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# Open Call Launch Milan

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### Outline

- 1. EU projects involving Milan
- 2. Synchronicity project
- 3. The Open Call

# **EU Projects involving Milan**





# Synchronicity project

SynchroniCity opens up a global IoT market where cities and businesses develop share digital services to improve the lives of citizen and grow local economies.

20 m€ (3 m€ Open Call); 39 partners; 13 Countries; 36months

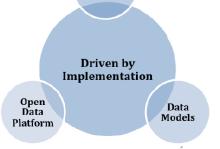
Horizon 2020 Pillar: Industrial Leadership

Cross-cutting activities

Call: Internet of Things

European Large-Scale Pilots Programme

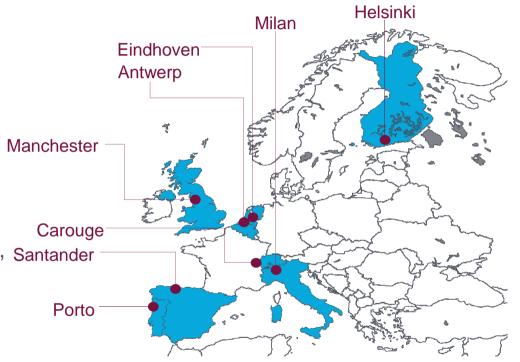
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Common

### Pilot cities

- Pilot cities: Antwerp (BE), Eindhoven
   (NL), Helsinki (FI), Manchester (UK),
   Milan (IT), Porto (PT), Santander (ES),
   Carouge (CH)
- Linked cities: Léon (Mexico),
   Seongnam (Korea), Bordeaux (France), Santander
   Portland (USA)
- Network: OASC, AIOTI, EIP-SCC, FIWARE, FIRE.



# Objectives of the Open Call

- Validate the SynchroniCity vision and technical framework as a model for large scale standards-based innovation and procurement of IoT-enabled services for cities and communities.
- Demonstrate that the Synchronicity framework enables the replicability and scalability of human-centered IoT solutions across cities, proving sustainable business models and thus reducing the risk for investment on this solutions at large scale.
- Attract new players of the city ecosystem to become part of the SynchroniCity digital single market ensuring its expansion and sustainability.
- Inform and influence European and global standard developing organisations to shape and adopt new smart city standards.

### Who is it for?



Lead SMEs can apply alone or in a pilot group



New Cities and Large Businesses can only apply in a Pilot Group



#### **SMEs**

- Lead SME: IoT applications or full-stack solutions
- Not Lead SME: complementary to Lead SME, either IoT enabled or expert knowledge on the application
- Solutions that have already been demonstrated in a relevant environment (TRL≥6)

New cities wanting to become part of Synchronicity

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Synchronicity

**Pilot Groups** 

Lead SME + SME and/or City and/or Large Business

### Main characteristics?



3M€ Open Call



Selection of 10-25 city solutions



Piloting in at least 2 cities simultaneously (but preferably more)

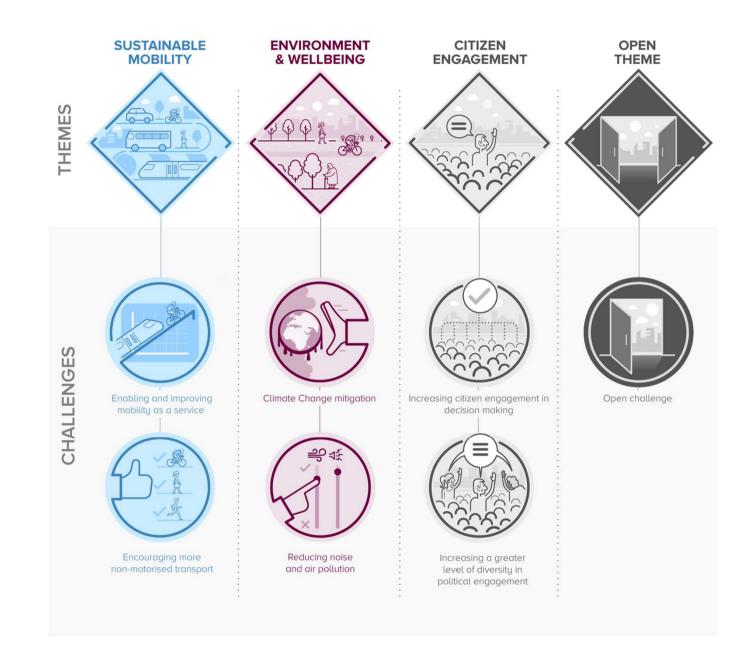


Up to 6 month demonstration period

#### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

- Application submitted on time (Deadline: 30 Sep 2018, 17:00 CEST)
- Application led by an SME
- The status of SME applicants must be conformant with the EU definition of Small and Medium Enterprises.
- The SME proposal is providing an IoT enabled application or a full stack solution (infrastructure + middleware +application)
- Completeness of the proposals (i.e. fields as well as page limit)
- The language of the applications (i.e. English)
- Letter of support of new cities to the respective Pilot Group
- Non-affiliation with SynchroniCity consortium partners that may lead to a conflict of interest (i.e. Declaration of honour to be signed only if selected)
- Compliance with SynchroniCity Ethics & Privacy guidelines
- Within the scope of the call
- The inclusion of eligible activities for funding.

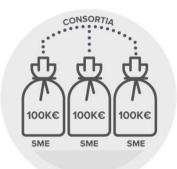
# Scope



# Scope by cities

	Core Pilot Cities	Annes	Corollo	Finohoves	HOLSINK	Moncha	Milon	Porto	Santonolos
Theme	Challenge								
SUSTAINABLE	Enabling and improving MaaS	•		•	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	•
	Encouraging more non-motorised transport	•	<b>\</b>	•	<b>♦</b>	•	<b>*</b>		•
CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT	Increasing citizen engagement in decision making		<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>
	Increasing a greater level of diversity in political engagement		•	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>		•	<b>\rightarrow</b>
ENVIRONMENT & WELLBEING	Climate change mitigation	•	•	•	<b>*</b>	•	•	•	
	Reducing noise and air pollution	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
OPEN THEME	Open Challenge	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>*</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>♦</b>	<b>*</b>

# **Funding**



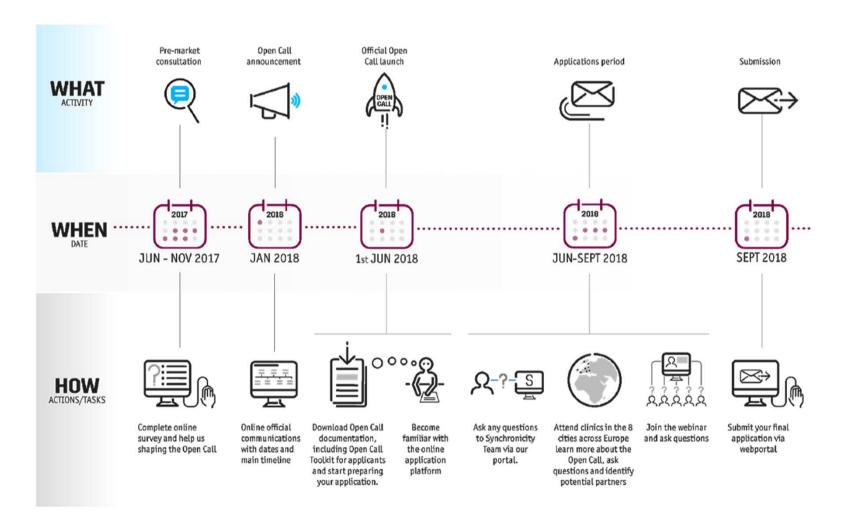
Each application can be funded with:

- up to €100.000 if an SME applies alone
- up to €200.000 for a Pilot Group of 2 organisations
- up to €300.000 for a Pilot Group of 3 organisations or more

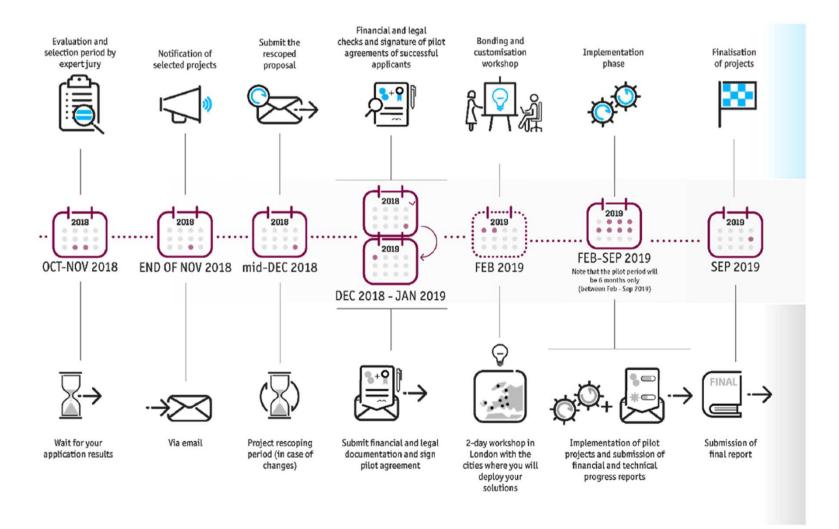
SMEs, cities and large businesses that are not from EU or H2020 associated countries are welcome to participate in the open call but are not eligible for funding.

- Co-fund 80% of the individual total budget. The remaining 20% must be provided by the applicants either as in-kind support or by bringing in funding to the project.
- Cities and large businesses eligible for funding can claim a maximum of €60.000 of the total allocated budget for fundable activities.

### **Timeline**



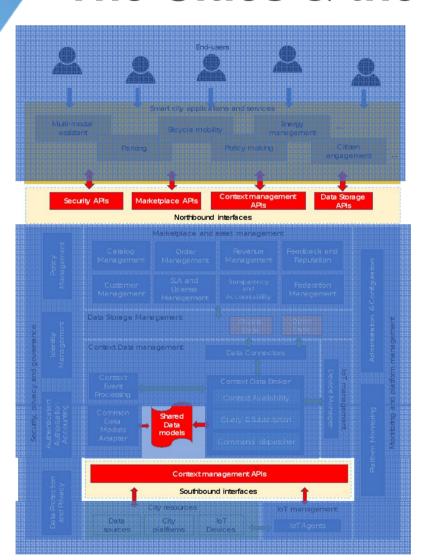
### **Timeline**



### **Common Technical Ground**

- Neutral branding (OASC –based on standards and consensus specifications)
- 2. Minimal Interoperability Mechanisms (MIMs)
  - Open APIs
  - Common data models
  - Objective: interoperability, replicability, reuse
- 3. Reference implementation (standards-based)
- 4. Hosted cloud option

#### The Cities & the Technical Framework



Interoperability Points represent the main interfaces that allow a city and IoT solutions to interact with SynchroniCity platform

Cities are currently becoming compliant with the SynchroniCity framework.

You will need to regularly check the website for live updates

https://synchronicity-iot.eu/open iot.eu/open /pilot-cities

### How am I going to be evaluated?

#### **Excellence (0-5 points)**

 What is the vision, ambition and value proposition of your solution? Is your project proposition clear in meeting the objectives of the call?

#### Impact (0-5 points)

 Does your project address a challenge recognised or prioritised by the cities? Who will benefit from the implementation of your solution or service and how? How will your solution impact the life of citizens and communities?

#### Feasibility (0-5 points)

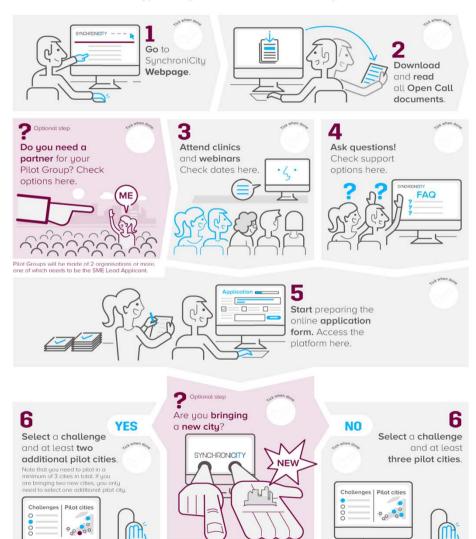
Can you demonstrate that the project is feasible within the budget? If it is not, can you demonstrate
that you have the additional necessary resources to make it feasible? Is the budget clearly
described?

#### **Sustainability (0-5 points)**

 How credible is your methodology in proving the scalability of product/service? What's your exploitation/commercialisation plan for this solution? How clear is your revenue model and monetisation strategy? Will your solution support the goal of creating more jobs across Europe?

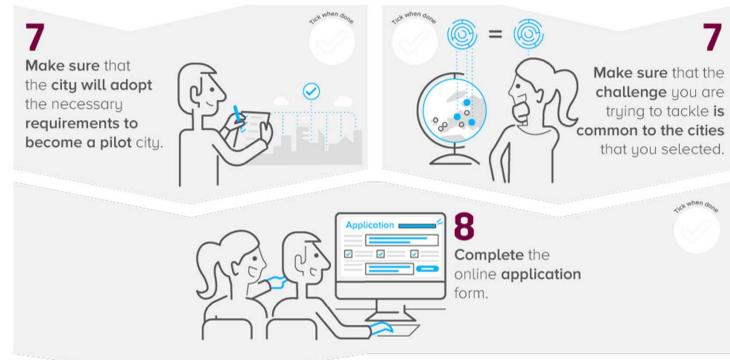
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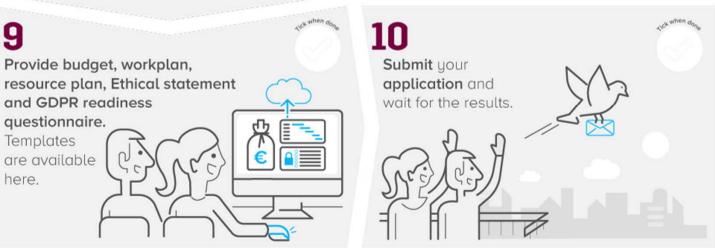
#### SYNCHRONICITY Application process for SMEs and Pilot Groups



Cities from all over the world are welcome to apply in Pilot Group with SMEs, Only Cities from EU and H2020

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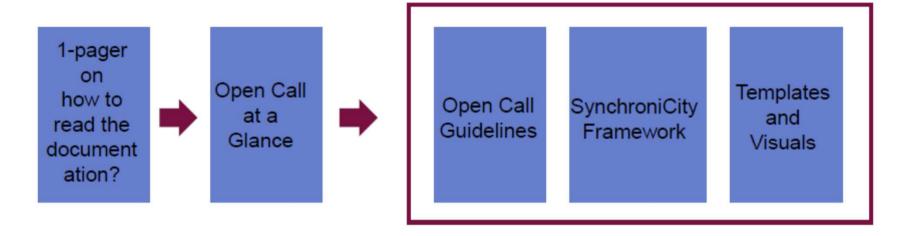




### What next?

- Download the Open Call Toolkit for Applicants package
  - For SME and Large Business Applicants
  - For New City Applicants

1<sup>st</sup> June 4 pm UK time



Only read if you want to apply for the open call

## Support during the application

OPEN FORUM

Ask questions or review answers to previous questions. This repository will be the quickest way to find answers.

HELPDESK

helpdesk@syn chronicityiot.eu For private questions. CLINICS

Launch Event and
Clinic where
applicants will receive
support in person
during the open call
application period.

WEBINARS

There will be two webinars for those applicants that cannot physically attend some of the Launch Events and Clinics. CONNECT

Section on the website
to facilitate the
encounter of other
SMEs and partners
which want to
participate in the open
call. It is though the
responsibility of each
applicant to find the right
partner if they wish to

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