



SOLAR-ERA.NET Webinar 27 February 2014

2nd Joint call

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Objectives

- Give a brief overview of the competition
- **Give organisations an opportunity to find partners through a 2 slide pitch**



EU SET Plan Solar Energy Industry Initiative, SEII

Industry + European commission
+ member states boosting
development of PV and CSP

Commission tools:
FP7, CIP-IIIEE, EIB




**Industry driven
transnational
solar electricity
projects**

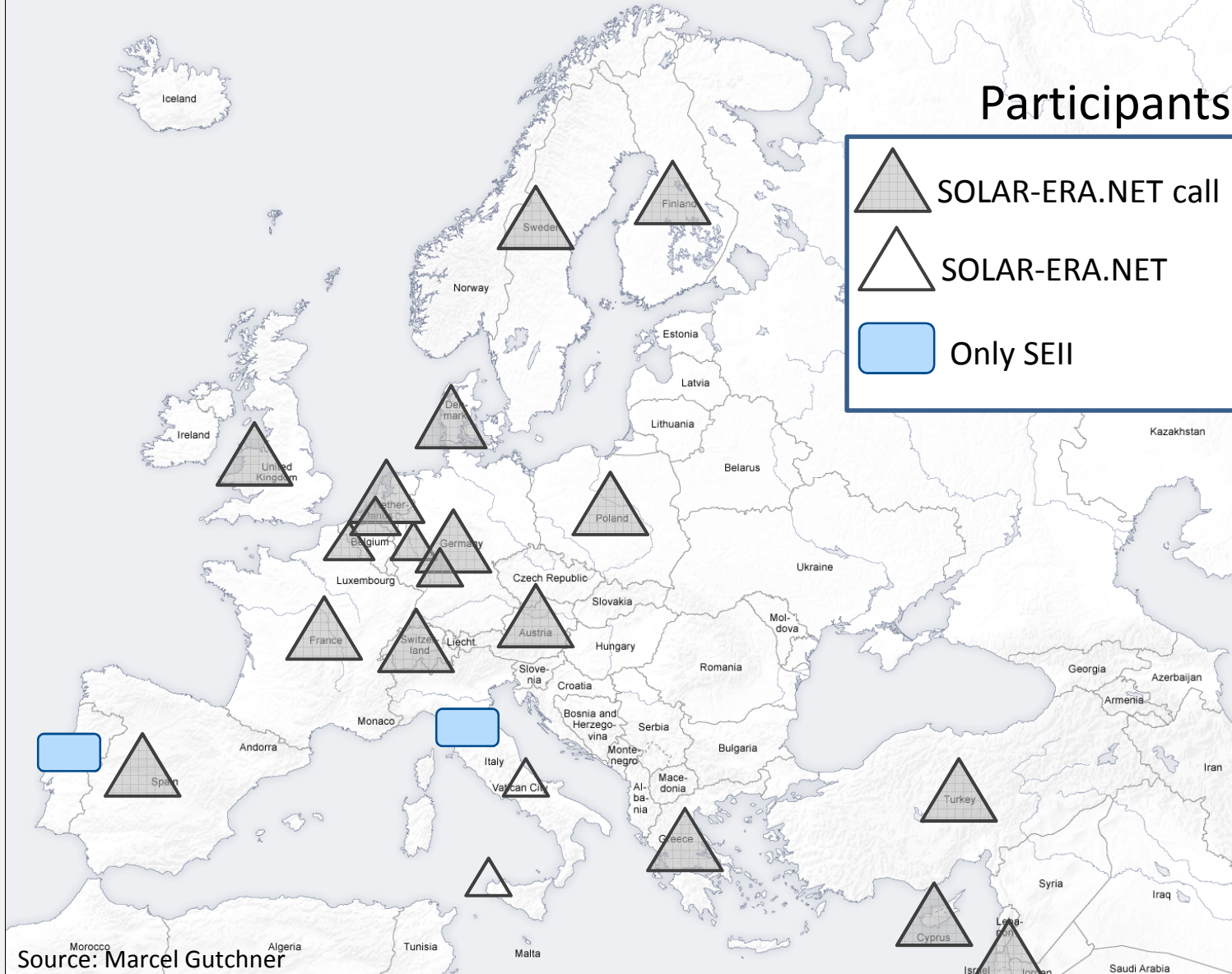
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National funding for
transnational projects
supporting the SET Plan Solar
Europe Industry Initiative



Participants

-  SOLAR-ERA.NET call
-  SOLAR-ERA.NET
-  Only SEII



Source: Marcel Gutchner



Main Principles

- Industry driven/relevant PV and CSP projects
- Minimum: 2 partners (1 from industry), 2 different countries
- National funding, criteria vary from country to country (national principles). All funding bodies do not participate in all topics,
 - Project partners must contact their national/regional contact points
- Time table:
 - Preproposals : 30 April, best proposals invited to 2nd stage
 - Full proposals: 2 October (planned), funding recommendations end of year, project start 2014
- Outline of Consortium agreement with full proposal
- Guidelines, tools (ESS), more information: www.solar-era.net



Joint Calls

Transnational SOLAR-ERA.NET Calls PV2 and CSP2

The second set of the transnational SOLAR-ERA.NET Calls PV2 and CSP2 is launched. Preproposals must be submitted [here](#) by 30 April 2014. Further information on topics, timeline, contact points, etc. is available in the documents listed on this page.

Looking for a project partner?

Check the SOLAR-ERA.NET [webinar opportunities](#).

Check the partner search list (available from 10 March 2014). Add your organisation to the list by filling in this [template](#) and send it to info@solar-era.net.

Transnational SOLAR-ERA.NET Calls PV1 and CSP1

The first set of the transnational SOLAR-ERA.NET Calls PV1 and CSP1 resulted in 60 preproposals and 21 full proposals. More information in sections "News & Events" and "Projects & Results" (once publishable summaries of projects funded will be available).

Related documents and further information

- [Guidelines for proposers](#) (pdf)
- [Evaluation form](#) (docx)
- [Preproposal form](#) and [Full proposal form](#) (pdf, for your information only, do not fill in this document but use the Electronic Submission System)
- [Implementation Plan for PV 2013-2015](#) (pdf)
- [Implementation Plan for CSP 2013-2015](#) (pdf)



Call topics:

- PV2.1 Innovative processes for inorganic thin-film cells & modules
 - PV2.2 Dedicated modules for BIPV design and manufacturing
 - PV2.3 Grid integration and large-scale deployment of PV
 - PV2.4 High-efficiency PV modules based on next generation c-Si solar cells
 - PV2.5 Solar glass and encapsulation materials
 - PV2.6 Concentrator PV technology
 - PV2.7 Si feedstock, crystallization and wafering
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- CSP2.1 Cost reduction and efficiency increase in components
 - CSP2.2 Dispatchability through storage and hybridisation
 - CSP2.3 New fluids for CSP plants
 - CSP2.4 Innovative thermodynamic cycles



SOLAR-ERA.NET Transnational Calls PV2 and CSP2

Guidelines for Proposers



**National / regional
specifications**



Projects

- Duration maximum 36 months
- Aim is to fund industrially relevant transnational RTD and innovation projects. Projects must demonstrate clear industrial benefit and present a clear exploitation and market plan during and beyond the funded duration of the project.
 - Potential commercial impact/ relevance to industrial and market needs/ contribution to SET Plan SEII and added transnational value
 - Scientific and technological excellence
 - Quality and efficiency of the implementation and management