

EMERGE-EU BIODIVERSITY

NETWORKING VISIT FOR EMERGING RESEARCHERS

📍 Brussels, Belgium
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Funding opportunities



EU Policy perspectives



Extensive networking



Study visit



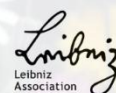
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RESEARCH FOR A NATURE-POSITIVE EUROPE

Biodiversity and ecosystem services support food security, water resilience, healthy soils and climate stability. **EMERGE-EU: Biodiversity** will connect biodiversity research with EU policy, funding opportunities and international collaboration. This networking visit will bring together researchers who are building or consolidating their scientific independence to explore EU funding opportunities for research and innovation, facilitate research partners search and strengthen international cooperation.

WHO SHOULD JOIN

Researchers at R2 / early R3 level working on biodiversity and related areas who want to expand their European networks, understand funding pathways and develop ideas for international collaboration.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

1. EU policy landscape for biodiversity
2. ERC proposal insights and exchange with an evaluator
3. Sessions on MSCA, COST, EIC Pathfinder and Horizon Europe 2027
4. Participant pitches and three structured matchmaking rounds
5. Site-visit to a Belgian research institution

ABOUT EMERGE-EU

EMERGE-EU is a joint initiative of Brussels-based research and innovation liaison offices. It supports emerging research leaders through international networking, practical funding knowledge and direct engagement with Europe's research and innovation ecosystem.

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