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Building on the success of the Aurora R&I programme and the first Call for Incentive Research Collaboration conducted in 2024, this second call aims at fostering tangible collaborative research actions between the Aurora universities to address Aurora's values and hubs.

The present call supports three types of Key Actions:

## (1) Exploratory and Collaborative Research Projects:

This action supports concrete exploratory research which contribute to increase knowledge in a specific field answering societal issues; developing research communities within Aurora and preparing large-scale collaborative projects.

## (2) Thematic Schools

This action supports thematic schools organised by early-stage researchers on a specific research theme for a short period of time (1 or 2 weeks).

(3) Short-term Research Secondments for Early-stage Researchers (up to 3 months)
This action supports early-stage career researchers (Master, PhD, postdocs) to go on short-term mobility in a research laboratory or unit of an Aurora 2030 full member university (up to 3 months)

## **Submission Process**

For proposals and applications for the three key actions, please fill-out the respective forms available on the **Aurora website.** 

## The deadline for proposals is 28 March 2025, 12:00 (noon) Central European time (CET).

- 1. Please complete the following online form on Call for Incentive Research Collaboration 2025.
- 2. Please send your full application to the following e-mail address: <a href="mailto:aurora.arc.office@gmail.com">aurora.arc.office@gmail.com</a>.

