



Funding opportunities offered by LIFE programme



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There are several funding opportunities
under LIFE programme



- **LIFE Regulation (1293/2013)**
- **Multi Annual Work Programme (MAWP) 2018-2020**
- **Model Grant agreement (including the General Conditions)**
 - **Application Guides**
 - **Evaluation Guides**

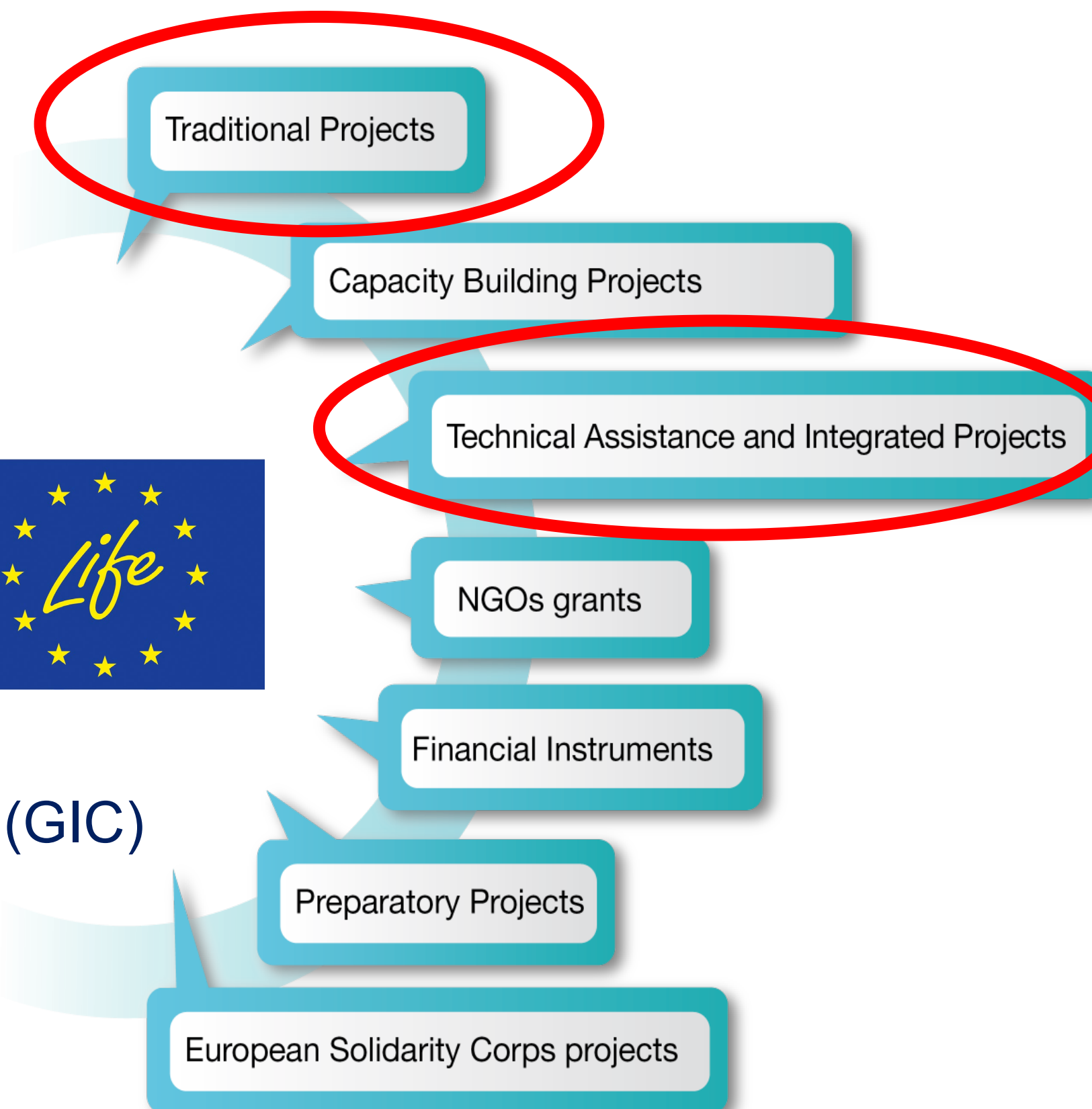
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Integrated Projects are designed to:

- (a) to **implement plans and strategies** for example:

Air Quality Plans, greenhouse gas mitigation strategies, low carbon economy roadmaps or urban action plans pioneering the transition to a low carbon
- (b) at **large territorial scales**
- (c) with **full engagement of all the concerned stakeholders** and
- (d) **aiming at mobilising significant additional sources** of funding to further support the implementation of the ambitious EU environment and climate policy framework.



2019 Call for proposals for LIFE Integrated Projects. How to apply:

Concept Notes to be submitted by **05 September 2019**

More information how to apply:

<https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/section/life/2019-call-proposals-integrated-projects>

Specific questions on Integrated Projects: EASME-LIFE-ENQUIRIES@ec.europa.eu

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LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Climate Change Mitigation (CCM) priority area, relevant policy areas:

Member States' and regional/ local authorities' efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the sectors **not** covered in the EU Emissions Trading System but covered by the Effort Sharing Decision (EU) 406/2009 and subsequent legislation: transport and fuels, agriculture, construction (e.g. energy efficiency in buildings), land use, land-use change and forestry;

The development and implementation of greenhouse gas accounting and climate change mitigation in the land use sector;

The development of land management practices which have an impact on emissions and removals of emissions;

Actions which enhance the functioning of the emissions trading system and which have an impact on energy and greenhouse gas intensive industrial production;

Greenhouse gas monitoring and reporting by authorities.



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Climate Change Governance and Information (GIC) priority area, targeted policy areas:

The following European policy areas **listed below are encouraged (list is non-exhaustive):**

- **Development and implementation of national 2030 climate and energy strategies and/or mid-century strategies;**
- **Incentivize behavioral change, mainstream emission reduction and resource efficiency actions in sectors;**
- **Assessment by authorities of the functioning of the EU ETS**



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Climate Action sub-programme.

How to apply:

- One stage application procedure: full proposal to be submitted
- Submission deadline: **12 September 2019**
- More information on the call:

<https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/section/life/2019-life-call-proposals-traditional-projects-climate-action>

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LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Environment and Resource Efficiency (ENV) priority area, relevant thematic priorities:

Activities for the implementation of the specific objectives for air and emissions in the Roadmap for a Resource-Efficient Europe and the 7th Environment Action Programme, in particular:

- (i) integrated approaches to the implementation of Air quality legislation;
- (ii) facilitate compliance with Union air quality and related air emissions standards including the National Emissions Ceilings Directive⁵⁰;
- (iii) enhanced implementation of the Industrial Emissions Directive, with a special emphasis on improving BAT definition and implementation process, ensuring easy public access to information and enhancing the contribution of the IED to innovation.



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Environment and Resource Efficiency (ENV) priority area, relevant project topics:

Priority will be therefore given to the following projects (non-exhaustive list):

Air quality legislation and the NEC Directive

- **Air quality improvement and emission reduction of particulate matter (PM)** in areas with high use of solid fuel like biomass, coal, and peat for domestic heating.
- **Sustainable road transport mobility** aiming at emissions of air pollutants, the reduction of which is essential for helping meet air quality standards

Industrial Emissions Directive

- Application of **pollution prevention and abatement techniques** referred to in the Industrial Emissions Directive as emerging techniques.

Urban environment

- Implementation of integrated urban policies and regulatory approaches for sustainable planning and design and/or for supporting innovative technical solutions to improve at least one of the following aspects: urban public transport and mobility, energy or resource efficiency or no-/low-emission renewable energy or materials solutions, local food production and/or the condition of urban ecosystems and their services



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Environment and Resource Efficiency (ENV) priority area.

How to apply:

- Two stage application procedure: concept note (stage 1) + full proposal (stage 2)
- Submission deadline: **17 June 2019** (ENV)
- More information on the call:

<https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/section/life/2019-life-call-proposals-traditional-projects-environment-and-resource-efficiency>



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Environmental Governance & Information (GIE) priority area, relevant thematic priorities & topics:

Information, communication and awareness raising campaigns

Activities in support of effective control process as well as measures to promote compliance

- Improving environmental information systems operated by public authorities for electronically collecting, processing, storing and sharing environmental information

- Improving the capacity and quality of public administration in relation to plans, programmes, analyses, reviews and assessments and/or to permits, derogations, and other decisions on specific activities

Supporting environmental compliance assurance by developing and implementing or implementing existing cross-border, national or regional risk-based strategies to **promote, check and enforce compliance** through use of a mix of administrative law, criminal law and environmental liability



LIFE 2019 call for proposals, Environmental Information and Governance.

How to apply:

- Two stage application procedure: concept note (stage 1) + full proposal (stage 2)
- Submission deadline: **19 June 2019** (GIE)
- More information on the call:

<https://ec.europa.eu/easme/en/section/life/2019-life-call-proposals-traditional-projects-environmental-governance-information>

- LIFE info day in Brussels: 30 April 2019
- Several information events organised across the EU by the National Contact Points

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Thank you and good luck.



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