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## ONLINE WORKSHOP

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#### **Strengthening scientific excellence with Horizon Europe actions - ERA talents and ERC Synergy grants**

**ERA talents and ERC synergy grants** are important tools for strengthening scientific excellence and improving linkages within academic sector and between academic and non-academic sector.

**ERA talents** within horizontal pillar: Widening participation and strengthening the European Research area, aim to boost interoperability of careers and employability of research and innovation talents across different sectors, with a center of gravity in widening countries. Strengthening, upskilling and lifelong learning of human resources within R&I, improving capacity of R&I and enhancing collaboration between academia and business and other organizations from non-academic sectors for sustainable careers are the main expected impacts.

**ERC synergy grants** within pillar one: Excellence science/ European Research Council, aim to support a small group of principal investigators to jointly address ambitious research problems that could not be addressed with individual research team. Synergy projects should enable substantial advances at the frontier of knowledge, stemming, for example, from the cross-fertilization of scientific fields, from new productive lines of enquiry, or new methods and techniques, including unconventional approaches and investigations.

We are pleased to **invite you to online workshop**, with which we aim to spread the knowledge and possibilities and also possible synergies of the two presented instruments for Slovenian research organizations and for the non-academic, specially business sector.

The workshop will be held in English language.

We are looking forward to your participation in the workshop.

Ministry of Education, Science and Sport



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## BASIC INFORMATION

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| <b>WHEN</b>         | <b>Tuesday, 7<sup>th</sup> June 2022</b><br><b>9:30 till 12:00</b>   |
| <b>WHERE</b>        | <b>Online, zoom platform</b>   |
| <b>ORGANISATOR</b>  | <b>Ministry of Education, Science and Sport</b>  |
| <b>TARGET GROUP</b> | <b>Research organizations, project offices, researchers and innovators, other R&amp;I staff, business, independent research infrastructures, government, civil society organizations</b>   |
| <b>REGISTRATION</b> | <b>Register here:</b><br><b><a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/319359070577">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/319359070577</a></b><br><b>Please register by the 30<sup>th</sup> May 2022 (inclusive).</b><br><br>A practical information note (PIN) and zoom link detailing technical instructions for the workshop will be sent to registered participants before the event. |



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## AGENDA

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| <b>Moderators</b> | <b><i>Tanja Vertelj and Andreja Umek Venturini</i></b>   |
| <b>9:30</b>       | <b>Welcome address</b><br><br>Tomaž Boh, Director- General<br><br>Science Directorate, Ministry of Education, Science and Sport              |
| <b>9:40</b>       | <b>Widening national support measures</b><br><br>Tanja Vertelj, national contact point, Ministry of Education, Science and Sport             |
| <b>9:55</b>       | <b>ERA Talents</b><br><br>Stijn Delaure, Policy Officer, European Commission   |
| <b>10:30</b>      | <b>Q&amp;A</b>   |
| <b>10:45</b>      | <b>Virtual coffee break</b>  |
| <b>11:00</b>      | <b>National Support measures for the ERC</b><br><br>Andreja Umek Venturini, national contact point, Ministry of Education, Science and Sport |
| <b>11:10</b>      | <b>ERC Synergy grants</b><br><br>Guiliano Scalzi, Synergy co-call coordinator, ERCEA   |
| <b>11:50</b>      | <b>Q&amp;A</b>   |
| <b>12:00</b>      | <b>End of the workshop</b>   |