SELEZIONE PUBBLICA, PER TITOLI ED ESAMI, PER IL RECLUTAMENTO DI N. 1 UNITÀ DI TECNOLOGO DI SECONDO LIVELLO CATEGORIA D - POSIZIONE ECONOMICA D3, CON RAPPORTO DI LAVORO SUBORDINATO A TEMPO DETERMINATO, DELLA DURATA DI 24 MESI, PRESSO IL DIPARTIMENTO DI ECONOMIA, MANAGEMENT E METODI QUANTITATIVI, PER LO SVOLGIMENTO DI ATTIVITÀ DI SUPPORTO TECNICO E AMMINISTRATIVO COME FIGURA DI PROJECT MANAGER DEDICATA AL SUPPORTO DELLA RICERCA FONDI E ALL'IDENTIFICAZIONE DELLE PRINCIPALI CALL IN CORSO E A FORNIRE SUPPORTO SPECIFICO NELLA STESSA DI DOMANDE PER FONDI DI RICERCA NELL'AMBITO DEL PROGETTO DIPARTIMENTO DI ECCELLENZA CHE HA COME OBIETTIVO QUELLO DI SVILUPPARE LE INFRASTRUTTURE PER LA RICERCA E IN PARTICOLARE LO SVILUPPO DI UN CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN ECONOMICS AND DATA SCIENCE E DEL RELATIVO UFFICIO PROGETTO DIPARTIMENTO DI ECCELLENZA.
BANDITA CON DETERMINA N. 12056/18 DEL 28.08.2018, PUBBLICATA SUL SITO INTERNET DELL'ATENEO IN DATA 28.08.2018 - CODICE 19412

La Commissione giudicatrice della selezione, nominata con determina n. 13123/2018 del 25/09/2018, così composta:

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Comunica le tracce relative alla prima prova.

TEMA n. 1
Considerate il seguente tema oggetto di una call Horizon 2020:
Transformative impact of disruptive technologies in public services
Specific Challenge: The challenge is to assess the potential benefits and risks of using disruptive technologies in public administrations as well as the social impact, including the impact on public servants, of using them for government processes and governance (e.g. for registers, for archiving, for decision-making processes, etc.). In addition, the political, socio-economic, legal and cultural implications of disruptive technologies and their acceptance are important not only for public administrations, but also for citizens.
Scope: The use of disruptive technologies (such as block-chain, big data analytics, Internet of Things, virtual reality, augmented reality, artificial intelligence, algorithmic techniques, simulations and gamification) in public administrations, public goods, public governance, public engagement, public-private partnerships, public third sector partnerships and policy impact assessment is growing and can be very beneficial. Yet, the real potential impact of such technologies and the ways in which they can disrupt the existing landscape of public services and legal procedures and can replace present solutions and processes are largely unknown. As a result, deploying these disruptive technologies in public administration requires a thorough assessment of their potential impact, benefits and risks for the delivery of public goods. Proposals should pilot the technology and should engage multidisciplinary partners, stakeholders and users to examine how emerging technologies can impact the public sector (including the impact on public servants and the relation between public services and citizens) and explore in a wide-ranging fashion the issues surrounding the use of these technologies in the public sector.
Proposals should also lead to the development of business plans that would ensure the long-term sustainability of the services offered based on the used technology.
The Commission considers that proposals requesting a contribution from the EU of between EUR 3 and 4 million would allow this specific challenge to be addressed appropriately. Nonetheless, this does not preclude submission and selection of proposals requesting other amounts.
Expected Impact: The action will enable public authorities to develop pathways for the introduction of disruptive technologies while also addressing the societal challenges raised by such technologies. Based on a thorough understanding of users’ needs, the action will enhance knowledge on digital democracy; develop new ways of providing public services, of ensuring public governance and of boosting public engagement with the help of disruptive technologies. It will also contribute to developing new practices, to optimising work processes and to integrating evidence-based decision-making processes in public services and in services such as health, education, social welfare and mobility.

Type of Action: Research and Innovation action

In riferimento alla specifica call presentata sopra, e supponendo di dovere presentare domanda per questo progetto:

1) Compilate (in lingua inglese) lo schema che trovate nell’allegato “Template tabella” presente nella cartella Home Esaminatore, utilizzando le linee guida fornite nel file LFM_Allegato1.pdf che trovate nella vostra cartella Home Esaminatore.

2) Spiegate brevemente come sviluppereste una strategia di disseminazione per questo progetto.

3) Che caratteristiche dovrebbero avere i membri di un consorzio costituito per partecipare a questo tipo di progetto (quali caratteristiche credete sarebbero più apprezzate dai valutatori)?

4) In generale, spiegate brevemente la differenza tra programmi di finanziamento della ricerca di tipo “bottom-up” e “top-down”? A quale di queste due categorie appartiene la call riportata sopra?

5) Elenicate almeno tre programmi di finanziamento della ricerca, nazionali o internazionali, di cui siete conoscenza.

TEMA n. 2
Considerate il seguente tema oggetto di una call Horizon 2020:
Social and economic effects of migration in Europe and integration policies
Specific Challenge: A greater understanding of the social and economic effects and impacts of migration in Europe is needed in order to obtain an objective overview of developments and to address misperceptions. In light of recent and current migratory flows, an assessment of integration policies and efforts is equally important for ensuring their effectiveness in promoting the integration and inclusion of migrants in host societies.

Scope: Proposals should take stock of the long-term effects of migration at EU aggregate and cross-national level on economic growth and productivity, employment levels and wages, entrepreneurship, and fiscal and welfare impacts. They should analyse policies related to the integration of migrants, including refugees. Particular attention should be paid to gender and vulnerable groups such as unaccompanied children and stateless persons. Attention should be also paid to economic, human capital and cultural factors in relation to the integration outcomes of different groups of migrants and the social impact of segregation. Furthermore, proposals should analyse the local and interactional dimension of integration processes and their effects on the provision of local services, workplace conditions, productivity and innovation. They should comparatively examine integration policies (labour market, education, health, civil rights, social welfare, housing, family policies, etc.), and the role of transnational institutions and networks in shaping integration at a local scale. In addition, they should estimate the efficiency, effectiveness and social impact of such policies and highlight best practices and relevant benchmarks, building on the extensive knowledge that already exists in the EU2. Finally, an understanding of past and historical experiences of integrating migrant communities, and what these can tell us about current challenges, should also be assessed. Interdisciplinary research with combined insights from disciplines such as sociology, economics, history, anthropology, cultural studies and psychology among others is needed.

The Commission considers that proposals requesting a contribution from the EU in the order of EUR 3 million would allow this specific challenge to be addressed appropriately. Nonetheless, this does not preclude submission and selection of proposals requesting other amounts.

Expected Impact: The action will improve the knowledge base on the socio-economic effects of migration. It will provide solutions and recommendations for strengthening the effectiveness of policies targeting the
integration of migrants. It will also contribute to building comprehensive strategies for integration across EU Member states, conducive to socially inclusive economic growth.

Type of Action: Research and Innovation action

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2) Spiegate brevemente come sviluppereste una strategia di disseminazione per questo progetto.

3) Che caratteristiche dovrebbero avere i membri di un consorzio costituito per partecipare a questo tipo di progetto (quali caratteristiche credete sarebbero più apprezzate dai valutatori)?

4) In generale, spiegate brevemente la differenza tra programmi di finanziamento della ricerca di tipo “bottom-up” e “top-down”? A quale di queste due categorie appartiene la call riportata sopra?

5) Elicite almeno tre programmi di finanziamento della ricerca, nazionali o internazionali, di cui siete conoscenza.

TEMA n. 3
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Considerate il seguente tema oggetto di una call Horizon 2020:
Addressing populism and boosting civic and democratic engagement

Specific Challenge: Mainstream political parties are being increasingly perceived as not addressing adequately the challenges faced by the EU and its Member States. At the same time, support for populist parties, movements and ideas is on the rise. The challenge is to analyse the phenomenon of populism and its consequences for European democracies and the European project. In addition, innovative ways of understanding and addressing the causes of populism as well as strategies for strengthening democratic values and practices need to be identified.

Scope: Proposals should analyse populism comprehensively, drawing also on historical and comparative perspectives, philosophical, sociological, cultural and gender-based explanations, and foresight. They should also examine whether and how populism is related to structural socio-economic mutations or destabilisations of political-economic paradigms. The evolving character and emergence of new political parties as well as the role played by both traditional and social media and public opinion should be studied, including changes in political and social functions over time. The significance of charismatic leaders for the cause of populism should also be considered as well as other factors such as perceptions of elitism and establishments, which may attract citizens to populist movements. A central question should be how the potential of groups under-represented in public affairs, particularly younger citizens, to engage in public affairs and their civil responsibilities could be harnessed for constructive democratic engagement. The role of schools, local communities and digital media should be considered as well as new forms participation.

Proposals should also assess to what extent populism in Europe is tied up with negative orientations (e.g. anti-globalisation, anti-EU, anti-immigrants, anti-minorities), a sense of nostalgia or nativeness, and nationalist ideologies. Research should also investigate in which ways populism in Europe may be a transnational phenomenon and how it may have been affected by European integration. Comparisons between manifestations of populism inside and outside Europe, and over time, may be made. Research should also assess actions that have been taken to counter populism as well as how populism affects the policy-making process.

The Commission considers that proposals requesting a contribution from the EU in the order of EUR 3 million would allow this specific challenge to be addressed appropriately. Nonetheless, this does not preclude submission and selection of proposals requesting other amounts.
Expected Impact: The action will enhance the knowledge base on populism in comparative and historical perspective. It will develop indicators as well as medium to long-term scenarios on the consequences of populism, which will support policies, narrative construction and other actions to address the phenomenon.

Type of Action: Research and Innovation action

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2) Spiegate brevemente come svolgereste una strategia di disseminazione per questo progetto.

3) Che caratteristiche dovrebbero avere i membri di un consorzio costituito per partecipare a questo tipo di progetto (quali caratteristiche credete sarebbero più apprezzate dai valutatori)?

4) In generale, spiegate brevemente la differenza tra programmi di finanziamento della ricerca di tipo “bottom-up” e “top-down”? A quale di queste due categorie appartiene la call riportata sopra?

5) Elencate almeno tre programmi di finanziamento della ricerca, nazionali o internazionali, di cui siete conoscenza.

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