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SUPPORT

Preparatory phase of new ESFRI research infrastructure projects

TOPIC ID: HORIZON-INFRA-2021-DEV-02-01

Overview ET-PP activities

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ET Symposium Cagliari, Italy, May 2023



Einstein Telescope as ESFRI



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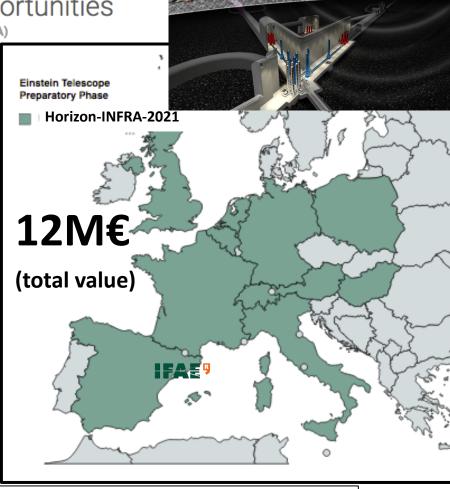
Preparatory phase of new ESFRI research infrase.

Goals for ET Preparatory Phase

- Governance
- Financial architecture/plan/framework
- ET legal entity
- Final ET design and cost evaluation
- Site or sites selection
- Construction funding
- User services
- Computing model
- Sustainability

3.45M€ ear

(approved)

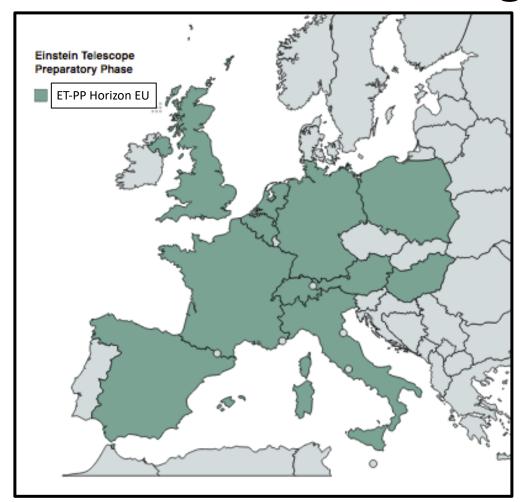


2000M€ project

Einstein Telescope Preparatory Phase (ET-PP) in 2022 – 2026 HORIZON-INFRA-DEV EU Project coordinated by IFAE

> Project started 1st September 2022 (https://etpp.ifae.es)

Collaborative Agreement





	ET-PP CONSOR	09 MARCH 2023 TIUM AGREEMENT
Change Records		
Version	Date	Changes
Version 0	September 2022	Initial draft for Horizon Europe
Version 1	November 2022	First version for Horizon Europe
Version 2	December 2022	Second version for Horizon Europe
Version 3	January 2023	Third version for Horizon Europe
Version 4	February 2023	Fourth version for Horizon Europe
Version 5	March 2023	Final version for Horizon Europe

Grant Agreement finally signed with EC by middle August 2022

Pre-financing process concluded and institutions received the funding in due time

-> We will follow closely the progress in the different institutions

Collaborative Agreement Document Finalised. —> We went for signatures

—> We just opened a (contained) process of enlarging the consortium with additional third parties (Deadline 30th May) — planning for having them onboard by the time of next ET-PP annual meeting in 12-13 June

Work Packages (WPs)

- WP1 Coordination and Management
- WP2 Organization, Governance and Legal Aspects
- WP3 Financial Architecture
- WP4 Site Preparation
- WP5 Project Office / Engineering Dept.
- WP6 Technical Design
- WP7 Transfer of Technology
- WP8 Computing and Data Access
- WP9 Sustainable Development Strategy
- WP10 Education, Outreach and Citizen Engagement

ET-PP web online

https://etpp.ifae.es

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Recent News:

Nicolas Arnaud

Recherche Scientifique (CNRS)

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ET-PP

Preparatory Phase for the Einstein Telescope Gravitational Wave Observatory

Einstein Telescope will be the European Third-Generation Gravitational Wave Observatory, designed to observe the Universe by covering the whole spectrum observable from Earth with interferometric GW detectors.

The ET preparatory phase (ET-PP) will address a number of fundamental prerequisites for the approval, construction and operation of the



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FT-PP News

XII Einstein Telescope Symp

The XII symposium of the Einstein Telescope (ET Sciences, on the 7th - 8th of June. The ET scienting Telescope journey: the formal establishment of the

Jun 15, 2022

- WP 1: Management and Coordination
- WP 2: Organization, Governance and Legal Aspects
- WP 3: Financial Architecture
- WP 4: Site Preparation
- WP 5: Project Office & Engineering Department
- WP 6: Technical Design
- WP 7: Innovation and Industrial Engagement
- WP 8: Computing and Data Access
- WP 9: Sustainable Development Strategy
- WP 10: Communication & Outreach



WP 5: Project Office and Engineering Department

Work package led by CNRS

Objectives

WP5 - Project Office and Engineering Department [led by CNRS]- has the mission to establish the ET RI Project Office and the corresponding Engineering Department. The role of this WP is to set-up a project management environment for the ET construction project.

This environment will be supported by consultative and executive bodies equipped with means to monitor, control, coordinate and report on the technical design, the engineering, the technical specifications, the risks, the budget and the schedule.

These activities are project-wide and make use of methodologies and tools which are the same across the whole of the ET construction project.

R. Flaminio (CNRS), A. Freise (NIKHEF), and R. Saban (INFN) act as co-coordinators of WP5 in this proposal.

- D5.1 Structure and the mandate of the Project Office. (M25)
- D5.2 Functionalities required from the tools in support of the project management. (M25)

A large fraction devoted to the creating of the Project Office/ Engineering Department (44%)
Significant funding for expert consulting on legal and financial aspects,
socio-economic impacts, and site selection related studies
Significant funding for sustainability studies

Funding for ET-PP management, KTT, Computing model, and Outreach/Communication

Budget allocation

Position	ASSIGNMENT
Technical Coordinator	INFN (IN-KIND)
Systems Engineering	NIKHEF (IN-KIND)
Parameters, layout, risk Manager	CNRS (INFRA-DEV)
Software Engineer	CNRS (INFRA-DEV)
Civil Engineer	NIKHEF (INFRA-DEV)
Vacuum Engineer	CNRS (INFRA-DEV)
Integration and Technical Infrastructures Engineer	INFN (INFRA-DEV)
Head Project Office	INFN (IN-KIND)
Head Engineering Department	NIKHEF (IN-KIND)

LEGAL CONSULTER
FINANCIAL MANAGER
SITE SELECTION PREPARATION
PROJECT OFFICE & ENGINEERING DEPT.
INDUSTRIAL LIAISON
COMPUTING
SUSTAINABILITY
OUTREACH/SOCIAL AWARENESS

Project Office/Engineering Dept.

- 1. Technical Coordinator (in-kind)
- 2. System Engineering (in-kind)
- 3. Parameters, Layout, Risk Manager
- 4. Software Engineer
- 5. Civil Engineering
- 6. Vacuum Engineer
- 7. Integration and Technical Infrastructures Engineer

Design of the vacuum system by CERN (in-kind funding included for first year)

Open Position: Instrument Development Expert

ET-PP Open positions

The APC laboratory in Paris is recruiting a instrument system engineer for a 30 months temporary position to support the activities of the Einstein Telescope(ET) project





Open Position: software engineer at IP2I-Lyon

IP2I-Lyon is recruiting a software engineer for a 3 year temporary position to participate to the support effort of the Project Office in the framework of the EU project 'Einstein Telescope Preparatory Phase' (ET-PP).

Nov 9, 2022



Budget being now executed A number of open positions are advertised in ET-PP page

More to come

Open Position: Senior IT/Computing Architect position at the Department of Astronomy and the Gravitational-Wave Science Center of the University of Geneva

The Department of Astronomy and the Gravitational-Wave Science Center (GWSC) at the University of Geneva is looking for a Senior Information Technology (IT) / Computing Architect ("Adjoint(e) Scientifique III") to support the activities of the Einstein Telescope (ET) project in the design of the computing model and infrastructure of the next-generation gravitational-wave observatory.

Oct 26, 2022



ET-PP Open positions

Open Position: Science Communication Officer at IFAE

The Institut de Física d'Altes Energies (IFAE is looking for a science communication officer. The main responsibilities of this person will be related to the management of the communication aspects of the European project: Einstein Telescope Preparatory Phase, These activities will include: internal and external communications, outreach activities and STEM education programme.

Mar 20, 2023

Open Position: System engineer for Project Support and Coordination at BSC

The Barcelona Supercomputing Center is offering a position for a system engineer who will become part of the Operations Department of the Center and participate in the activities of support and coordination for the Einstein Telescope Preparation Phase project (ET-PP).

Jul 11, 2022



Open Position: Einstein Telescope Communications and **Outreach Officer**

Astronomical Observatory, Faculty of Physics of University of Warsaw is recruiting a Communications and Outreach Officer for one year, with the possibility for extension till 31.08.2026, part time position (0.6 FTE) to support Einstein Telescope (ET) communications and promotion activities in the framework of the EU project 'Einstein Telescope Preparatory Phase' (ET-PP). The deadline for applications is 26th March 18:00

Mar 14, 2023

Open Position: Technology Transfer Technician at IFAE

The Institute for High Energy Physics (IFAE) in Barcelona is looking for a Technology Transfer Technician to support the Knowledge and Technology Transfer (KTT) Unit. The main work will be the execution of innovation consultancy activities in the framework of an EU project ET-PP

Jun 14, 2022



This will constitute a seed for the ETO Communication Office

Open Position: Project Manager Assistant at IFAE

The Institute for High Energy Physics (IFAE) in Barcelona is looking for a Project Manager Assistant to support the administrative/scientific coordination of the Gravitational Wave Group and the Research



WP missions (1/5)

- WP1 Coordination and Management
 - 1. Management
 - 2. Coordination
 - WP2 Organization, Governance and Legal Aspects
 - 1. ET Internal Organization
 - 2. Legal Framework
 - 3. Enlargement of the ET Consortium
 - 4. Political convergence
 - Connection to other observator and communities
 - 6. RI layout, Strategic issues and international networking

WP3 Financial Architecture

- 1. Cost evaluation
- 2. Cost Sharing
- 3. In-kind Contributions
- 4. Define immediate financial tools



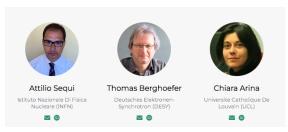
Deliverables

- **Delivered!**
- D1.1 Dissemination & Exploitation (D&E) Plan (M6)
- D1.2 Data Management (D&M) Plan (M6)



Deliverables

- D2.1 Report providing options for legal entity (M11);
- D2.2 Minutes of meetings with EC and involved ministries (M11);
- D2.3 Legal entity statutes (M36);
- D2.4 Roadmap to establish the legal entity and its implementation ready for approval by (proto Council) and/or Ministries (M47).



- D3.1 Handbook for design and construction phase (M36);
- D3.2 Handbook for operation phase (M42);
- D3.3 Financial plan and Scenario analysis (M47)

WP missions (2/5)

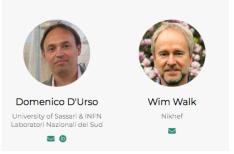
WP4 Site Preparation

- 1. Site scientific evaluation
- 2. Socio-economic impact
- 3. Legal/Financial aspects of the RI implementation
- 4. Mediation planning

First Milestone already met

Document

(Site-specific Characteristics impacting ET performances)

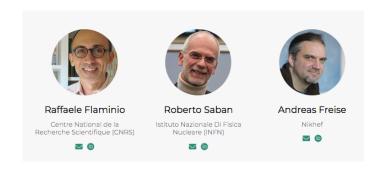


Deliverables

- D4.1 Scan of legal procedures, permitting and land acquisitions. (M10)
- D4.2 Updated socio-economic impact studies. (M15)
- D4.3 Complete quantification of all the aspects impacting the ET performance. (M28)
- D4.4 3D geology, hydrology, etc. model with detailed localisation of the ET infrastructure. (M29)
- D4.5 Updated cost and schedule estimates of the excavations (D42)

WP5 Project Office / Engineering Dept.

- 1. Technical Coordination of the Project
- 2. Human resources qualification
- 3. Strategic decisions making process
- 4. Planning
- 5. Preparation for Production
- 6. Industrial Partnerships
- 7. Risk Management

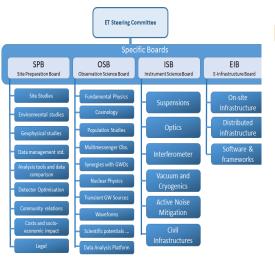


- D5.1 Structure and the mandate of the Project Office. (M25)
- D5.2 Functionalities required from the tools in support of the project management. (M25)
- D5.3 Structure and the mandate of the Engineering Department. (M25)
- D5.4 Functional Engineering Department. (M28)
- D5.5 Functional Project Office. (M28)

WP missions (3/5)

ET symposium

- WP6 Technical Design
 - 1. Infrastructure Technical Design
 - 2. Experiment Technical Design
 - 3. Scientific impact
 - 4. Open Data Access and Services



Deliverables

- D6.1 Refined Science Case (M18)
- D6.2 Vacuum pipe Design (M24);
- D6.3 Preliminary RI TDR (M24);
- D6.4 Preliminary DET TDR (M24);
- D6.5 RI TDR (M40);
- D6.6 DMP and Data Access Policy (M46).



Collaboration Agreement KN5637/TE/Einstein Telescope (Replacing KN4657/DG/Einstein Telescope) Between The European Organization for Nuclear Research ("CERN") And the Lead Institutes of the Einstein Telescope Collaboration: The Italian National Institute for Nuclear Physics ("INFN") The Dutch National Institute for Subatomic Physics ("Nikhef"), And The Institut de Fisica d'Altes Energies ("IFAE"), (hereinafter "Party" and collectively "Parties") Concerning Collaboration on the design of future gravitational wave detection experiments 2023 Page 1

Intense work on Scientific Case inside ET Collab.

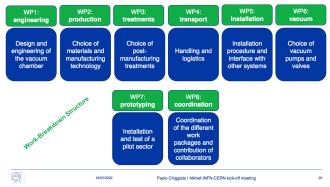
Close interaction with CERN personnel

Vacuum/Cryo, Civil Engineering, Safety, EDMS

- —> MoU signed by CERN, INFN, NIKHEF and IFAE
- —> Vacuum pipe activity well defined and running
- —> Preparing now the details of the Civil Engineering

Notes on Vacuum Design





Global planning

First year

Project led by CERN started in September 2022 (3 years duration)

Main deliverable is the TDR of vacuum system by fall 2025

CERN

A collaboration on Civil
Engineering matters with
CERN now is being put in place
(In a 3 years framework)

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ptember 2022	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4	Q 1	Q 2	Q 3	Q 4
Functional specifications												
Roles and agreement with Institutes												
Optimisation of baseline, including cost analysis												
Definition of alternative solutions												
Cost & performance of alternative solutions												
Optimisation of interfaces with services/infrastructures												
Decision about vacuum design for pilot sector at CERN.												
Prototyping of the selected solutions.												
Technical design report (ET vacuum												
system).												



Second year

Third year

WP missions (4/5)

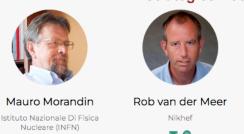
WP7 Transfer of Technology

- Promotion of Innovative technologies
- 2. Liaison with industries, industrial returns
- 3. Intellectual Property
- WP8 Computing and Data Access
 - 1. Computing model
 - 2. Computing Resources
 - T0 Data Center
 - 4. Data Preservation



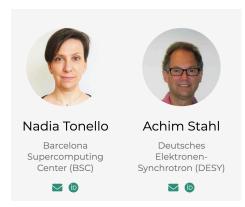
Document:

(Analysis of Promotion Strategies Accomplished)



Deliverables

- D7.1 Innovation Plan (M12)
- D7.2 Report on industry engagement plan execution (M42)
- D7.3 Model for pursuing in ET a balanced industrial return (M33)
- D7.4 Report on TT and Intellectual property management in ET (M44)



- D8.1: Computing and Data Requirements (M18)
- D8.2: Computing and Data Model (M42)
- D8.3: Data Access Implementation Guidelines (M47)

WP missions (5/5)

WP9 Sustainable Development Strategy

- 1. Low Carbon footprint
- Liaison with Climate Change and Geoscience
- Landscape and Environmental impact
- 4. Transportation

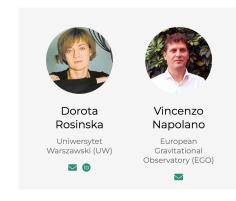
WP10 Education, Outreach and Citizen Engagement

- 1. School Education Program
- Dissemination and communication
- 3. Mentoring and Training
- 4. Diversity and Inclusion
- 5. Early Career Scientists



Deliverables

- D9.1 ET Sustainable Development Implementation Strategy (M12)
- D9.2 ET Environmental impact assessment and mitigation strategy (M24)
- D9.3 ET CO2 footprint ET assessment and mitigation strategy (M36)



Milestone already met

Hiring Communication Officer

Deliverables

We would like to have a ETO Web up and running asap (in few months) —

- D10.1 Initiate strategic media and communications plan (M11)
- D10.2 Launch consortium website and social media accounts (M24)
- D10.3 Formulate strategic media and communications plan (M24)
- D10.4 Complete bank of graphics, multimedia resources (M36)
- D10.5 Launch ECR mentorship and training programme (M44)

Deliverables/Milestones

- In 2023 there are 10 Milestones and 8 Deliverables to meet.
- We monitor this closely to avoid delays.

Milestone No	Milestone Name	Work Package No	Lead Beneficiary	Means of Verification	Due Date (month)
1	Constitution / first meeting of the resource board	WP3	6-UCL	Workshop	33
2	Document detailing the site-specific characteristics that impact ET sensitivity and its duty cycle.		5-NIKHEF	Report	3
3	Common methodology to estimate impact of site characteristics on ET sensitivity and operation and, if required, a scheme to compensate it.		5-NIKHEF	Report	10
4	The recruitment of the Project Office team is completed.	WP5	4-CNRS	Report.	15
5	All three documents (WP5-D5.1, D5.2 and D5.3) are published.	WP5	4-CNRS	Report.	25
6	The Engineering Department as a functional unit complete	WP5	5-NIKHEF	Report.	27
7	The Project Office as a functional unit complete	WP5	2-INFN	Report.	27
8	ET Collaboration in place	WP6	2-INFN	ET Symposium	11
9	Analysis of promotion strategies accomplished	WP7	1-IFAE	Report.	8
10	Engagement plan produced	WP7	5-NIKHEF	Report.	10
11	Analysis of balanced industrial return strategies accomplished	WP7	2-INFN	Report.	15

Milestones

Milestone No	Milestone Name	Work Package No	Lead Beneficiary	Means of Verification	Due Date (month)
12	Workflows Requirements collection and constraints: computing and data	WP8	1-IFAE	Workshop (+D8.1)	11
13	Computing Infrastructures availability for ET workflows, characteristics	WP9, WP8	1-IFAE	Workshop (+ D8.1)	24
14	On site infrastructure, computing and data model	WP6, WP8	4-CNRS	Workshop (+D8.2)	36
15	Low latency and offline workflows and computing model	WP6, WP8	2-INFN	Workshop (+D8.2)	40
16	Data management, access, policy and implementation	WP2, WP6, WP8	1-IFAE	Workshop (+D8.3)	46
17	Preliminary sustainability plan	WP9	8-EGO	Report.	11
18	ET Sustainability Workshop	WP9	8-EGO	Workshop+Report	18
19	Final sustainability plan	WP9	8-EGO	Reports.	47
20	Appointment of Communications and Outreach Coordinator	WP10	3-UW	Appointment contract	8
21	ET Consortium website and social media launched	WP10	8-EGO	Public launch	24
22	ECR Mentorship and Training programme established	WP10	3-UW	Report.	44

Deliverable No	Deliverable Name	Work Package No	Lead Beneficiary	Туре	Dissemination Level	Due Date (month)
D1.1	Dissemination and Exploitation (D&E) Plan	WP1	1 - IFAE	R — Document, report	PU - Public	6
D1.2	Data Management Plan (DMP)	WP1	1 - IFAE	R — Document, report	PU - Public	6
D2.1	Report providing options for legal entity	WP2	5 - NIKHEF	R — Document, report	PU - Public	11
D2.2	Minutes of meetings with EC and involved ministries	WP2	5 - NIKHEF	R — Document, report	PU - Public	11
D2.3	Legal entity statutes	WP2	5 - NIKHEF	R — Document, report	PU - Public	36
D2.4	Roadmap to establish the legal entity and its implementation.	WP2	5 - NIKHEF	R — Document, report	PU - Public	47
D3.1	Handbook for design and construction phase	WP3	6 - UCL	R — Document, report	PU - Public	36
D3.2	Handbook for operating phase	WP3	6 - UCL	R — Document, report	PU - Public	42
D3.3	Financial plan and Scenario analysis	WP3	6 - UCL	R — Document, report	PU - Public	47
D4.1	Scan of legal procedures, permitting and land acquisitions	WP4	5 - NIKHEF	R — Document, report	PU - Public	10
D4.2	Updated socio-economic impact studies	WP4	2 - INFN	R — Document, report	PU - Public	15
D4.3	Complete quantification of all the aspects impacting the ET performance.	WP4	3 - UW	R — Document, report	PU - Public	28

ET-PP Deliverables for 2023

WP1

- ET-PP Dissemination and Exploitation plan (Feb 2023, DONE)
- ET-PP Data Management Plan (Feb 2023, DONE)
- -> Preparation of all hands in-person meeting 12-13 June 2023 @ Barcelona
- -> Collecting feedback from WPs on budget needs relevant for ETO

WP2

- Report providing options for legal entity (July 2023)
- Minutes of meeting with EC and involved ministres (July 2023)

WP3

- Financial model for immediate needs (NEW 2023)
- -> We are planning for a closer WP2 WP3 interaction

WP4

- Scan of legal procedures, permitting and land acquisitions (June 2023)
- Updated socio-economic impact studies (November 2023)

WP5

WP6

WP7

Innovation Plan (July 2023)

WP8

WP9

WP10

- Initiate strategic media and communication plan (July 2023)
- -> We are in close contact with coordinators to have a fast(er) progress on Web

ET-PP meeting June 12th - 13th

https://indico.ifae.es/event/1671/

ET-PP INFRA-DEV Annual Meeting

12-13 June 2023 UPF School of Management - Barcelona Europe/Madrid timezone

Overview

Venue

Timetable

Contribution List

Registration Instructions

List of Participants

Accommodation

Travel Instructions

Social Events

Wifi and zoom connections

Venue



Dedicated parallel session discussions on

- Communication
- Project Management Tools
- TDR preparation
- Governance, Financial Architecture, Legal Entity
- KTT and industrial Liaison
- Engineering Department
- Computing Model and Software tools
- Site Characterization

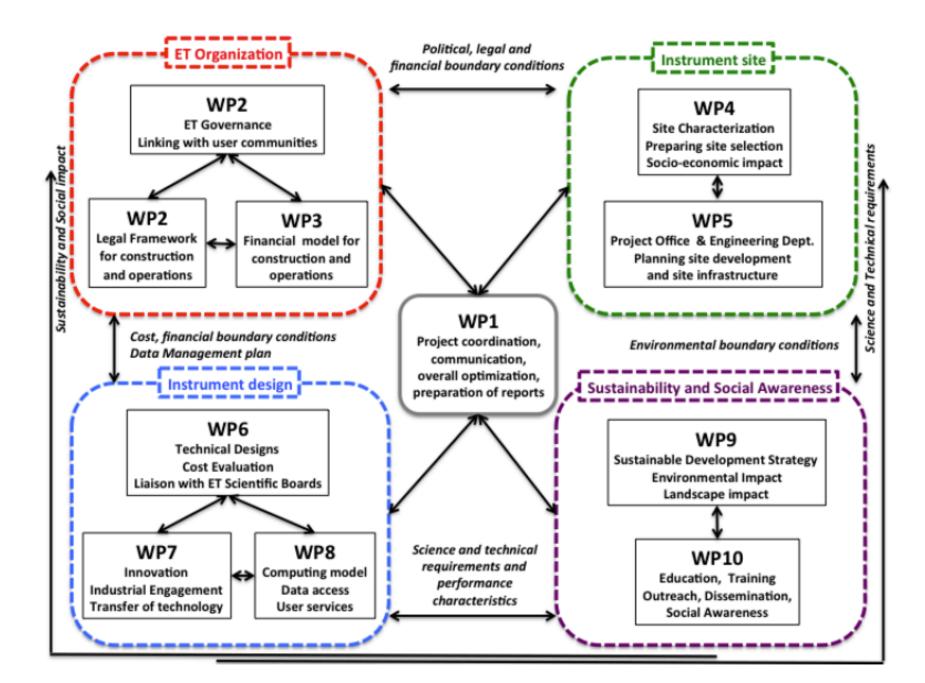
The 2023 ET-PP annual meeting will take place at the UPF Barcelona (School of Management) Building downtown Barcelona

Plenary Sessions
Parallel Sessions
Board of Scientific Representative's Meeting

Willing to involve relevant persons and encourage them to come to BCN

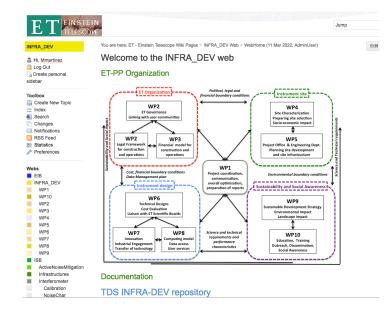
Thanks for your attention





ET-PP running

- ET-PP at work
 - Running ET-PP biweekly coordinating meetings
 - Dedicated meetings with WP1-ET-Directorate-WPX
 - Common Document repository in place
 - @ EGO (TDS + Wiki)
 - @ Dedicated google drive
 - Exploring CERN management tools actively
 - At the moment being evaluated in WP5/7
 - EDMS, INDICO@CERN,
 - ET bylaws in place
 - ET Collaboration in place
- Ongoing WP and WP-WP interactions
 - Collecting information on governance and financial models from other organisations (CERN, SKA, ESS,...)
 - WP teams built / or being built
 - Regular meetings stablished
 - SWOT analyses
 - Mapping Tasks with ET Divisions
 - ET Collaboration ET Observatory relationship



	T8.1 T0 Data center	T8.2 Computing and Data Model	T8.3 Resources	T8.4 Data Access Implementation
D1 Software, frameworks, data challenges		Computing frameworks computing domains data formats	Resources for frameworks execution and data storage availability	Data availability Data releases format
D2 Services and Collaboration Support			Resources and infrastructure for services and collaborative tools	Tools for monitoring, AAI (IAM), data access
D3 Computing and data model, Resource Estimation	T0 storage and computing resources estimation	Computing model data model	Resources estimation	
D4 Multimessenger alerts infrastructure				Tools for multi messenger alerts

Example: WP8 Tasks and EIB Divisions