
HUNGARIAN INNOVATION ECOSYSTEM

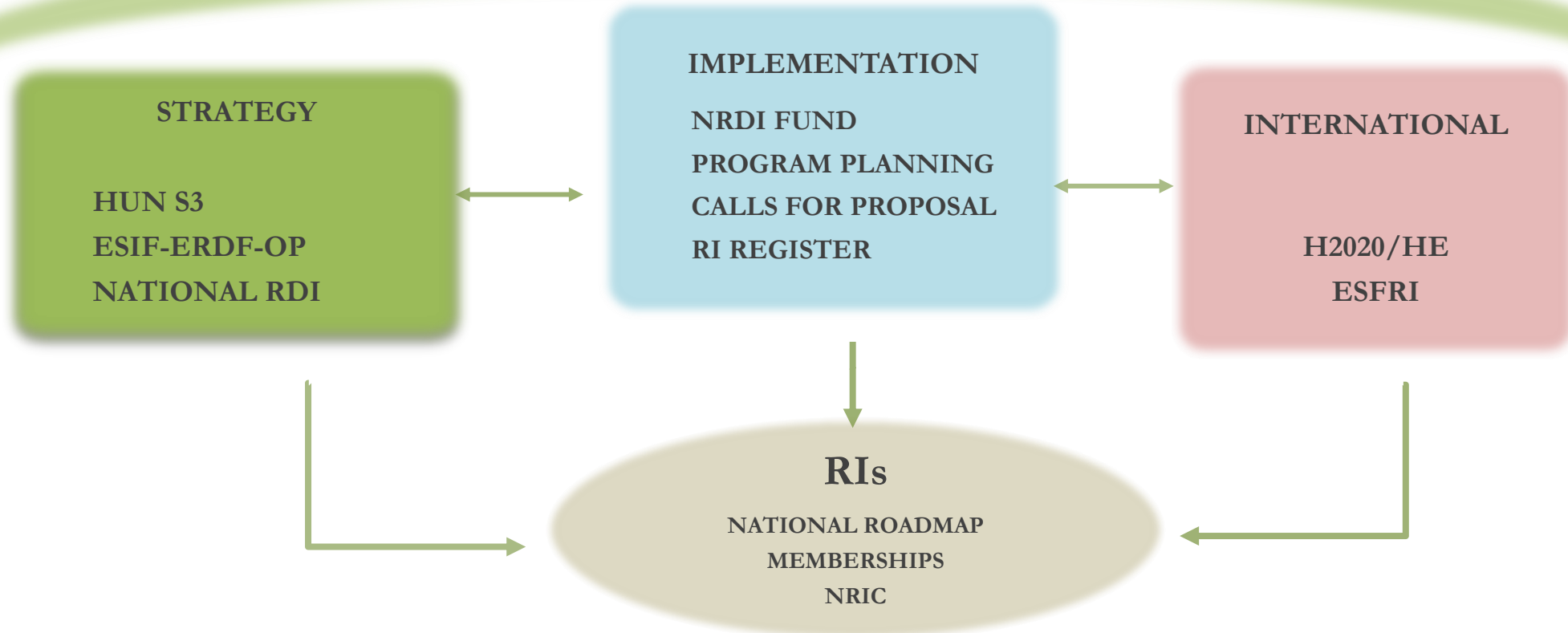
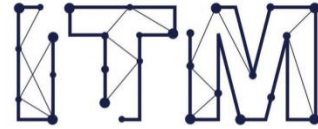
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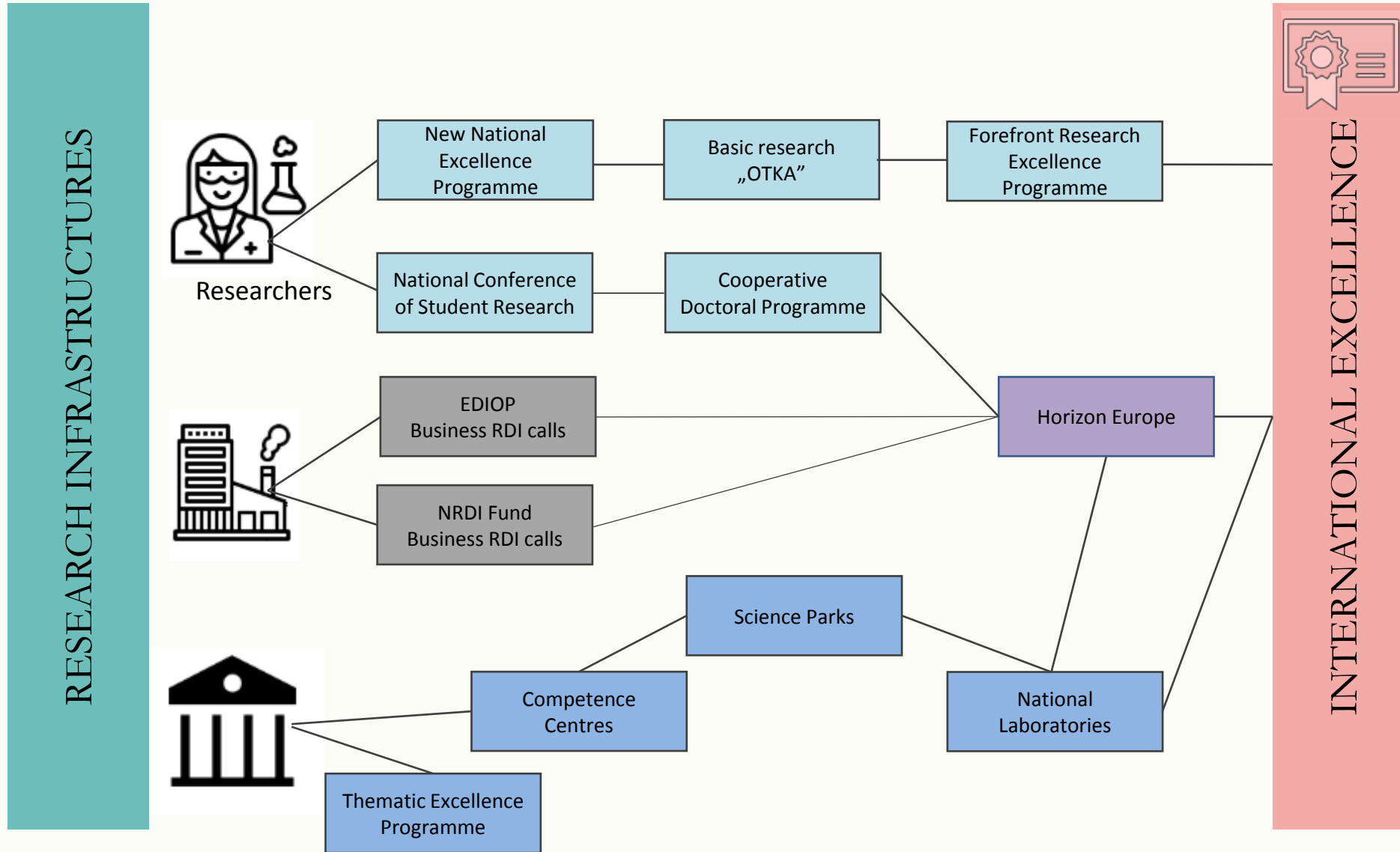
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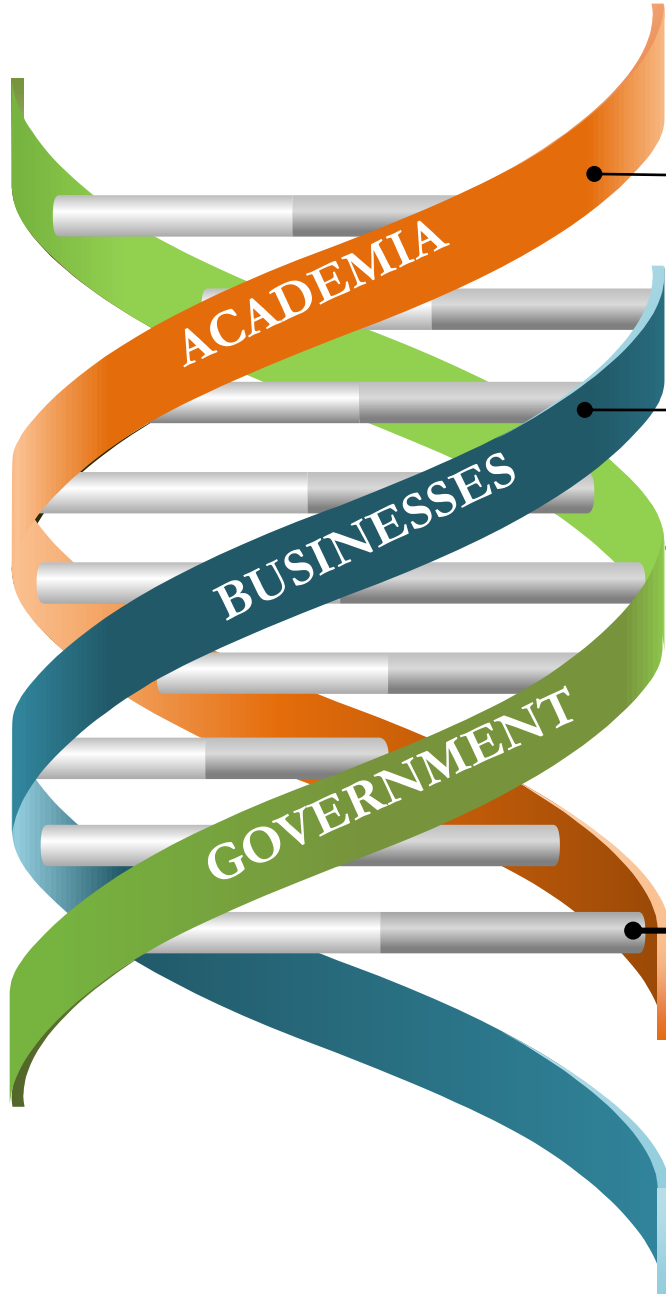
ALIGNMENT & SYNCHRONISATION at national level



The landscape of Hungarian RDI programmes



THE ROLE OF RIs



- scientific excellence
- network & researcher community
- integration with education
- interdisciplinarity

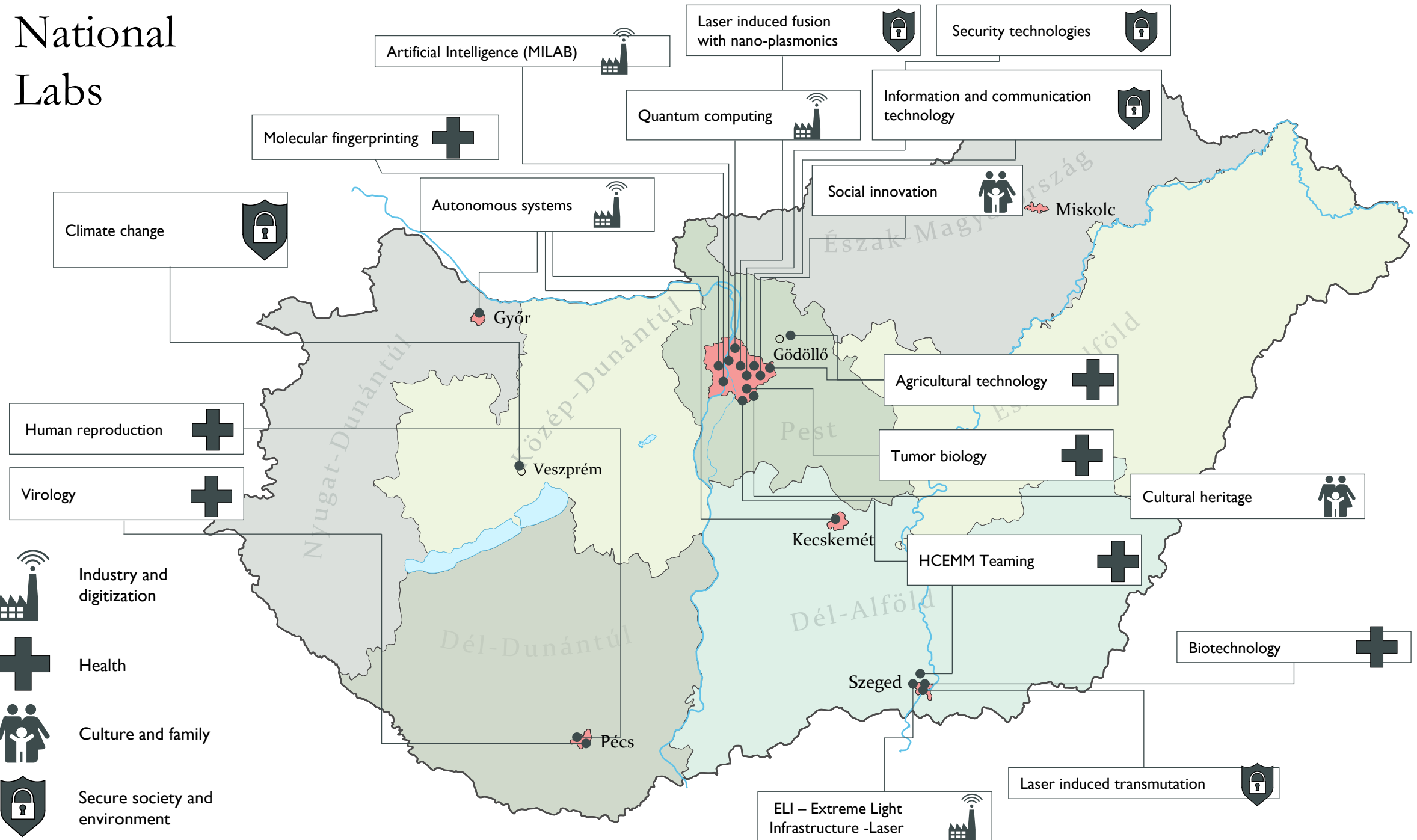
- legal framework
- financing models
- establishment & sustainability

- suppliers
- innovation potential
- cooperation projects
- use of RI services
- partnerships

RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES

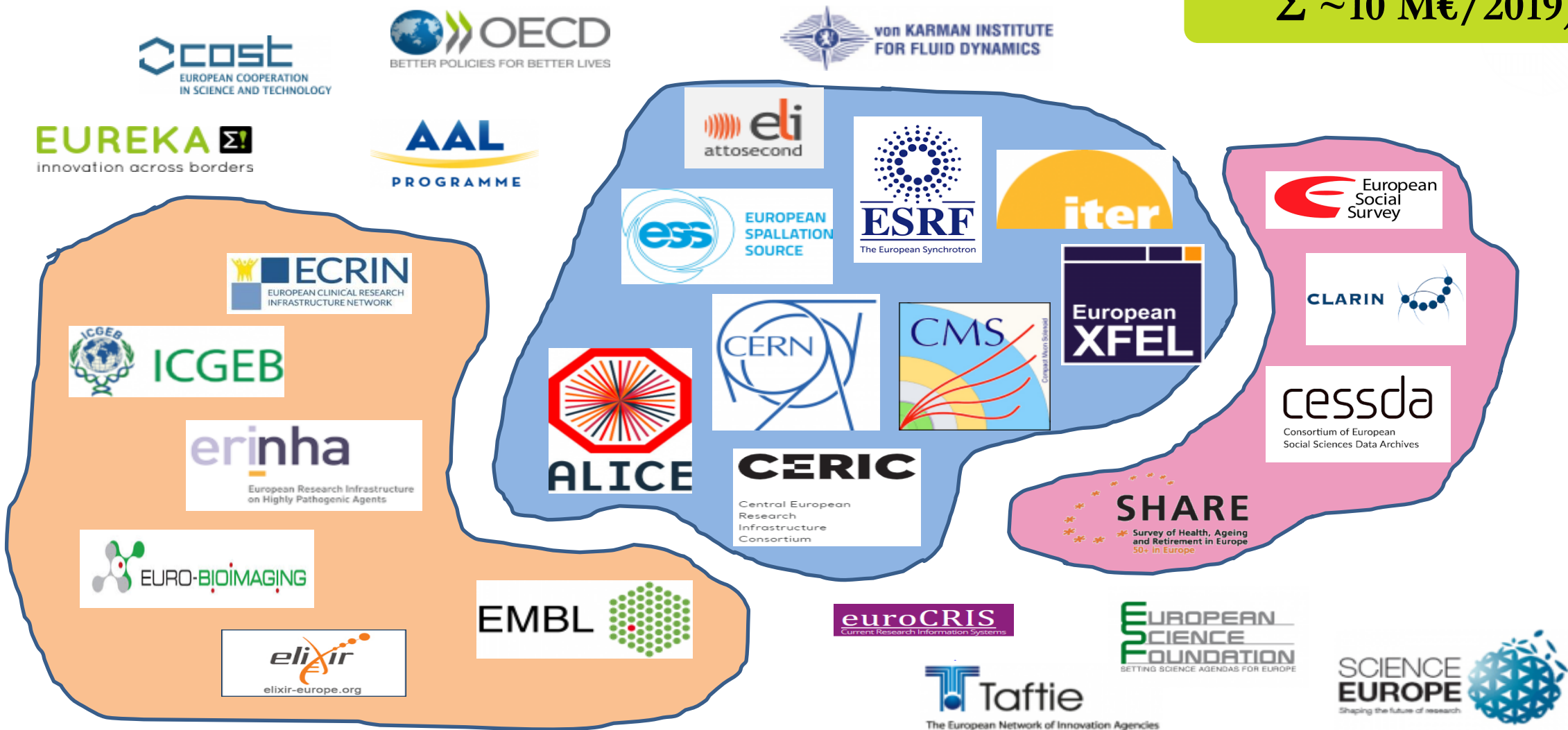


National Labs



Hungary's research cooperation through international research infrastructures

$\Sigma \sim 10 \text{ M€}/(2019)$



Forefront – Research Excellence Programme

AIMS

1. to help internationally acclaimed researchers to prepare for and succeed in ERC calls
2. to enhance Hungary's efforts to become a regional hub for research, development and innovation

- Project duration: 5 years; Funds available per project: HUF 150 M - 300 M (30 M - 60 M/year) ~ € 417 500 - 835 000 (83 500 - 167 000/year)
- Eligible costs: Personnel costs (employment wages and related labour costs), Travel and conferences, Publication costs, Current expenses, Purchase of equipment and services, Overhead costs
- Applications may be submitted by any researcher with a PhD/DLA degree - "seal of excellence" criteria apply - jointly with a Hungarian host research institution.
- Call announcement: end of November 2020; Deadline for applications: February 2021; Expected number of funded projects: 10-12

FUNDAMENTAL RESEARCH
(WITH NO THEMATIC RESTRICTIONS OR PREFERENCES)



Special funding scheme to enhance the use of RIs

Aim: to support the use of international RIs and to enhance the use of the Hungarian international level RIs

SUSPENDED due to the pandemic

- **Total funding:** 300 000 EUR
- **Available funding/project:** 3 000 – 15 000 EUR
- **Intensity of funding:** 100%
- **Duration of projects:** 24 months
- **Eligible costs:**
 - outward (and in-country) travel and stay of the Hungarian researcher/PhD student (in the RI host country)
 - dissemination of research results
 - participation on international conferences

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

