

## ERA-MIN Joint Call 2017 pre-announcement

“Raw materials for the sustainable development and the circular economy”

### Highlights

- **1 February 2017** - Publication of the joint call
- **5 May 2017** - Deadline for Pre-proposal submission (mandatory)
- **28 September 2017** - Deadline for Full Proposal submission
- **1 May 2018** - Starting date of transnational projects
- **Total Call budget:** €15.000.000 (including co-funding from the European Commission)
- Call documents will be available at [www.era-min.eu](http://www.era-min.eu)

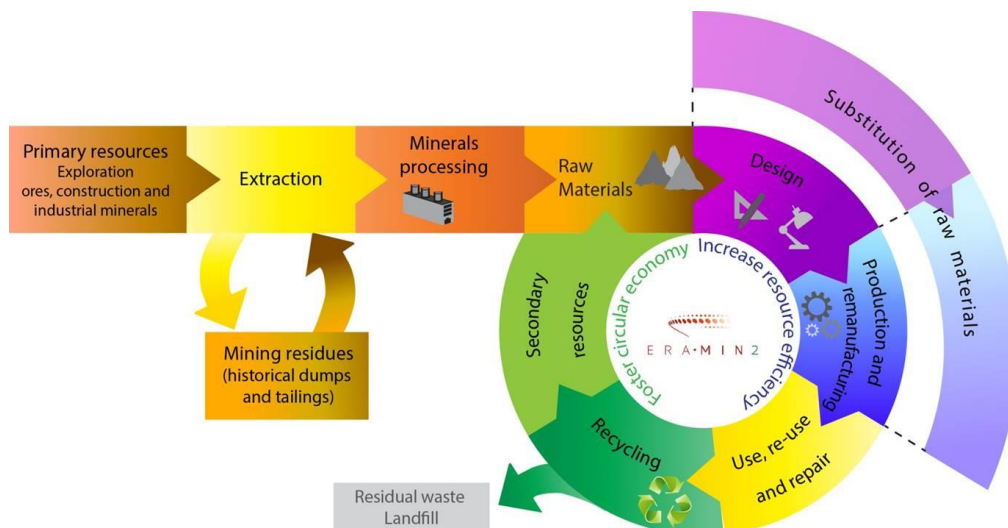
ERA-MIN 2 is a Pan-European, global, innovative and flexible network of 21 public research and innovation funding organisations of EU countries and regions and non-EU countries that aims to develop the non-energy and non-agricultural raw materials sector: construction, industrial and metallic minerals. ERA-MIN 2 will implement joint calls for collaborative transnational R&I projects building on the experience of the FP7 funded ERA-MIN which was running from 2011 until 2015 ([www.era-min-eu.org](http://www.era-min-eu.org)).

### 2017 Call scope and topics

The **scope** of the 2017 Joint Call is needs-driven research addressing all aspects of the **non-energy, non-agricultural raw materials** life cycle covering both primary and secondary resources. The thematic areas are:

Under discussion

1. Sustainable supply of **primary resources**
2. **Design** of products for circular economy
3. Resource efficient **production and remanufacturing**
4. **Recycling** of End-of-life products (Secondary resources)
5. **Cross-cutting** topics:
  - Social Licence to operate/public awareness, acceptance and trust.
  - IT based solutions for the management of primary and secondary resources.
  - Public and environmental policy.



## Some eligibility criteria and recommendations to applicants

- Eligible partners are from academia, industry, SMEs, NGOs or public authorities (subject to national/regional funding rules and regulations) from the countries and regions participating in the call.
- Consortia involving both academic and industrial organizations are particularly encouraged to apply. Other types of consortia (e.g. purely industrial or academic) may also apply.
- The duration of a project may not exceed 36 months.

## National /Regional contact persons

The participating funding organisations are the partners of ERA-MIN 2 (ministries and funding agencies) that have allocated national/regional funds for the ERA-MIN joint call 2017 to support the respective national/regional eligible institutions in transnational proposals submitted to the ERA-MIN joint call 2017.

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