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MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY  
AND TECHNOLOGY



TÜRKİYE in  
**HORIZON 2020**  
COOPERATION INNOVATION COMPETITIVENESS



**25 OCTOBER 2023,  
WYNDHAM GRAND KALAMIŞ, İSTANBUL, TÜRKİYE**

**08:30 – 09:00** Registration

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**Opening Remarks**

- Keith SEQUEIRA, Head of Unit, European Innovation Council, DG RTD, European Commission
- Bülent ÖZCAN, Director-General for Financial Cooperation and Project Implementation, Directorate for EU Affairs
- Prof. Hasan MANDAL, President, TÜBİTAK

**09:30 – 10:30**

**The European Innovation Council: Support for Deep-tech Innovators and Researchers**

- Alben KUYUMDZHIEVA, Policy Officer, DG RTD, European Commission

**10:30 – 11:00**

**Pitching techniques and pitch deck preparation**

- Marta WYSOCZYNSKA, Senior Communication Adviser, EISMEA

**11:00 – 11:30**

Coffee Break

<b>11:30 – 12:00</b>	<b>Innovation Funding in Türkiye</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Dr. Alp Eren YURTSEVEN, Deputy Director for Technology and Innovation Funding Programmes, TÜBİTAK</i></li> </ul>
<b>12:00 – 12:30</b>	<b>General Q&amp;A</b>
<b>12:30 – 14:00</b>	Lunch break
<b>14:00 – 15:00</b>	<b>EIC as the investor of choice for European innovators with visionary ideas and the role of the EIC Fund</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Stéphane OUAKI, Head of EIC Department, EISMEA</i></li> <li>- <i>Jussi HÄTÖNEN, Head of EIC Division at European Investment Bank</i></li> </ul>
<b>15:00 – 16:30</b>	<b>Tips and Tricks on How to Become Successful Applicant of the EIC Accelerator Funding Opportunities</b> Moderator <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Serkan BOLAT, EIC Expert Evaluator</i></li> </ul> Speakers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Prof. Hakan ÜREY, Koç University (EIC Transition Project-KATSIM)</i></li> <li>- <i>Prof. Onur ERGEN, Istanbul Technical University (EIC Accelerator Project-Ambeent)</i></li> <li>- <i>Konstantin RANGELOV, Co-founder and CTO of Dronamics (EIC Accelerator Project-Dronamics)</i></li> <li>- <i>Gürçan OZAN, Partner at ACT Venture Partners, EIC Jury Member</i></li> </ul>
<b>16:30 – 17:00</b>	<b>Networking</b>
<b>Working language of the event: English</b>	