

Innovate UK ICT & FET NCP

Driller 2016-17 updated with FET actions - access via [URL](#)

H2020 related Events & Info Days

H2020 ICT & FET - Brussels Info Days in January 2016

See updated table of events at: <http://www.ictic.org/b/news-files/12-11-15%20News.pdf>

NB: Register to avoid disappointment as deadlines may be quite short.

H2020 UK ICT thematic events + FET Workshop - Slidesets & Video sessions

Access all post-event material at: <http://www.ictic.org/b/news-files/5-10%20news.pdf>

H2020 related News, Reports, Consultations, Other

H2020 Robotics - Updated Multi-annual Roadmap (MAR)

SPARC have updated the MAR to reflect the Topics ICT-25 and ICT-26 of the LET-ICT WP 2016-17. Essential reading for proposers. MAR is available via [this URL](#).

FET FAQs at the H2020 Portal

Q&As can be accessed via the URL below. You can run queries by using "FETOPEN" or "FETPROACT" in the text box to get the relevant content.

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/support/faq.html>

FET Newsletter edition December 2015

Access the newsletter at: <http://bit.ly/FETnlDec2015>. Includes an [outlook of FET events](#).

H2020 - Linking research with Standardisation

Interaction between research and standardisation is becoming essential. The below "checklist for proposers" enables you to capture those interaction(s) early on:

<http://www.cencenelec.eu/research/news/publications/Publications/BRIDGIT-NCP-guide.pdf>

First Call launched for the EU-China Research and Innovation Co-Funding Mechanism (CFM)

The CFM is intended to support mainland China-based research and innovation organisations participating in Horizon 2020 projects. Two deadlines are foreseen for 2016: 31 March and 31 July 2016, with a total budget of 200 million RMB or 28 M€. Check call for eligibility and other information: <http://ec.europa.eu/research/iscp/index.cfm?pg=china>

Draft Quantum Manifesto for Europe

Contact the NCP ICT-FET if you are interested to provide input to the current draft version (input to reach EC by 10th Jan 2016). The final version will be presented for official consultation and endorsement around early February 2016 and will be officially launched at the Quantum Europe Conference in Amsterdam.

Video session - Patents and royalties: stifling or promoting innovation in ICT?

A recent event organised by Bruegel. Video session at the URL: <http://bruegel.org/events/patents-and-royalties-stifling-or-promoting-innovation-in-ict/>