



## Transnational Access to Research Infrastructure Services

Are you ready to push the boundaries of your research?  
Are you working in sustainable aquaculture, fisheries, ecological restoration, blue biotechnology or a related field?

If yes, this call is for You.  
Gain free access to Europe's leading research facilities.

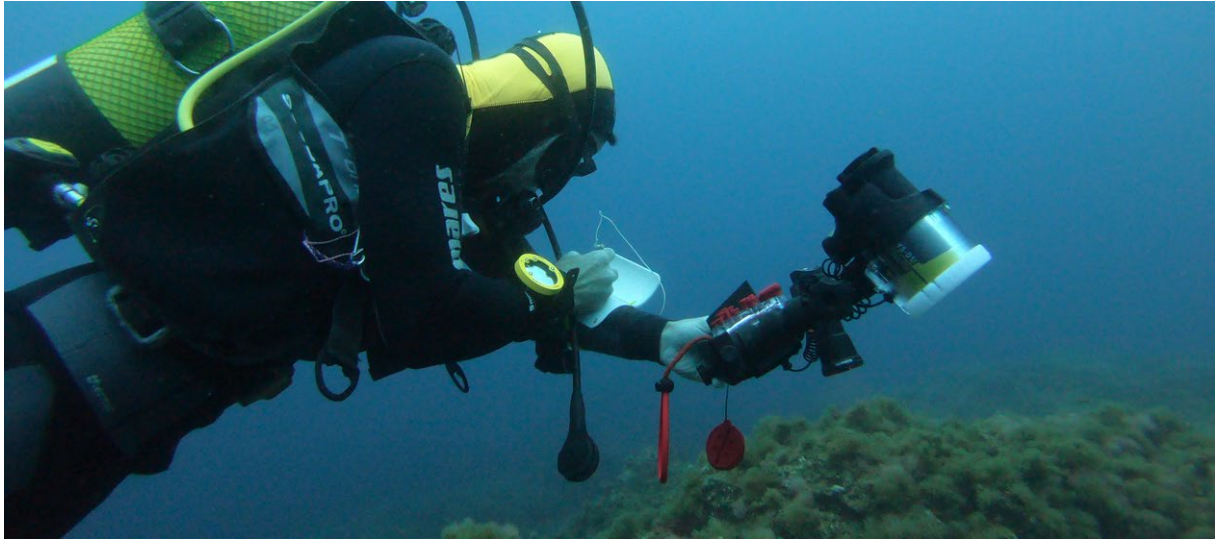


AQUASERV announces the launch of a Transnational Access Call, **offering a total of €8.5 million in funding to support researchers from academia and industry, from Europe and around the World**, to develop research projects in leading European research facilities, have access to cutting-edge technologies and services in marine and freshwater sustainable aquaculture, fisheries, ecological restoration, blue biotechnology and related fields.

## KEY DETAILS

- **Call Duration:** Continuously open after 15 November 2024 until December 2028
- **Access Types:** On-site and remote
- **Impact Areas:** Basic and applied research that promotes, contributes, and facilitates the implementation of:
  - The European Common Fisheries Policy,
  - The Farm to Fork Strategy,
  - The Sustainable Blue Economy,
  - The European Green Deal
  - And the EU Mission "Restore our Ocean and Waters by 2030"

For more detailed information, please visit the [AQUASERV website](#).



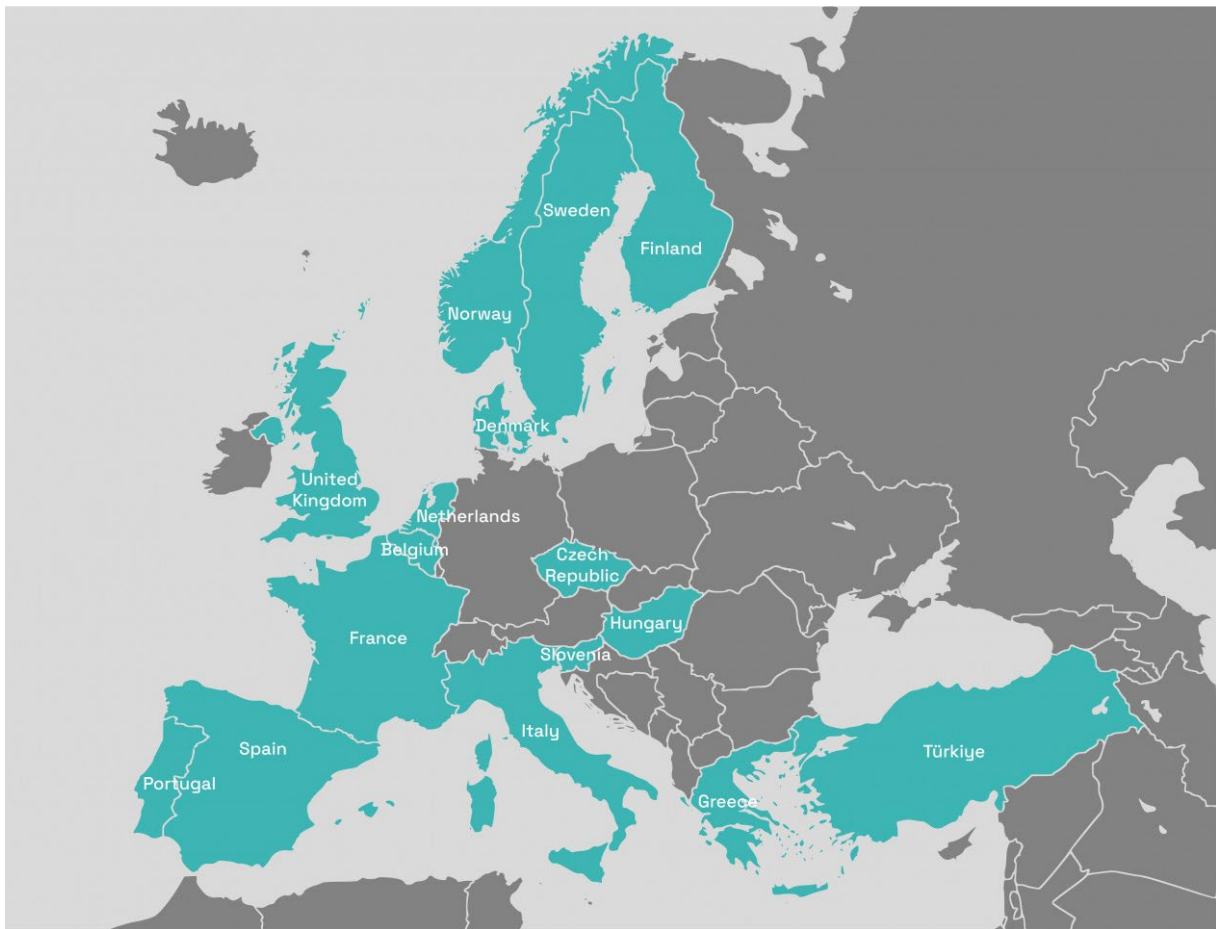
## WHO CAN APPLY?

AQUASERV invites **PhD students, early-career researchers, and recognised researchers affiliated with bona fide academic or scientific institutions or a registered company** to apply by submitting a research project to access one or several facilities in a country other than one of their home institutions

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## WHY CHOOSE AQUASERV?

The AQUASERV consortium is a unique network of top-tier European research infrastructures and international organisations, including EMBRC, AnaEE-ERIC, AQUAEXCEL 3.0, METROFOOD, ICES, and RISIS. It brings together **40 partners and 70 facilities across Europe**. This collaboration offers access to specialised resources, high-tech equipment, and expert support. **AQUASERV covers the travel, subsistence, and infrastructure access costs.**



## WHAT KIND OF PROJECT IS SUPPORTED?

This programme offers the flexibility to bring fresh perspectives and design research projects that explore new ideas or consolidate old ones while contributing to European policy priorities. We welcome research on **sustainable aquaculture, fisheries, ecological restoration, the blue economy and related topics**, marine or freshwater-related, including sustainability, food security, biotechnology, ecosystem health, pollution and others.



## HOW TO APPLY?

1. **Choose the required services:** Explore AQUASERV's service catalogue, select a facility, and contact the corresponding Access

Manager for guidance.

2. **Prepare a proposal:** Develop a research plan that maximises the resources available.
3. **Apply:** Proposals can be submitted continuously, with selections conducted every four months (March, July, November).

Each proposal goes through feasibility checks and scientific review with advisers external to AQUASERV to ensure the highest research quality and relevance standards.

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Don't miss this chance to advance your research through AQUASERV's fully funded transnational access.

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