

## NGI TRUST

Partnership for innovative technological solutions to ensure privacy & enhance trust for the human-centric Internet

Open Calls 2019-2021

Grant Agreement 825618 - Horizon 2020



### NGI\_TRUST in a snapshot

#### **Project Partners**











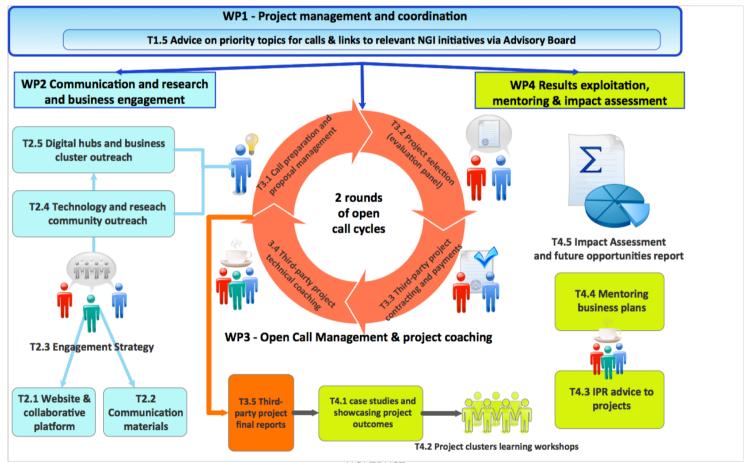


#### **Key facts & figures**

- Duration: 1 December
  2018-30 November 2021
- Funding available: €5.6m
- Two rounds of open calls
- 1<sup>st</sup> open call launched in February 2019
- 2<sup>nd</sup> open call in February 2020



## NGI TRUST project architecture



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# Pre-identified areas for the Open Calls (advisory board)

- Technical innovation in privacy enhancing technologies, such as crypto, federated identity, security and privacy for Internet of Things (IoT), distributed ledgers and privacy-enhancing data transports and data at rest
- Ethical aspects, such as ways to use AI/ML/neural networks to serve the user's interests, legal and best practices for policy makers to consider, impact of profiling and mass surveillance,
- Bootstrapping trust at the protocol level, to maintain a decentralized Internet Infrastructure, for the establishment of trust, privacy (and security) between end-users and services
- Ways for users to make more informed decisions on the relevance of information that they are asked to disclose when accessing services

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## NGI TRUST Open Calls

#### Open calls aim to:

- engage a variety of players (not "usual H2020 suspects");
- explore pre-selected privacy & trust enhancing topics (defined with support an advisory board) critical to building a human centric Internet
- 1st call (opens February 2019) will seek to attract a broad mix of projects including a larger number of early-stage 'feasibility' studies
- 2. 2<sup>nd</sup> call (opens February 2020) will aim to build on 1st phase projects (larger second round funded projects following on from smaller pilot/feasibility projects) but also attract additional players with scalable projects

Indicative budget allocation per call round:

- 1st call approx. 40%;
- 2nd call remaining 60%.

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#### Third-party projects

Three types of third-party projects will be awarded funding:

- Phase 1 (viability): up to € 100K from NGI\_Trust no matching funds required;
- Phase 2 (execution) : up to € 200K from NGI\_Trust -> matching funds up to € 100K (2/3 1/3 model);
- Phase 3 (transition to commercialisation): up to €200K in NGI\_Trust core funding -> equivalent in matching funds (50/50).

<u>Maximum</u> award to any single third-party will be €200,000.

Duration of third-party projects: from 9 to 12 months (some flexibility).

All projects will receive additional support in the form of technical coaching, business mentoring and IP advice from the project partners and other NGI projects.

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#### More information/contact us

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Information on open calls will be available early 2019 @

https://www.ngi.eu/opencalls