

Proposal Outline

Open Topic	Defined by Applicant (relevant to one of the four research themes specified below)
Research Theme	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Security & Surveillance 2. Ocean Observation & Seabed Mapping 3. Ocean Literacy & Education 4. Integrated Policy & Governance: Socio-Economics
Background and Rationale	Applicants should refer to the National Marine Research & Innovation Strategy 2017-2021 to ensure that their selected topic addresses national strategic priorities.
Scope of Research (Scientific/ Technical Challenge)	Applicants can submit a topic under one of the four research themes specified above, and are guided to the “Research Topics” and “Focus of Funding” sections under the relevant research theme in the National Marine R&I Strategy.
Expected Impact	<p>The fellow will engage with relevant national and international networks, and explore opportunities for collaboration and securing further research funding under Horizon Europe.</p> <p>This fellowship will help to build national expertise in this research area.</p> <p>The fellow will produce policy briefs for stakeholders, and publish their research findings as widely as possible through peer-reviewed papers, conference presentations, articles, etc.</p>
Location of Fellow	Higher Education Institute or Public Research Body (Republic of Ireland)
Duration and Funding Available	<p>3-5 years</p> <p>€100,000 per annum maximum (e.g. €400,000 for 4 years duration)</p>