

NEW ERA ACTIONS FOR THE ERA POLICY AGENDA 2025-2027
TEMPLATE FOR NATIONAL CONSULTATION PROCESS

This template follows up on the debate in the ERA Forum on 25 May, in which Forum representatives agreed on a coordinated approach towards the definition of new actions for the ERA Policy Agenda 2025-2027. It builds on a gap analysis exercise in which the ERA Forum assessed, which parts of the [Pact for Research and Innovation](#) are already covered by the [Policy Agenda 2022-2024](#) and where there should be additions.

Action title <i>(Please use as a maximum two lines.)</i>	Global Approach to Research and Innovation
Description of the action <i>(Please explain the proposed action in a simple, clear and communicable narrative).</i>	<p>Following up on the Global approach communication and the relevant Council conclusions, further coordination action at EU level and joint initiatives are needed to promote a positive environment and level playing field for international cooperation based on reciprocity.</p>
Actors <i>(Please explain who would take part in the action and who would benefit from it).</i>	<p>The Standing Subgroup on the Global Approach continues to be the main action owner. This Subgroup gathers the Member States (members) as well as Horizon Europe Associated Countries and Stakeholder Organisations (observers). The Subgroup functions in a co-creation approach, often with subsets of members and observers working together on the preparation of concrete events and papers that can be used by all parties involved at EU, national and stakeholder level.</p>
Expected impact <i>(Please describe the expected impact of the action (including outside the scientific community), paying attention to the fact that it needs to focus on concrete results and reachable deliverables).</i>	<p>The work takes place at the intersection of the EU's ERA policy and the external relations policy. The work focusses on the impact of (geo)politics on R&I policies and on promoting a joint approach on R&I actions and initiatives at EU level.</p>
Why do we need this action? <i>(Please indicate the need for this action in view of implementing the <u>Pact for R&I and achieving the ERA objectives</u> and explain why its <u>objective cannot be reached through existing programmes/ activities</u>. What is the action's <u>added value</u> at national and European level as well as for stakeholders? How does it <u>make a change</u> and how is <u>co-creation</u> ensured?)</i>	<p>The Pact for R&I as adopted by the Council defined global engagement as one of its priorities. The action would guarantee that our ERA policies take into account the international dimension, as a cross-cutting and fundamental characteristic of the research enterprise. As such, it contributes to a stronger Europe in the world, one of the key priorities of the Von der Leyen Commission.</p> <p>Co-creation is ensured through the Standing Subgroup on the Global Approach.</p>
Additional information <i>(For example, timing and milestones, which already could be envisaged, can be indicated.)</i>	<p>n/a</p>