## **HORIZON EUROPE - Overview of the Topics 2025**

## EU awards and cash prizes for innovative solutions to societal challenges



EU Award for Gender Equality Champions	Opening	Deadline	Type of Action
Sustainable Gender Equality Champions	September 2025 (tbc)	October 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
Newcomer Gender Equality Champions	September 2025 (tbc)	October 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
Inclusive Gender Equality Champions	September 2025 (tbc)	October 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
EIC Prizes			
European Capital of Innovation Awards	Opening	Deadline	Type of Action
European Capital of Innovation	Q1 2025 (tbc)	June 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
European Rising Innovative City	Q1 2025 (tbc)	June 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
European Prize for Women Innovators			
EIC Women Innovators	Q2 2025 (tbc)	September 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
EIC Rising Innovators	Q2 2025 (tbc)	September 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
EIT Women Leadership Award	Q2 2025 (tbc)	September 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
European Social Innovation Competition			
European Social Innovation Competition	Q2 2025 (tbc)	Q2 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
European Innovation Procurement Awards			
Innovation procurement initiative (including implementation)	Q2 2025 (tbc)	September 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize
Facing societal challenges	Q2 2025 (tbc)	September 2025 (tbc)	Recognition Prize

tbc: to be confirmed