2017 EDITION OF THE CALL FOR ORGANIC INNOVATIONS LAUNCHED BY THE EUROPEAN TECHNOLOGY PLATFORM

The <u>European Technology Platform TP Organics</u> is spreading information about the 2017 edition of the <u>Call for Innovation</u>. The call closes on 31 July 2017.

To demonstrate that innovation is one of the answers to move organic forward to ensure sustainability & health of our food systems, TP Organics launches a call challenging farmers, researchers and companies to propose innovative solutions for one of the following needs of the organic sector below:

- Improving soil quality in organic arable farming
- Appropriate and robust livestock systems
- Innovation for sustainable diets.

These are the themes of the 2017 Call that are based on the priority topics identified in <u>TP Organics Strategic Research</u> and Innovation Agenda.

The authors of the best solutions will have the opportunity to present their innovation at the third edition of the <u>Organic Innovation Days</u> on 15-17 November 2017 in Brussels (Belgium).

The call is open for any organization, company or individual researcher/practitioner who can propose an innovative solution to the issues described in one of the themes. The innovation/practice should be recent, i.e. developed within the last 3-5 years.

TP Organics Jury will select the most promising solution for each theme. The author of the selected submission will be notified by 3 October 2017 and invited to present it at the Organic Innovation Days on 16 November in Brussels. A lump sum will be provided to cover travel costs. All eligible innovative practices that fit into the call description will be promoted through the Innovation Arena of TP Organics and/or through TP Organics newsletter.

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