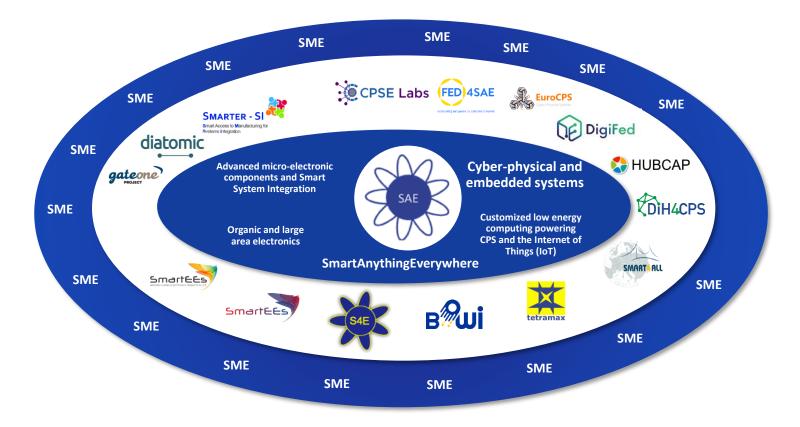
The IAs offer funding to **SMEs and mid-caps** to enhance their products and services through the inclusion of **innovative digital technologies**.

SAE Ecosystem









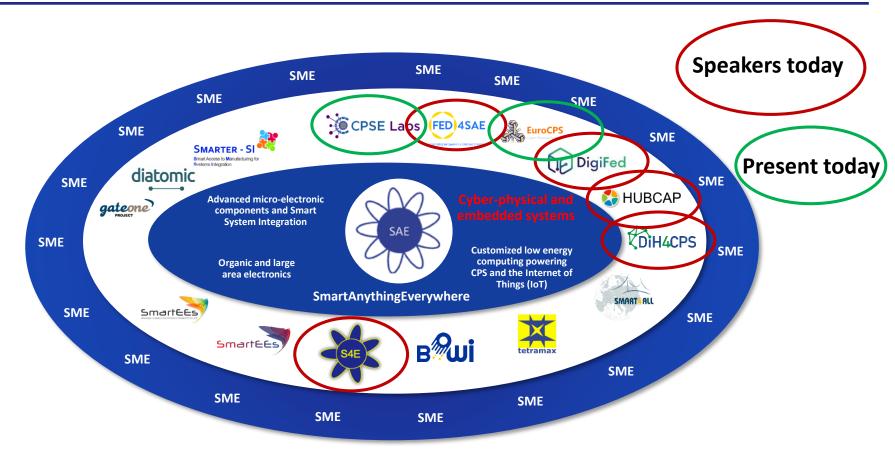
Innovation Actions of all 3 Phases in all Areas

SAE Ecosystem









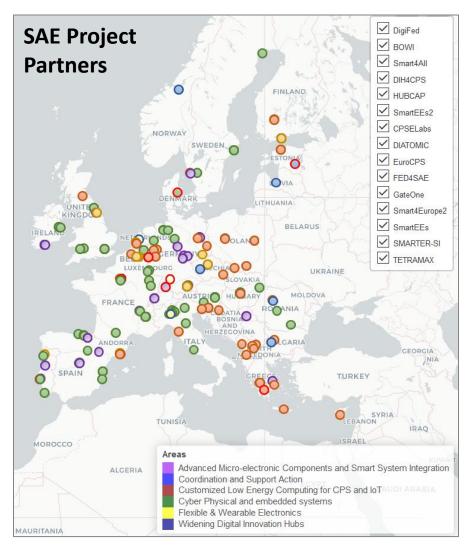
All CPS Projects of Phase 1, 2 and 3 are present today

SAE - Innovation Portal



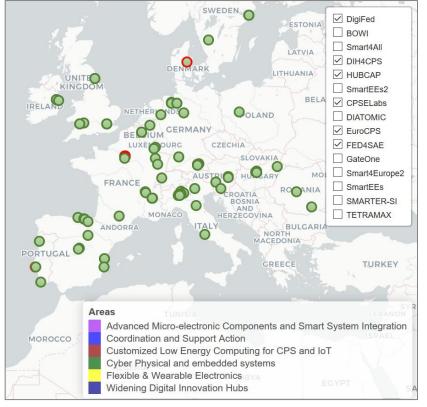






CPS projects Selected (green)



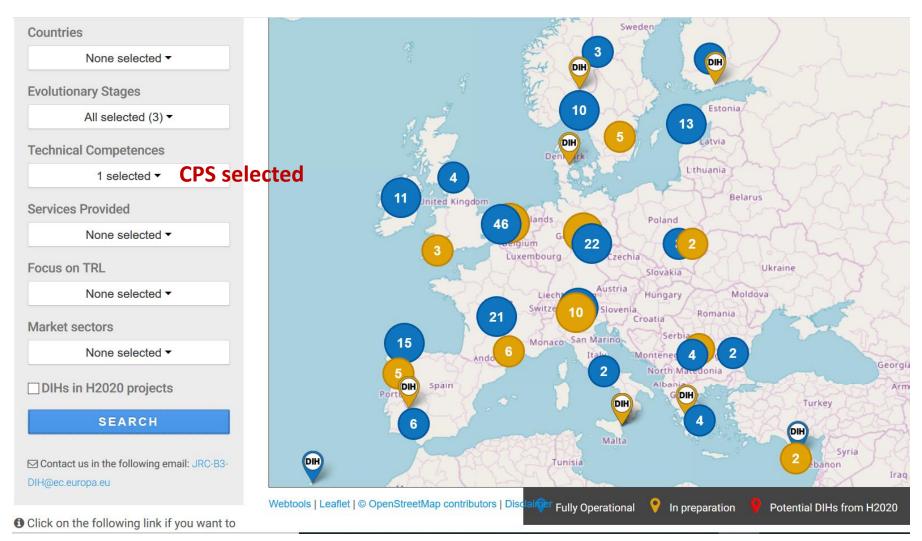


DIH – Catalogue (beyond SAE)









https://s3platform.jrc.ec.europa.eu/digital-innovation-hubs-tool

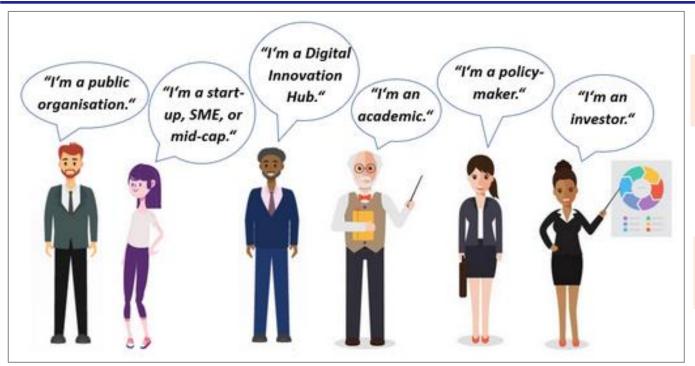


What's in it for me?









All Stakeholders:

Networking & Ecosystem

Knowledge Exchange

Training & Mentoring

Market Place

Start-ups, SMEs Mid-caps & public organisations:

Experimentation facilities to test before invest Knowledge, expertise & training Networking and ecosytem Funding and investments

Investor Events

Technology Radar

DIH Network

Link EU / national / regional Initiatives

What's in it for me?







"I'm a Digital **Innovation Hub."**



- **Benefit from networking** opportunities
- Share your knowledge, expertise
- **Provide your services**
- **Mentoring & training**
- Learn from the experiences / sustainable services





Smart4Europe2 in a Nutshell







Smart4Europe2:

- Follow-up of Smart4Europe
 Catalysing Digitisation throughout Europe
- Coordination and Support Action, co-financed by the European Commission, DT-ICT-01-2019
 Smart Anything Everywhere Initiative
- 7 Partners from 5 European countries
- Coordinator: Dr. Meike Reimann, Steinbeis2i GmbH, Germany
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- Project duration:
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- Total EC contribution: EUR 999,687.50
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Smart4Europe2 - CSA for SAE









Innovation Portal Market Place Service Centre

Knowledge Transfer Share Best Practice SAE Dissemination Training

Support and Consolidate SAE Network

Growing the Ecosystem

Attract SMEs/Mid-caps Matching & Brokering Outreach for broad Coverage

Liaise with CSAs/ECSEL Link to other DIHs

> Multiply Impacts by Collaboration

Sustaining the Network

Gearing Investment Link to National/Regional Initiatives

DIH Business Models SAE Sustainability Strategy

> Enable next Generation of SAE

Enhanced Digital Transformation of SME's and Midcaps across Europe Extended Sustainable DIH Ecosystem

Smart4Europe2 - CSA for SAE









Links







SAE Innovation Portal

https://smartanythingeverywhere.eu/

Funding Opportunities

- https://smartanythingeverywhere.eu/funding/
- https://dihnet.eu/opencalls/
- https://ec.europa.eu/info/fundingtenders/opportunities/portal/screen/opportunities/comp etitive-calls

Success stories

https://smartanythingeverywhere.eu/success-stories/

Contact us

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SAE - Open Calls









Funding easily explained How does it work? Who is eligible for

funding and what rules are to follow? Find here some general information!

SAE aligned Innovation

Find here further information on SAE innovation Actions offering funding in your SME's Technological Area

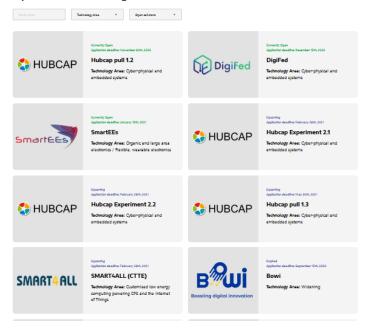
Overview of all Open SAE

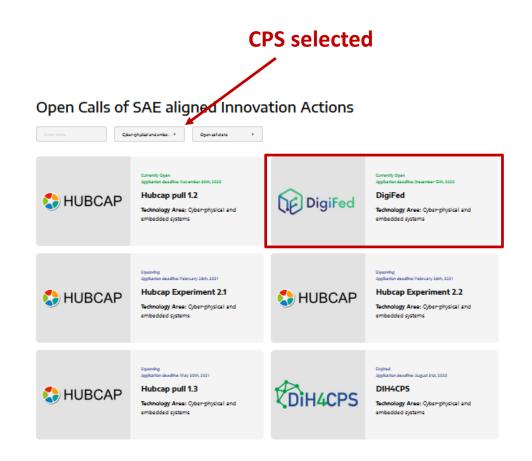
At a glance: find here all Funding

Open Calls of all Digital

Find here an overview of all Open Calls from EU projects on Digital Innovation Hubs (SAE, I4MS, robotics, photonics, big data and Open DEI)

Open Calls of SAE aligned Innovation Actions



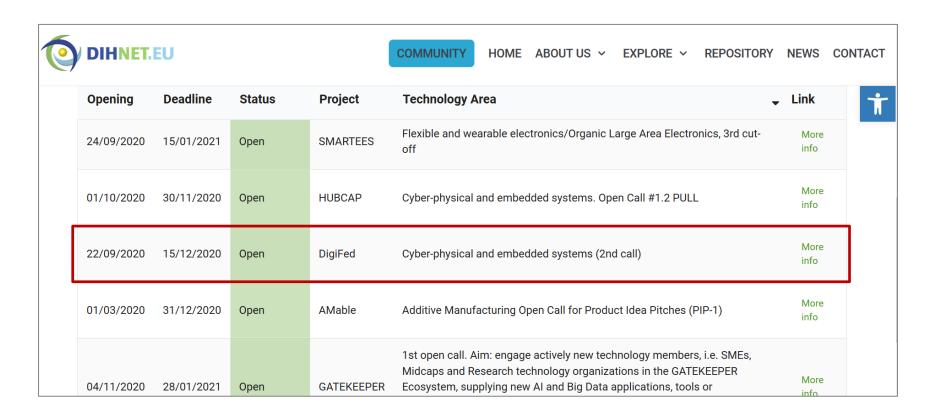


DIHNET – more Open Calls









Collection of Open Calls via:

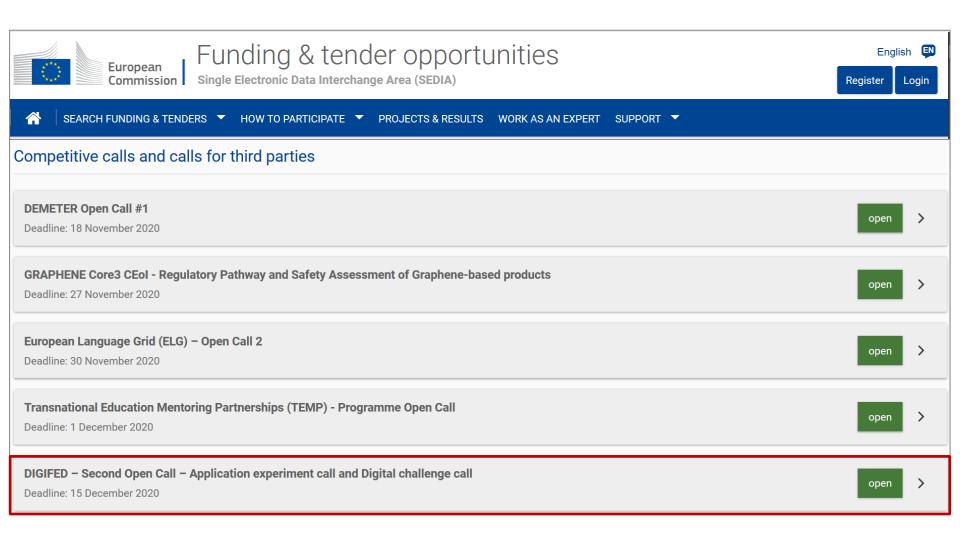
Smart4Europe2 (SAE), I4MS-go (I4MS), RODIN (robotics), BDVe (big data) and Open DEI.

EC – even more Open Calls















Thank you for your attention!







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