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SMART LOIRE VALLEY (SLV) Programme

**LE STUDIUM RESEARCH CONSORTIUM Award**

**Call for Applications 2024**

**Part B – Scientific proposal**

**Applicant/Coordinator:**

**Research institution/Laboratory:**

**Partners:**

**Title of the project:**

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**Section 1 : Scientific Project**

1. State of the Art

Describe the State of the Art in the field related to the project.

1. Aims

Describe the specific aims of the project, including a clear statement of the hypothesis to be tested.

1. Significance

Describe the importance of the problem to be researched, the planned outcome of the research, and the potential significance of the research.

1. Research plan

Describe rationale, phases, milestones and timeline of development for the Consortium.

**Section 2: Impact of the proposed research**

1. Innovation

Describe the innovative aspects in the proposal specify the contribution of the research project to the development of knowledge in the scientific field.

1. Interdisciplinary dimension

If relevant, show how the proposed research project connects various scientific disciplines.

If relevant, describe how interdisciplinary aspects consist in a key factor of the application.

1. Partnerships with socio-economic sectors

If relevant, present the collaborations with private or public companies or socio-economic stakeholders.

1. Intellectual property / industrial applications

If relevant, describe the applications related to the research project regarding industry, economy and/or society. If the intellectual property strategy with partners is already defined, the applicant is invited to present it.

1. Exploitation and dissemination of results

Describe how the new knowledge generated by the proposed research will be disseminated and exploited, and the potential impacts. Discuss the strategy for targeting peers and key stakeholders (such as the scientific community, industry, professional organisations, policy makers, etc.).

**Section 3: Track record of the applicant and coherence of the consortium**

1. Track record of the applicant

Highlight the career achievements of the applicant and awards including a list of peer reviewed publications in the last five years. Identify up to five publications from this list relevant to this proposal EXCLUDING submitted papers. Book chapters and books should be listed separately.

1. Partner involvement

For each partner describe the role and contribution in the Consortium

For each partner highlight the career achievements in research or industry/enterprise activities.

1. Developing long lasting research links

Indicate if there is a strategy for long lasting research collaboration between the partners of the Consortium.