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HUMANITARIAN INNOVATION EU 23





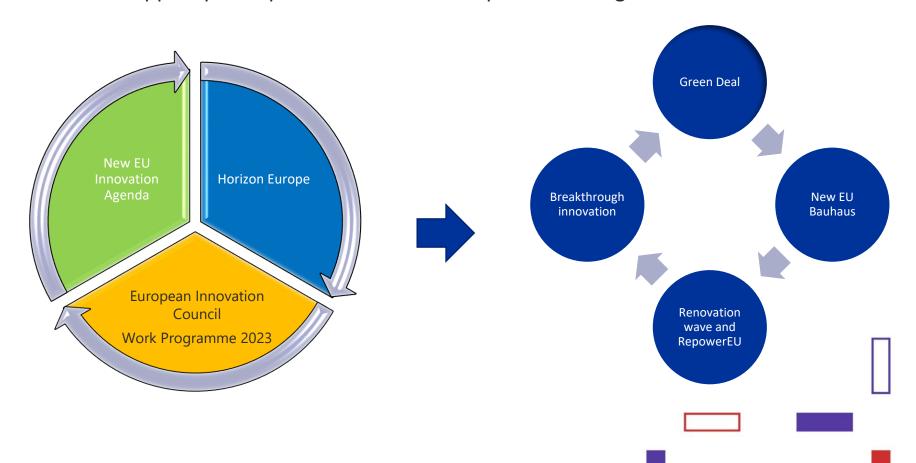
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The European policies behind the EIC Prizes



Why an EIC Prize? A tool to support public policies and stimulate positive change











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The EIC Prizes 2023 ecosystem: recognizing and promoting all the actors from the innovation ecosystem.



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The European Prize for Humanitarian Innovation 2023 in detail



Humanitarian innovation





Humanitarian need are increasing



 Innovation is essential for delivering more effective and cost-efficient aid



 Need to support recognition of promising innovations, promote private sector engagement and support scale











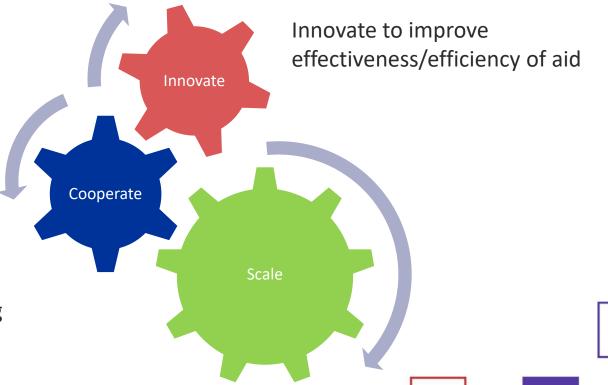
1. InnovAid objectives



Recognise organisations using technology to deliver humanitarian impact

Cooperation between humanitarians and the private sector

Recognise and scale life-saving technologies.



2. Categories and awards



European prize for Humanitarian Innovation

European and Horizon Europe assoc. countries - Humanitarian, NGO, private companies



Winner (250,000 €)



2nd place (150,000 €)



3rd place (100,000 €)

Recognition and **visibility** to your innovation ecosystem

Winners and runners up might join the EIC Prizes alumni network

3. Eligibility criteria





The candidate are any humanitarian non-governmental organisation, international organisation, and/or legal entity established in one of the Member States (including overseas countries and territories, OCTs) or a country associated to Horizon Europe.



Winners of previous EU or Euratom prizes cannot be rewarded by the same technological innovation.



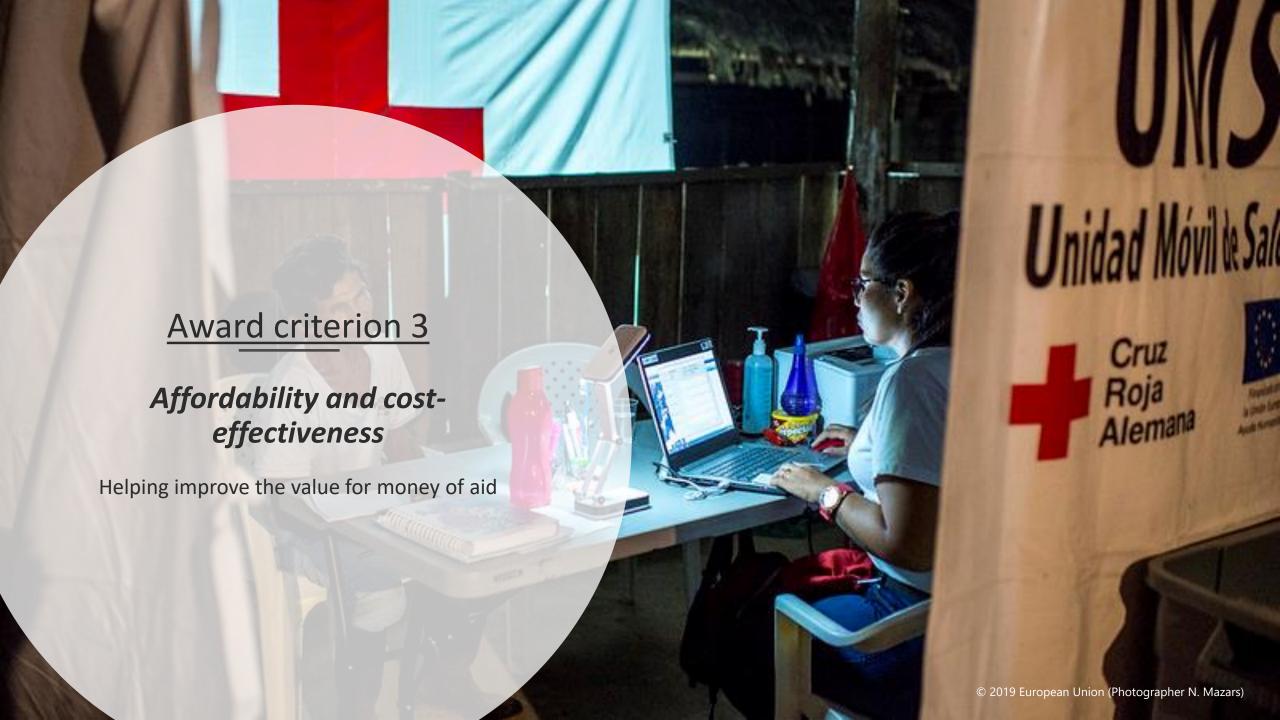


Award criterion 2

Quality and sustainability

Use of technology to improve quality of humanitarian response

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Award criterion 4

Engagement with end users

Engagement with users amongst affected people in the design and implementation



5. Timeline



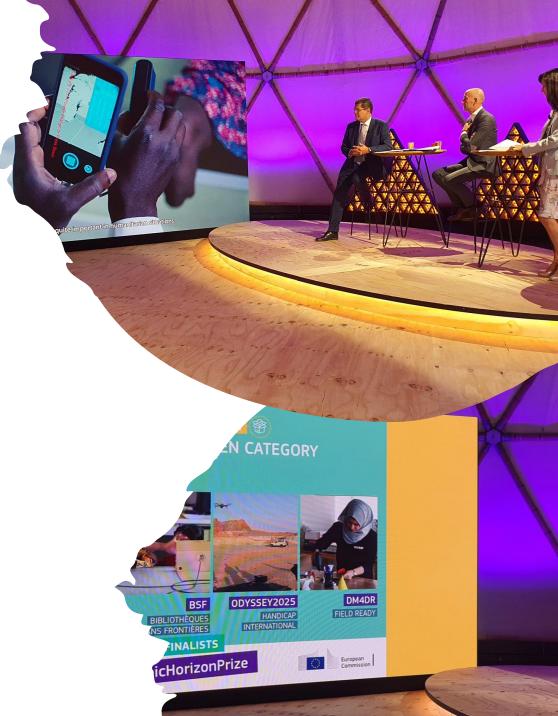


Milestone	Date
Call opening	21 March 2023
Deadline for submission	03 October (17:00:00 Brussels time)
Remote evaluation	October – January 2024
Results and award ceremony	Q1/2 2024

Interested?

Scan the QR code to get more information:







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Backing visionary entrepreneurs

The European Innovation Council
Snapshot of Humanity & Inclusion's
innovation after Horizon prizes



ODYSSEY 2025 Project



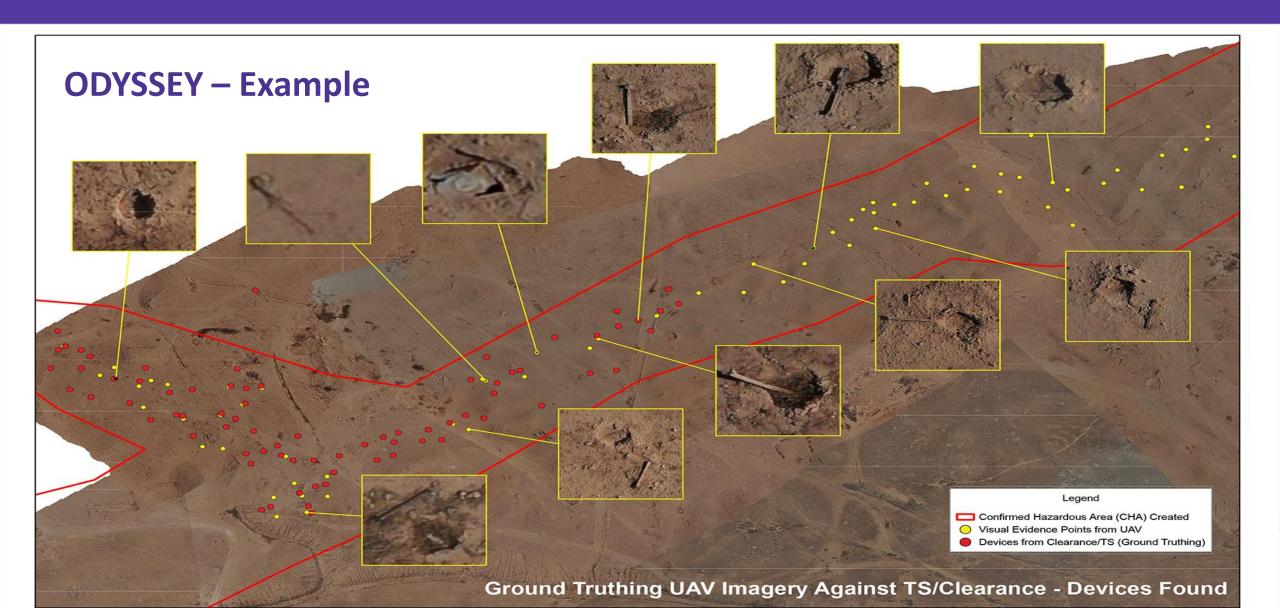
How can we work faster, safer and be more cost-efficient?





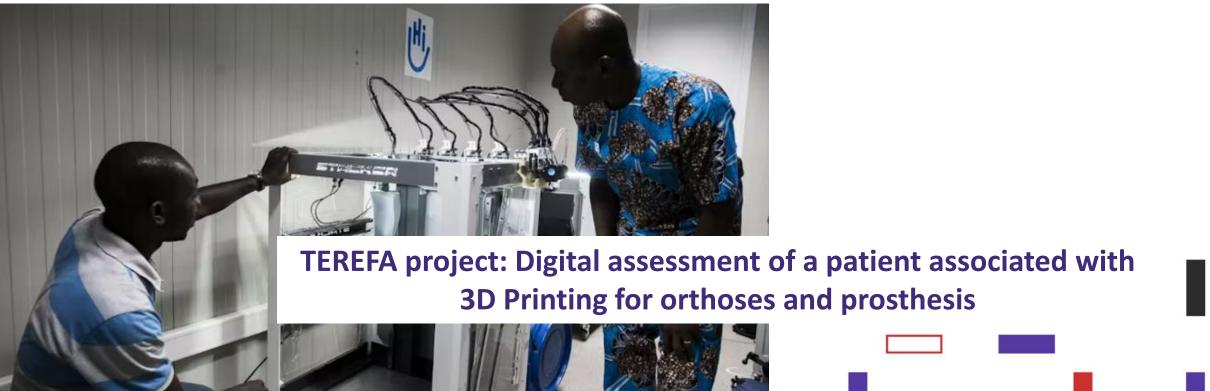
Drones in support of humanitarian demining







How to improve the access to orthopedic services for vulnerable populations?



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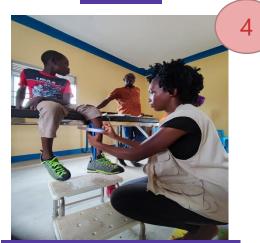
Clinical Assessment at the hospital or camp



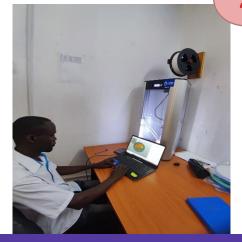
Finalization & assembly



Scanning with a portable scanner



Fitting and adjustment



Design and production



Patient follow-up in the camps



Main added value of the prize for the teams



Creation of a **special innovation fund** dedicated to the development of technological research, new proofs of concept or to facilitate the replication of innovative projects.

Internal recognition among all our teams to promote innovation and value the association



External recognition by our institutional partners and peers. Opportunity to raise awareness of our efforts to promote functional rehabilitation and humanitarian landmines clearance





3 examples of what has been facilitated by the fund

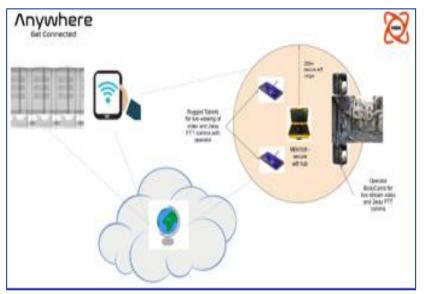


HI has recently launched **OpenTeleRehab** - an application that allows users to access tailored rehabilitation treatment programmes for different conditions. This allows rehabilitation professionals to provide ongoing support and monitoring via chat or video communication, including tracking compliance and goal achievement.



In partnership with the INSA engineering school, we have created a **research chair** which has enabled us to launch two (and one more to come) PhD theses to continue improving our innovations.





HI is testing the use of a portable and rapidly deployable mobile broadband internet kit, body worn cameras and a cloud network. It allows our field teams to deploy a secure WIFI network in minutes that is capable of linking multiple live-feed body worn cameras to our own secured network.



Thank you!

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