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# EIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR DEEP TECH INNOVATORS IN 2024

Türkiye in Horizon 2020 Phase II project

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-  1.000+ proposals  10+ years
-  170+ EIC Accelerator Short & Full Applications




### Consultant & Mentor

-  Management  Marketing  Innovation € Investment

### 25+ Year Work Experience

-  w/ SMEs, researchers, and founders
-  Former Navy Supply Officer

### PhD Dropout

-  Retail and Consumer Sciences, M.Sc.
-  Business, M.A.
-  Industrial Engineering, B.Sc.

# Our International Team of Experts



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- ❖ Since January 2019
- ❖ Raising awareness of Horizon Europe R&I programs.
- ❖ Increasing Türkiye's participation in Horizon Europe.
- ❖ Strengthening the capacity of Türkiye in Science, Technology, and Innovation.
- ❖ Facilitating the integration of Turkish Research Area to European Research Area.
- ❖ Providing workshops, seminars, training, networking events, guides, and 1-to-1 support.

# Our Services



## TRAINING ACTIVITIES

One of the most important services our project team offers is a number of training sessions focusing on specific audiences and experiences.



## CONSULTING

Under this activity, our team of Experts will offer one-to-one consultancy visits to 100 carefully selected SMEs.



## NETWORKING

Activities include the organisation of International Brokerage Events in both Turkey and Brussels, B2B matching tools.



## HELPDESK

Information Multipliers can also benefit from some collaboration and reference features that will only be available to them.

# Our Project by Numbers



**1000 +**

SMEs Trained



**1500 +**

People Participated in the HE General Info Days



**3800 +**

Individuals Joined the HE General Introductory Training



**1200 +**

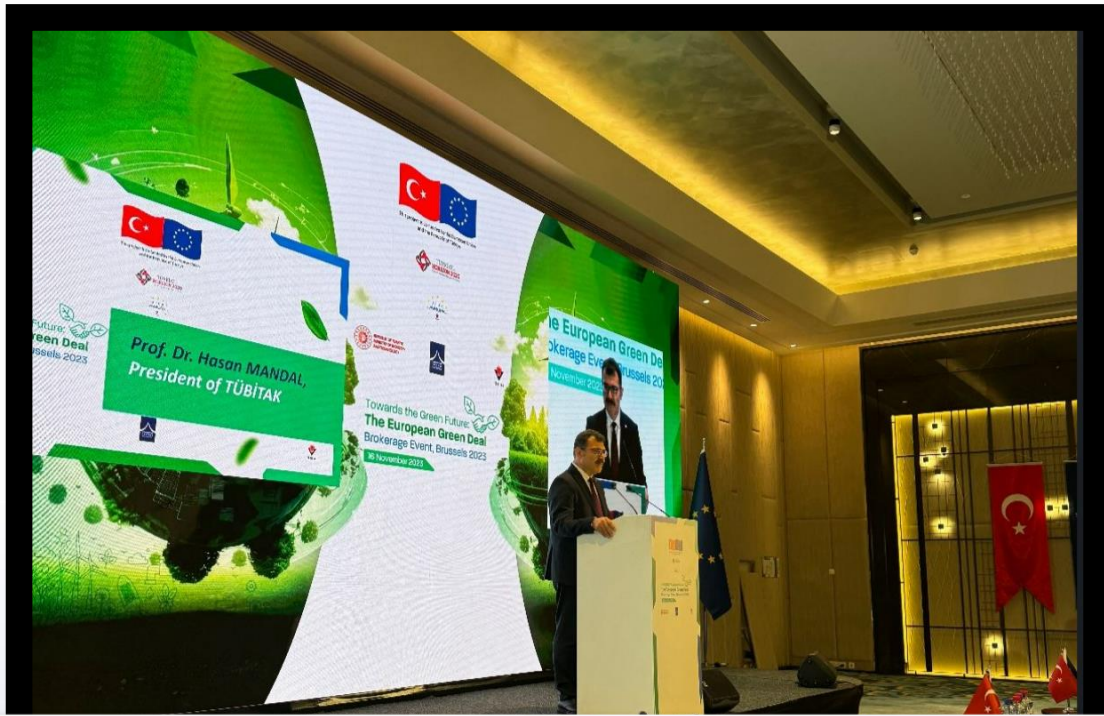
Individuals Participated in the Focus Group Training



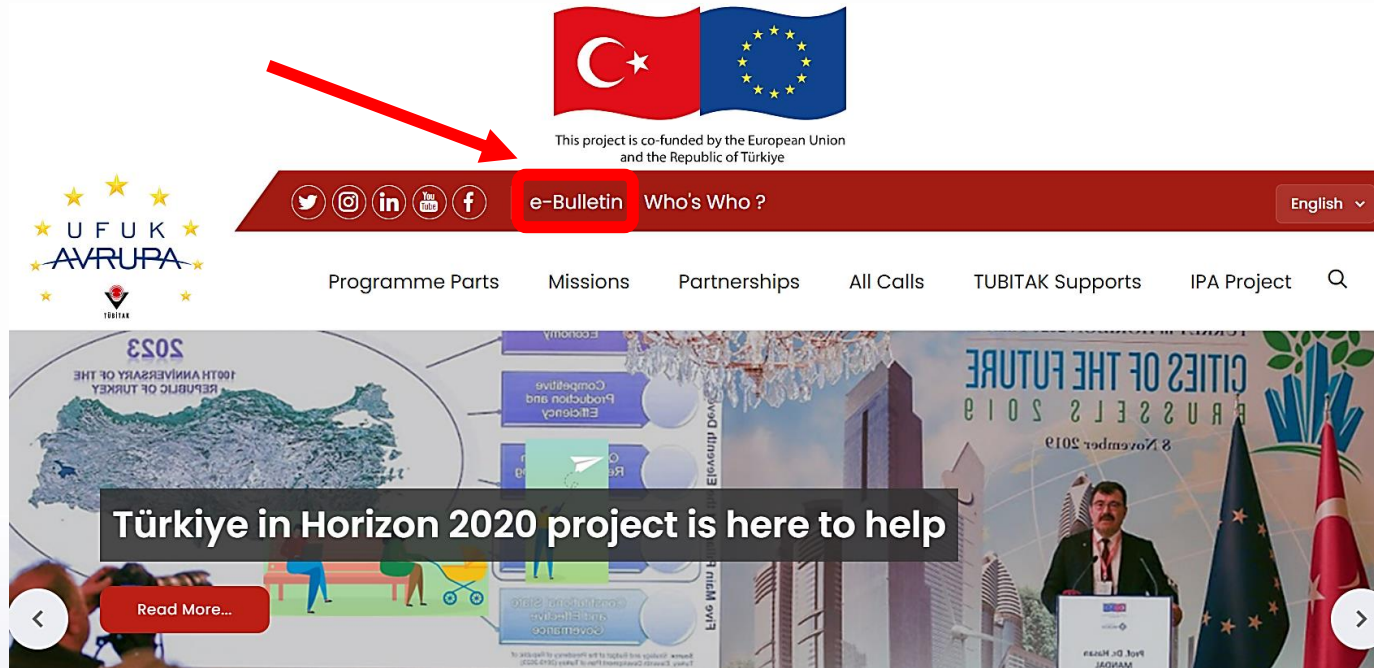
**1900 +**

People Attended the International Networking Events









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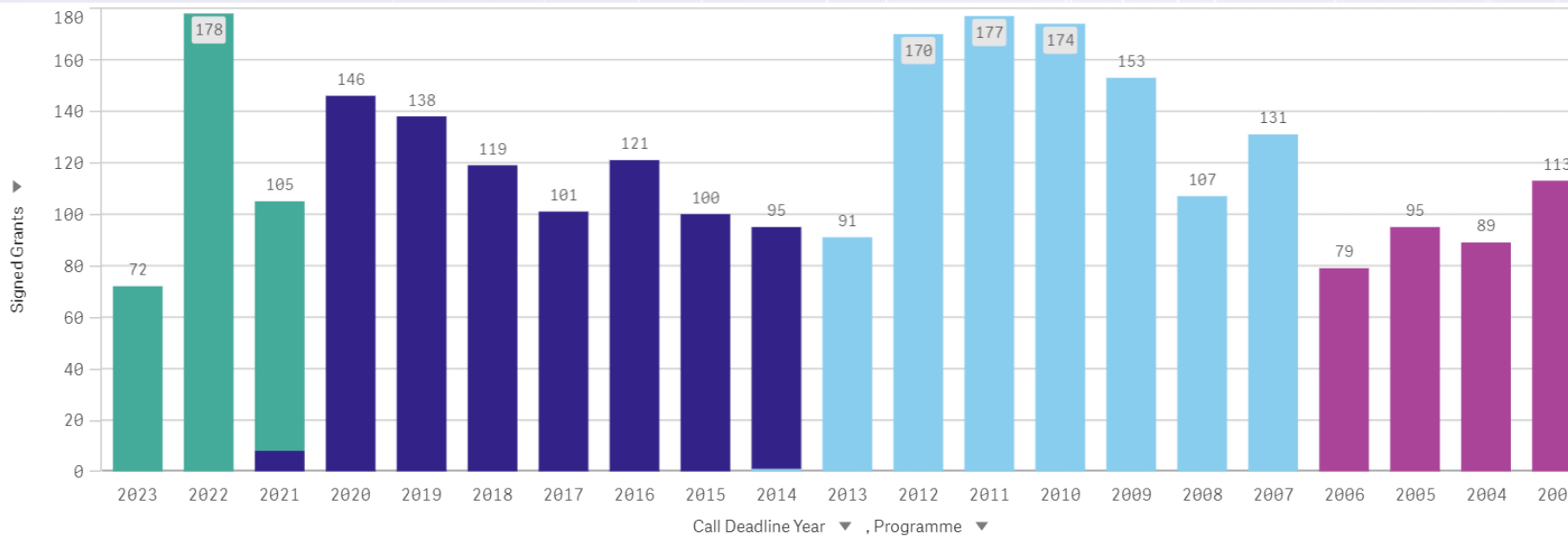
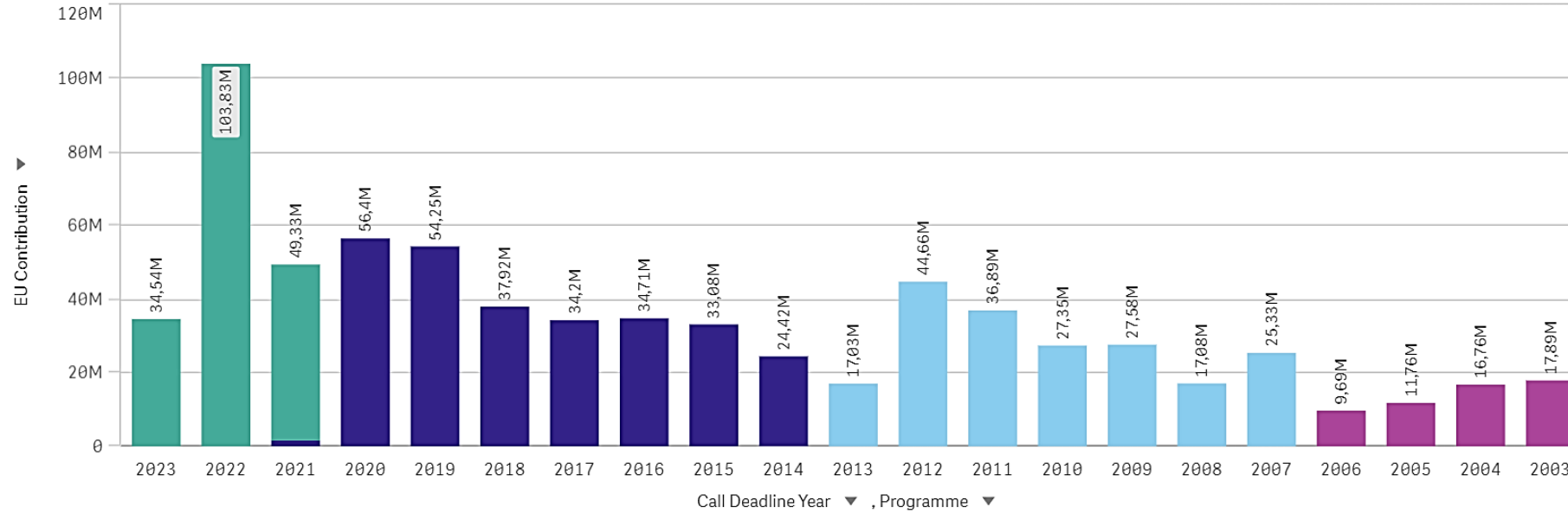




# Key Figures



## Evolution over time



FP7		
Eligible Proposals	Retained Proposals	Success Rate Proposals
5 527	929	16,81%
H2020		
Eligible Proposals	Retained Proposals	Success Rate Proposals
7 660	756	9,87%
HE		
Eligible Proposals	Retained Proposals	Success Rate Proposals
2 265	339	14,97%





# Thank you!

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