Cluster 6: Food, Bioeconomy, Natural Resources, Agriculture and Environment

R&I in the Cluster 6 aims to advance knowledge, build capacities as well as develop and demonstrate innovative solutions that v accelerate the transition to: a sustainable and circular management and use of natural resources ensuring ecosystem integrity a well as sustainable development and human well-being, including food and nutrition security, in the EU and globally. R&I activitie under this Cluster shall create the following interlinked, long-term impacts:

- Reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and successful adaptation of ecosystems and production systems as well as rural, coastal and urban areas to climate change
- Halt of biodiversity decline and restoration of ecosystems
- Sustainable and circular management and use of natural resources; prevention and removal of pollution; healthy soils and cle water and air for all; attractive jobs, enhanced value creation and competitiveness
- Establishment of primary production, food and bio-based systems based on sustainability, inclusiveness, health and safety; food and nutrition security for all
- Behavioural, socio-economic and demographic change are well understood and drive sustainability; a balanced development vibrant rural, coastal, peri-urban and urban areas
- Establishment of governance models enabling sustainability

› Topics Cluster 6 (https://www.euhochschulnetz-sachsen-anhalt.de/eu_hsnetz_media/Horizont+Europe/Topic%C3%BCbersichten/%C3%9Cbersicht+C6+Food_+Bioeconomy___+Stand+30_12_22-p-2164.pdf)

› Work Programme Cluster 6 (https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/docs/2021-2027/horizon/wp-call/2021-2022/wp-9-food-bioeconomy-natural-resources-agriculture-and-environment_horizon-2021-2022_en.pdf)

› Webpage EU Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations(https://www.kowi.de/en/kowi/Horizon-Europe/Global-Challenges/cluste food/cluster-food-bioeconomy-natural-resources-agriculture-and-environment.aspx) (KoWi)

› Webpage European Commission (https://ec.europa.eu/info/research-and-innovation/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open calls/horizon-europe/cluster-6-food-bioeconomy-natural-resources-agriculture-and-environment_en)

› Mission area: Healthy Oceans, Seas, Coastal and linland Waters (https://ec.europa.eu/info/horizon-europe/missions-horizon-europe/healthy oceans-seas-coastal-and-inland-waters_en)

› Mission area: Mission area: Soil health and food(https://ec.europa.eu/info/research-and-innovation/funding/funding-opportunities/funding-programmes-and-open-calls/horizon-europe/missions-horizon-europe/soil-health-and-food_en)

› Partnerships Cluster 6 (https://ec.europa.eu/info/horizon-europe/european-partnerships-horizon-europe/candidates-food-security_en)

› BMBF-Start-up funding for Horizon Europe(https://www.bmbf.de/foerderungen/bekanntmachung-3534.html) (multiple annually cut-off date until 2023)

› contact details of the EU academic network of Saxony-Anhalt. (https://www.euhochschulnetz-sachsen-anhalt.de/eu_hsnetz/en/contacts-p-

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