

# Horizon Europe: Joining Forces via Living Labs for a Nature-Positive Future

## Matchmaking event



Online

**22 September, 2026**

## Preliminary agenda

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| 13:00-13:10  | <b>Welcoming remarks</b>                                                                                                     |
| 13:10-13:25  | <b>Making Living Labs credible in a Horizon Europe proposal: an evaluation perspective</b><br><i>(EC representative TBC)</i> |
| 13:25- 13:55 | <b>From planning to practice: what makes a Living Lab work?</b><br><i>(TBC)</i>                                              |
| 13:55- 14:45 | <b>Pitch session I</b><br>(followed by a short break)                                                                        |
| 14:45- 15:45 | <b>Pitch session II</b>                                                                                                      |
| 15:45- 15:50 | <b>Closing remarks</b>                                                                                                       |

### Horizon Europe calls:

- HORIZON-NATURE-2027-02-02: Living labs co-creating solutions for the restoration of ecosystems addressing implementation bottlenecks and improving resilience to risks \*
- HORIZON-NATURE-2027-02-03: Networking to scale up living labs for nature restoration solutions and to address bottlenecks to implementation \*
- [HORIZON-MISS-2027-05-SOIL-02-two-stage: Living Labs for co-creating solutions to reduce eutrophication from agriculture](#)
- [HORIZON-MISS-2027-06-SOIL-CANCER Living labs to monitor and mitigate carcinogenic substances in and originating from soils: Evaluating their effects on human cancer risks](#)
- [HORIZON-CL6-2027-01-BIODIV-04 Living Labs for the eradication and/or management of invasive alien species](#)
- [HORIZON-CL6-2027-01-BIODIV-06 Living labs driving transformative change via knowledge integration and inclusive governance](#)

\* Draft Implementing Decision – Horizon Europe work programme 2026-2027- Part 14 Horizontal Activities - amendment - version 3 - 21.05.2026

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