



MED GAIMS Webinars and Creative Labs

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

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- 1. In the ToR, two contact emails are noted info@medgaims.org and info@medgaims.com, do they both work?**

There was a typographical error in the ToR. The ONLY contact address you should use to communicate with us is info@medgaims.com
- 2. Q: Will the selection of the 5 winners take place after the second session of hackathons and creative labs?**

A: No, 2 winners (1 digital and 1 physical game) will be announced at the conclusion of the first event, and 3 winners (1 digital and 2 physical games) at the conclusion of the second event.
- 3. Q: If I have an idea for a game about a historical episode or a part of a cultural heritage site but which does not concern any of the five sites, would I not be included into the evaluation phase? It's correct?**

A: Correct, the games should be designed to have a number of their components that must necessarily reconnect to at least one of the proposed sites.
- 4. Q: Can Foundations or Research Centers participate as applicant or co-applicant?**

A: Point 1.5.1 provides that natural and legal persons can participate. Therefore, yes, foundations and research centers are eligible subjects if they meet the remaining requirements set out in the same point.
- 5. Q: Can cultural associations also participate?**

A: Point 1.5.1 provides that natural and legal persons can participate. Therefore, yes, cultural associations are eligible if they meet the remaining requirements set out in the same point.
- 6. Q: The phase of the creative Labs and the Hackathons will be carried out in person or there will be the possibility to participate online on a Slack-like platform?**

A: To this date, public events will be carried out in person. In the event of a worsening of health conditions related to the Covid-19 emergency, it is foreseeable that these activities become completely online. This assessment will be made on a country-per-county basis. Please regularly check our social media channels for relevant updates.



- 7. Q: Can companies with tax offices in France participate as proponents or co-proponents?**
A: Yes, but only if they have their registered office in the following eligible regions indicated by the program: Corse, Languedoc-Roussillon, Provence-Alpes-Côte d’Azur, Rhône - Alpes, Auvergne, Midi-Pyrenees
- 8. Q: Must all the proposing members of the team be based in the regions indicated in the call?**
A: According to point 1.5.1 of the call, yes, they must be based in one of the countries/regions listed.
- 9. Q: If the proposed group contains a person resident in an eligible region and another in an ineligible region, can only the person resident in the eligible region submit the proposal?**
A: Yes, only the person in the eligible region can submit as the applicant; the person residing in the ineligible region cannot submit the proposal in his/her name.
- 10. Q: Will the entire team must be present during public events or can only one representative of the team attend?**
A: There is no legal constraint provided in the call, but those 2 days are to be considered as a moment of work and revision of the idea towards the realization of a prototype. If the idea requires interdisciplinary skills, for example, it has a strong propensity towards graphics, and only the game designer is attending without the graphic designer it will be difficult to make it progress significantly in those 2 days
- 11. Q: Let's see if I understand correctly. When I submit a project idea, will a team be created at this point with the collaboration of the event organizer? Alternatively, can I join a team to collaborate on a project that is not mine?**
A: As an individual or as a team, the applicant presents his/her own project idea. The event organizer will support in communication, marketing, giving historical support but not entering into the design and implementation process that remains with the proposing party. Therefore, it is strongly recommended to present an idea with a complete team that provides all the professionalism necessary for its realization.
- 12. Q: Can we get to the Lab phase with the game practically developed?**
A: You can arrive with an already prototyped game. During the events, you will have the opportunity to refine, modify, enrich or totally change your game idea by interacting with the invited stakeholders and the support of the mentors present at the event.





13. Q: We are an Association of Social Promotion interested to take part in the "MED GAIMS" call for bids in one of the partner countries. In case we would like develop a digital game, if we lack the technical expertise in our group, could be expect to find such a person(s) during the Hackathon and then include that person(s) in our group?

A: With reference to the project evaluation criteria, and specifically criterion **1 Operational and financial capacity**, points 1.2 and 1.3., it is strongly advised that the expert capable of creating the digital component of the proposed game is part of the team. During the public events phase, interaction between the attending groups is likely to be stimulated with the sole aim of enriching the cross-pollination and creativity of the ideas proposed.

14. Q: Is it possible to propose as an applicant an association not yet registered?

A: As foreseen in point 1.5.1 of the call, both natural and legal persons can participate. An association must be registered in an official registry in Italy. If the association is still not officially registered, it will be necessary to submit the proposal in the name of one or more (in the case of a team) natural person and add the requested information (place of residence, city, etc.)

15. Q: I am a proponent (natural person) and in the case I've been awarded a subgrant: How is the payment documented? Must the proposer have a VAT number?

A The grant, as indicated in point 1.4 of the announcement, will be paid by bank transfer or cheque on the basis of project's progress reports, according to the output and payment tranche schedule indicated in point 1.6.2 - Phase 2 of the announcement. Furthermore, as indicated in point 1.5.1, natural and legal persons can submit proposals, therefore it is not necessary to be a VAT number holder.

