

# ITEA 3 Call 7 Introduction



- Once a year ITEA offers the opportunity to submit research project proposals in the area of software innovation. For this purpose, a generic Call is organised each year starting with a brokerage event: the ITEA PO Preparation Days
- Research project proposals should fit in the domain of software innovation, but otherwise there are **no** constraints on the topic of your proposal
- Some of the project ideas presented in the PO Days stem from our yearly organised customer workshop, but the PO topics are not limited to these workshop topics



### **ITEA 3 Call process**



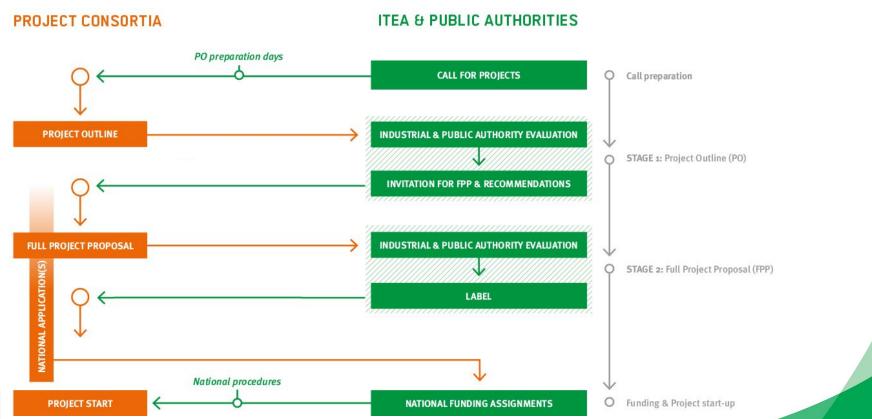
#### Two-stage Call process

- Project Outline (PO)
  - PO gives an overview of the project idea, i.e. describes the project goals,
     State-of-the-Art, innovation, targeted business impact and consortium
  - POs that are positively evaluated are invited to deliver a Full Project Proposal
- Full Project Proposal (FPP)
  - FPP covers the (improved) PO extended with an elaborated project plan
  - Approved FPPs will receive the ITEA label
- National public funding
  - When a project has received the ITEA label, the project partners can apply for public funding via a national funding programme



### **Call process in detail**





# Timeline Schedule for Call 7



•	7 September 2020	Opening of ITEA 3 Call 7
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7-11 September 2020 Online ITEA PO Preparation Days: project idea generation and partner finding

10 November 2020 (17:00 CET) **Deadline submission of PO** 

11 December 2020 Announcement of POs invited for FPP submission & rejected POs

• 15 February 2021 (17:00 CET)

**Deadline for submission of FPPs** 

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31 March 2021

Announcement of labelling results

## PO-FPP General rules & recommendations



- ITEA projects are industry driven, technically innovative and focused on business results
- EUREKA rules that are applicable to the ITEA projects and partners include the following:
  - Project consortia must have min. 2 different organisations from 2 different countries (one must be a EUREKA Member Country + another one a EUREKA Member Country or a EUREKA Associated Country).
  - Project Leader (PL) must be from an organisation established in a EUREKA Member Country or a EUREKA Associated Country
  - Partners from non-EUREKA countries may participate in a project provided all participants agree
- For more information check the Rules & Regulations on the ITEA Community website (Documents & templates / Programme Documents / Legal Documents)



#### PO-FPP

### Labelling and public funding

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- ITEA label implies that the ITEA organisation recommends the project to be funded by the Public Authorities (PAs)
- ITEA label, however, does not automatically imply funding for the project; each partner must apply for funding in its own country
- From ITEA 3 Call 3 onwards, the ITEA label awarded to an ITEA project expires after 10 months when the project has not started within this period, unless the ITEA BSG and ITAC jointly decide otherwise



#### PO-FPP

### Labelling and public funding

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- Rules for national application submission, eligibility criteria and funding possibilities differ per country and may change over time
- Contact your national funding contact for specific national recommendations and funding possibilities: <a href="https://itea3.org/funding.html">https://itea3.org/funding.html</a>.
   On 8 and 9 September several PAs will have a Country session which you can join. They will also be recorded and made available online
- Public funding is not a pre-requisite for a partner to participate in a project (i.e. own and alternative funding are accepted)
- PL should monitor the funding status of each partner country and report to the ITEA Office on it if requested



