

2025 Coordination meeting of EOSC-related projects funded under Horizon Europe

June 26-27, 2025

CDMA Building. Rue du Champs de Mars 21
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AGENDA

Introduction: This will be the fourth edition of the Coordination meeting of projects funded under Horizon Europe working towards the development of the European Open Science Cloud (EOSC).

EOSC is currently in a significant transition, shifting from its preparatory phase to becoming an operational infrastructure, signifying a major milestone in the collective efforts of the EOSC Partnership. Past coordination meetings have been useful in fostering collaboration among various consortia and providing insight into the EOSC Partnership and its tripartite steering mechanism. As we move forward, this meeting aims to strengthen these established connections, engage ongoing projects from previous years, and integrate contributions from new projects funded under the 2024 calls.

33 projects in total are expected to participate in the 2025 edition of the coordination meeting.

Meeting objectives:

- To deepen the collaboration between the consortia involved in EOSC-related projects funded under Horizon Europe, the EOSC Association and the EC in the context of implementing the EOSC European Partnership and its [Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda](#) (SRIA).
- To provide an update of the contributions made by projects consortia, the EOSC-A and the EC towards achieving the strategic and operational objectives of the SRIA.
- To provide an update on the progress of the EOSC Federation build-up phase and to discuss the challenges and next steps for the implementation of EOSC as fully operational, federated infrastructure that enables the sharing of FAIR data and services across borders and disciplines.

Participants:

- European Commission, DG RTD; A4 Unit - Open Science and Research Infrastructures.
- European Commission, DG CNECT; C1 Unit - Open Science and Digital Modelling.
- Research Executive Agency, REA; C4 Unit - Reforming European R&I and Research Infrastructures).
- EOSC Association.
- 2 representatives per invited project. **33 projects** in total (full list in Annex).

Agenda

DAY 1 – June 26. 09:00 -17:30 h

<p>Session 1: Welcome & Opening 09-09:45 h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> European Commission <i>Jean-David Malo, Acting Director, European Research Area and Innovation</i> <i>Michael Arentoft, Head of Unit Open Science and Research Infrastructures.</i> EOSC Association. <i>Karel Luyben, President of the EOSC-A.</i> 	
<p>Session 2: Building up the EOSC Federation: state of play Part 1: 09:45- 10:45h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Update on the EOSC EU Node. <i>Peter Szegedi, DG CNECT, European Commission.</i> Status of the EOSC Federation Build-up Group. <i>Bob Jones, Co-Chair of the EOSC Federation Build-up Group.</i> 	
BREAK 10:45 –11 :15h	
<p>Session 3: Presentation of new INFRAEOSC projects. 11:15- 12:45h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Presentation of projects funded under 2024 INFRAEOSC Calls: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> FAIR2Adapt CLIMATE-ADAPT4EOSC FIDELIS EOSC EDEN DataGEMS LUMEN EOSC Data Commons RAISE Suite 	
LUNCH BREAK: 12:45 – 14:15h (offered on-site).	
<p>Session 4: Perspectives on the EOSC Federation 14:15 -15:45h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> EC support to next steps of the EOSC Federation. <i>Pantelis Tziveloglou, EOSC Team Leader at DG.RTD, European Commission.</i> Contributions by projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Coordination and support actions: <i>EOSC Gravity and EOSC United.</i> Use cases of the build-up phase: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Alessandro Rizzo, FAIR-EASE</i> <i>Pasquale Pagano, Blue-Cloud 2026</i> <i>Björn Grüning, EuroScienceGateway</i> 	
BREAK 15:45 – 16:15	
<p>Session 5: Breakout sessions by topic 16:15 – 17:30h</p>	

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sustaining project results in the EOSC Federation – needs and gaps. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Moderator: <i>Ilaria Nardello, EOSC-A</i> ○ Intro talk 1: <i>Fotis Psomopoulos, EVERSE</i> ○ Intro talk 2: <i>Andy Götz, EOSC-A & ESRF</i> ○ Rapporteur: <i>Peter Maccallum, EOSC-ENTRUST</i> 2. Broadening the adoption and uptake of project results by scientific communities and beyond. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Moderator: <i>Salvador Capella, EOSC4Cancer.</i> ○ Intro talk 1: <i>Álvaro López García, AI4EOSC</i> ○ Intro talk 2: <i>Evdokimos Konstantinidis, RAISE & RAISE Suite</i> ○ Rapporteur: <i>Friederike Schmidt-Tremmel, OSCARS</i> 3. EOSC Interoperability: progress, challenges and opportunities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Moderator: <i>Ingrid Dillo, FAIR-IMPACT [tbc]</i> ○ Intro talk 1: <i>Paolo Manghi, SciLake.</i> ○ Intro talk 2: <i>Mark Dietrich, EOSC Beyond.</i> ○ Rapporteur: <i>Simon Hodson, WorldFAIR.</i> 	
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19h. SOCIAL EVENT, offered by the EOSC Association.

[Brasserie Surréaliste](#), [Pl. du Nouveau Marché aux Grains 23, 1000 Bruxelles.](#)

Day 2 -- June 27. 09-13h

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Session 6: Plenary discussion of Breakout session 09 - 10:00h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reporting from Break-out sessions + open discussion. 	
Session 7: Collaboration activities within the EOSC Partnership 10-11:00h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Opportunity Areas and inter-project collaboration activities. 	
BREAK 11:00 – 11:30	
Session 8: Maximizing the impact of contributions into EOSC and the EOSC Federation. 11:30 - 12: 15h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perspectives from the countries, <i>Volker Beckman, Co-Chair of the EOSC Steering Board.</i> 	

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open discussion. 	
<p>Session 9: Outlook & Closing 12:15-12:45 h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outlook and next steps for EOSC. <i>Dejan Dvorsek, Deputy Head of Unit Open Science and Research Infrastructures, European Commission.</i> • Closing. <i>EOSC-A & EC</i> 	

ANNEX. List of projects invited to the meeting:

AI4EOSC	Artificial Intelligence for the European Open Science Cloud
AqualNFRA	Infrastructure for Marine and Inland Water Research
Blue-Cloud 2026	A federated European FAIR and Open Research Ecosystem for oceans, seas, coastal and inland waters
CLIMATE-ADAPT4EOSC	Fair Data and Innovative Services for Magnifying the Climate Adaptation potential of European Communities
CRAFT-OA	Creating a Robust Accessible Federated Technology for Open Access
DataGEMS	Data Discovery Platform with Generalized Exploratory, Management, and Search Capabilities
EOSC Beyond	EOSC Beyond: advancing innovation and collaboration for research
EOSC Data Commons	Services for inter- and cross-disciplinary data discovery, access, sharing and reuse in the EOSC Federation
EOSC EDEN	Enhancing Digital preservation strategies at European and National level
EOSC Focus	EOSC Focus
EOSC Gravity	Supporting the EOSC Partnership in further consolidating the coordination and sustainability of the EOSC ecosystem
EOSC4Cancer	A European-wide foundation to accelerate Data-driven Cancer Research
EOSC-ENTRUST	EOSC-ENTRUST: A European Network of TRUSTed research environments
EuroScienceGateway	leveraging the European compute infrastructures for data-intensive research guided by FAIR principles
EVERSE	European Virtual Institute for Research Software Excellence
FAIR2Adapt	FAIR to Adapt to Climate Change
FAIRCORE4EOSC	Core Components Supporting a FAIR EOSC
FAIR-EASE	FAIR EArth Sciences & Environment services
FAIR-IMPACT	Expanding FAIR Solutions across EOSC
FIDELIS	FIDELIS: Establishing A European Network of Trustworthy Digital Repositories
GraspOS	GraspOS: next Generation Research Assessment to Promote Open Science
LUMEN	Linked User-driven Multidisciplinary Exploration Network
OSCARS	O.S.C.A.R.S. - Open Science Clusters' Action for Research and Society
OSTrails	Open Science Plan-Track-Assess Pathways
RAISE	Research Analysis Identifier SystEm
RAISE Suite	FAIR data from collection to exploitation
RDA TIGER	Research Data Alliance facilitation of Targeted International working Groups for EOSC-related Research solutions
SciLake	Democratising and making sense out of heterogeneous scholarly content
SIESTA	Secure Interactive Environments for SensiTive data Analytics
Skills4EOSC	Skills for the European Open Science Commons: Creating a Training Ecosystem for Open and FAIR Science
StR-ESFRI3	Support to Reinforce the European Strategy Forum on Research Infrastructures 3
TITAN	TITAN: Trusted environments for confidenTiAl computiNg and secure data sharing
WorldFAIR	Global cooperation on FAIR data policy and practice

