

CBE JU INFO DAY IN PORTUGAL

Get ready for the 2025 call:
information day & technical visit

17th March 2025

14h00-17h30 | RAIZ



AGÊNCIA NACIONAL
DE INOVAÇÃO



Circular
Bio-based
Europe
Joint Undertaking



Instituto Nacional de
Investigação Agrária e
Veterinária, I.P.



GABINETE DE PLANEAMENTO,
POLÍTICAS E ADMINISTRAÇÃO GERAL



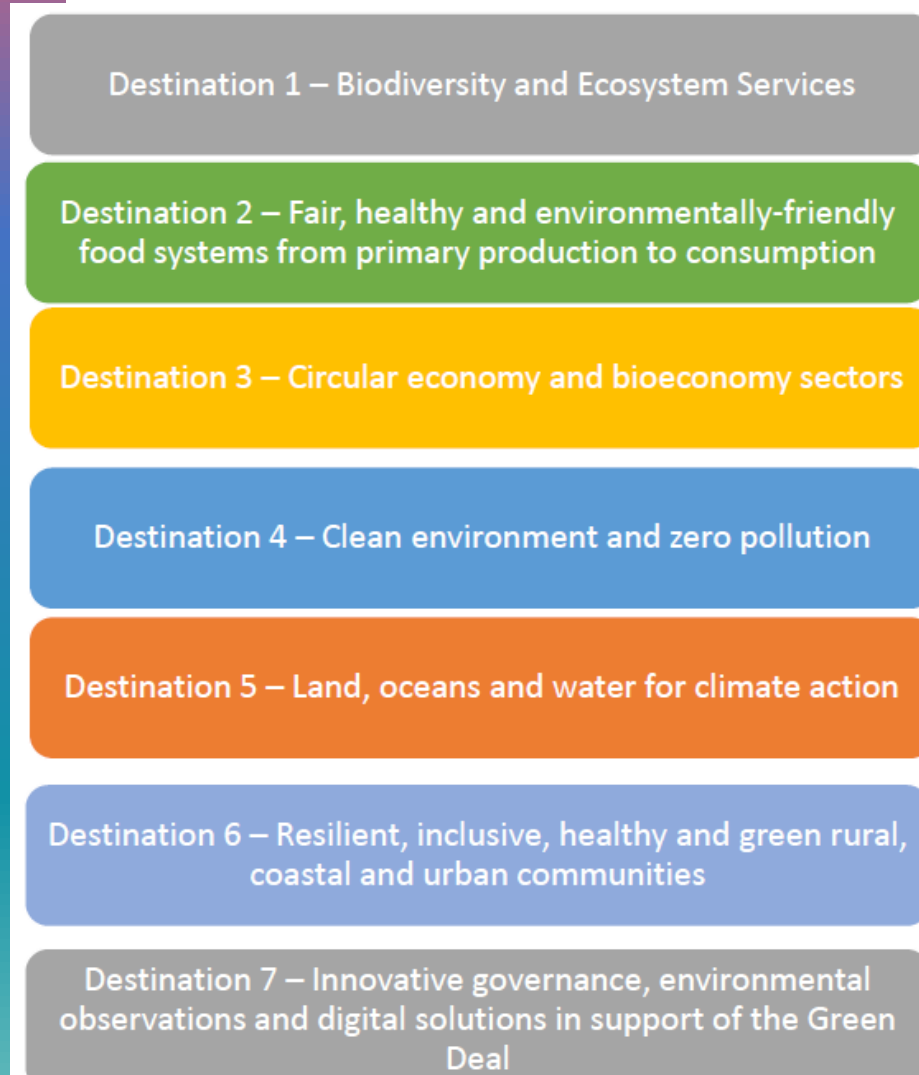
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Food, Bioeconomy, Natural resources, Agriculture and Environment

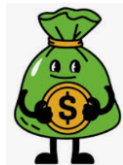
CL6 focuses on protecting biodiversity, managing natural resources sustainably, ensuring food security, and driving the transition to a low-carbon, circular, and sustainable bioeconomy through innovation and digitalization.



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MISSIONS



~€9 billion (2021-2027)

Your CL6 National Contact Points (NCPs) to support you



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Newsletters

Dedicated information on thematic areas.

[Link to ANI Newsletters](#)

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Zoom-in on Portugal's participation in the CBE JU calls 2022-2024



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CBE-JU 2022-2024

13.4 M€

23 projects
198 proposals

Success rate: 11.6% (EU: 14%)

2 national coordinations

42 PT entities receiving EU funding

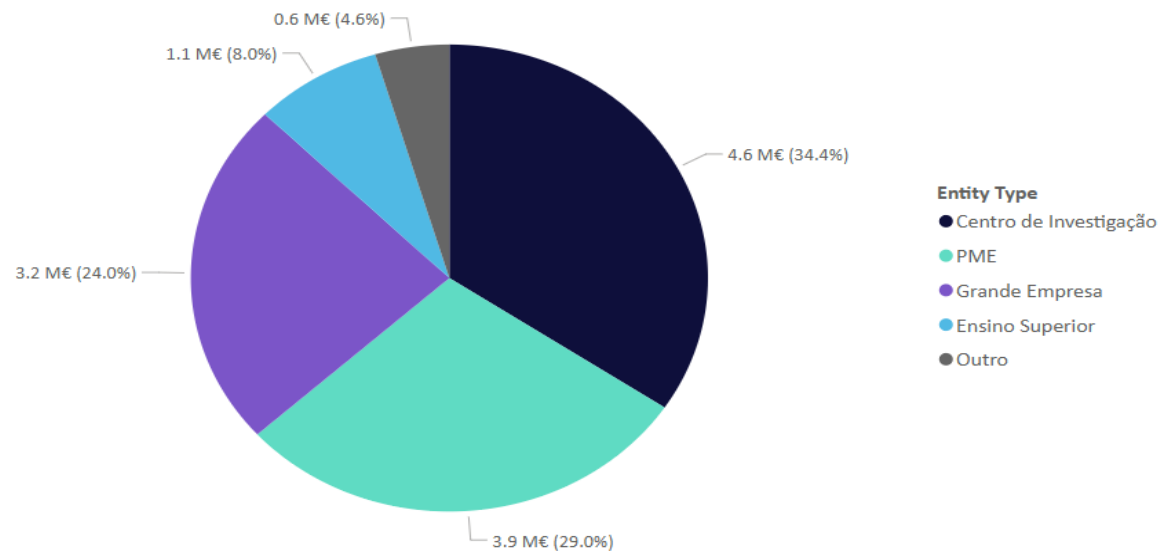
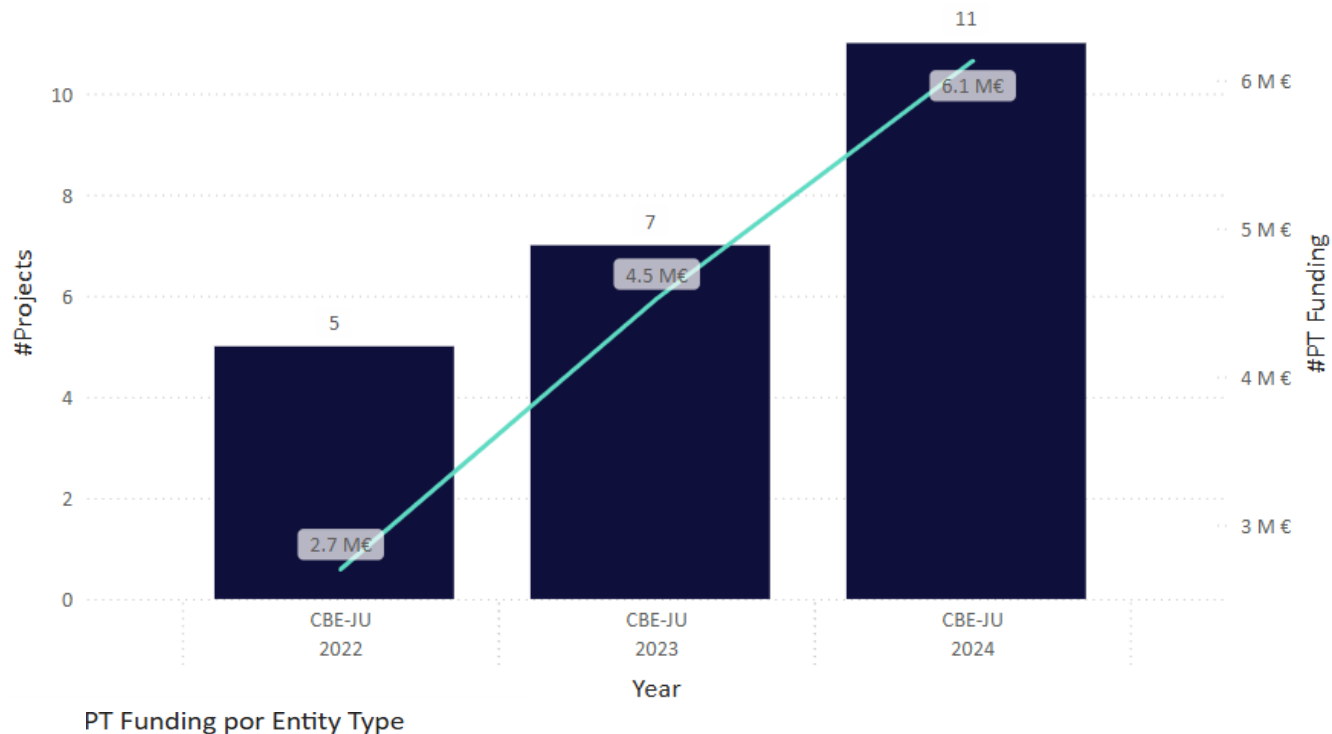
25 companies (>50% SME)

53% funding to companies



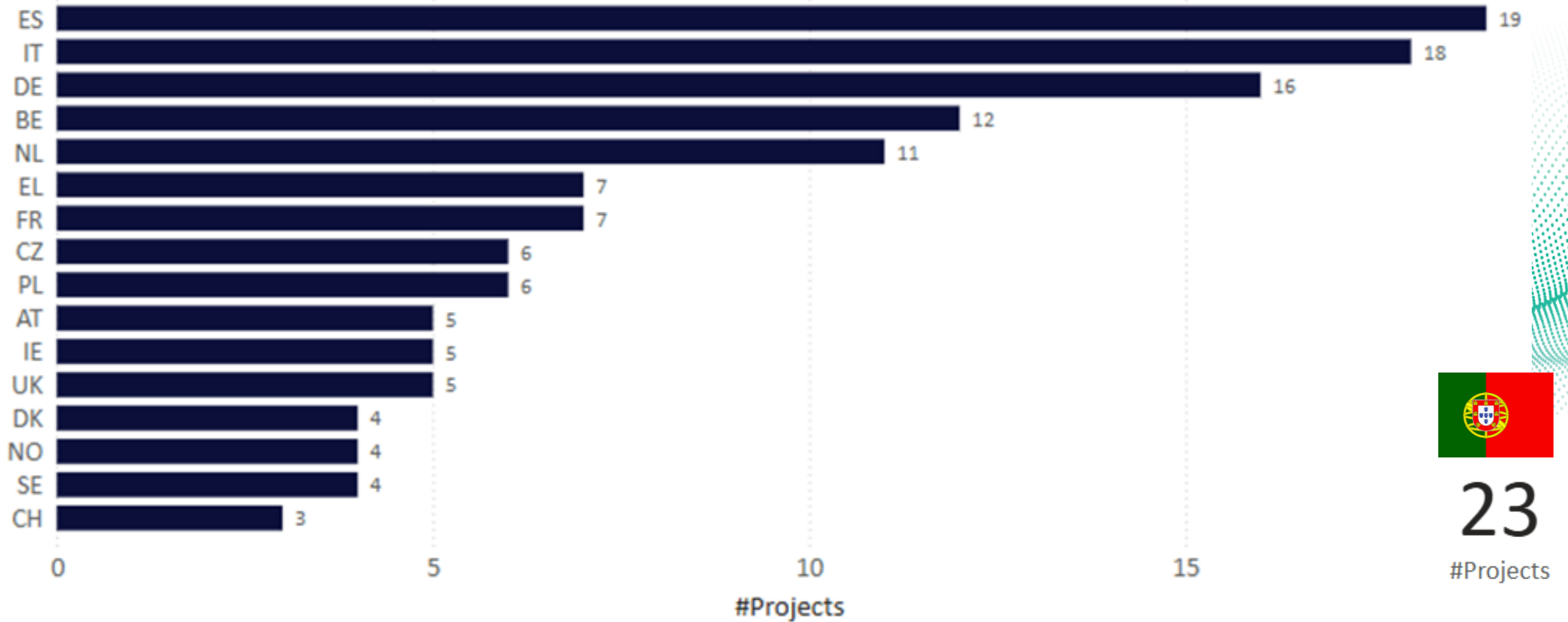
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● #Projects ● PT Funding



With whom does PT participate most in CBE JU projects

#Projects by Country



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Portugal

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ABACUS

Algae production is currently limited to a few small industries, mainly for the feed, nutrition and cosmetic sectors. This is ripe for expansion...

Project focus: Food, feed & cosmetics

Completed

AFTERLIFE

The AFTERLIFE project proposes a flexible, cost- and resource-efficient process for recovering and valorising the relevant fractions from wastewater...

Project focus: Packaging

Completed

BBTWINS

The EU is already the largest producer of food and drink in the world. Yet as the demand for food increases – and the need for EU food security grows...

Project focus: Digital tool

In progress

BeonNAT

Despite being one of the largest markets in the world for biochemicals, very few biomass-derived compounds are being developed here in Europe. However...

Project focus: Bio-based chemicals

In progress

BIOBRIDGES

In addition to the price tag, public acceptance of bio-based products depends on a variety of factors including their social, economic and...

Project focus: Market, policies & awareness

Completed

BioINSouth

Refine Clear

QR Code



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#Coordinations

Achieved the maximum score in the evaluation (15/15)



Polymers-5B

Today's society increasingly relies on plastic materials leading to an important impact on climate change and planetary health. Over 97% of plastics...

Project focus: Bio-based polymers & plastics

In progress



MULTIPLY - Multiplying feasible microalgae-derived products at scale (still under GA preparation)



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Portuguese presence in CBE JU



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PT representatives in CBE JU Advisory Boards

<https://www.cbe.europa.eu/governance>

States representatives' group



Country	Name	Last name	Main/Alternate	Organisation name
Portugal	Maria João	Fernandes	Main	MCTES/ANI (Ministry of Science, Technology and higher education / National Innovation Agency)
Portugal	Clara	Lopes	Alternate	MA/GPP (Ministry of Agriculture / Office of Planning, Policies and General Administration)
Portugal	José	Matos	Alternate	MA/INIAV (Ministry of Agriculture / National Institute of Agricultural and Veterinary Research)
Portugal	Bertilia	Valadas	Alternate	MAAC/SGA (Ministry of Environment and Climate Change / General Secretary)

HE CL6
NCP

Scientific Committee



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Helena Vieira

Chair

Coordinator Researcher
and ERA Chair Holder

University of Aveiro, Department of
Environment and Planning/CESAM R&D
Center

Biography

PT representatives in the Bio-based Industries Consortium (BIC)

<https://biconsortium.eu/industrial-members>



Industry Members



PT representatives in the Bio-based Industries Consortium (BIC)

<https://biconsortium.eu/associate-members>



Associate Members



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**Take note of
some important
events!**



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CBE JU Info Day and networking platform 2025

Register now



CBE JU Info Day 2025

 Hybrid



3 April, Brussels

Register now!

#CBEInfoDay



B2B Meeting
scheduling: arrange
virtual or in-person
meetings to discuss
collaborations





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This successful project leveraged the CBE JU networking platform to bring together diverse expertise and form a strong consortium.



**The POLYMERS-5B
project came to life
through the CBE JU
networking platform!**



CARE4BIO & CBE JU Training



Date: 2 April 2025



Venue: CBE JU office, White Atrium, Avenue de la Toison d'Or 56-60, 1060 Brussels, Belgium



Target Group: applicants from **widening countries**



Registration: Free but compulsory – first come, first served!

More information & registration:



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TRAINING FOR APPLICANTS | HOW TO APPROACH A SUCCESSFUL PROPOSAL IN CBE JU

Program

09:00	Registration and Welcome coffee
09:30	Opening and introduction Virginia Puzzolo, Head of CBE JU Programme Unit Adrianna Pawlik, CARE4BIO project, NCBR
09:50	How to write a good CBE JU proposal : proposal templates and specific CBE JU requirements
10.15	How to build a good consortium : tools, platforms and tips Bénédicte De Brouwer, CARE4BIO project, HubBrussels
10:30	Part B Excellence: hand-on session Short introduction of the section and interactive discuss in participative tables per type of action (Flag, IAs, RIAs) Moderated by CARE4bio and CBE JU
11:30	Coffee break
11:45	Part B Impact: hand-on session Short introduction of the section and interactive discuss in participative tables per type of action (Flag, IAs, RIAs) Moderated by CARE4bio and CBE JU
12:45	10min reporting per type of action (Flag, IAs, RIAs)
13:15 – 13:30	Closing remarks

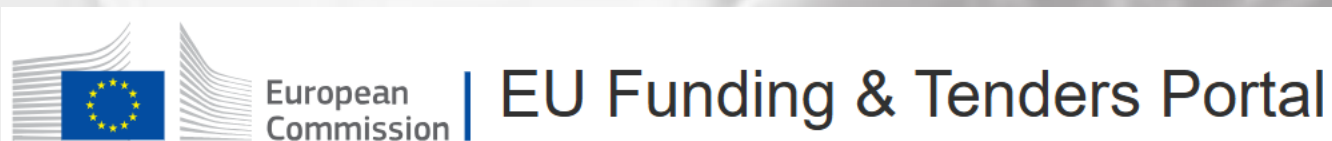
APPLY AS AN EXPERT

Are you an expert in circular bio-based industries but not submitting a proposal?

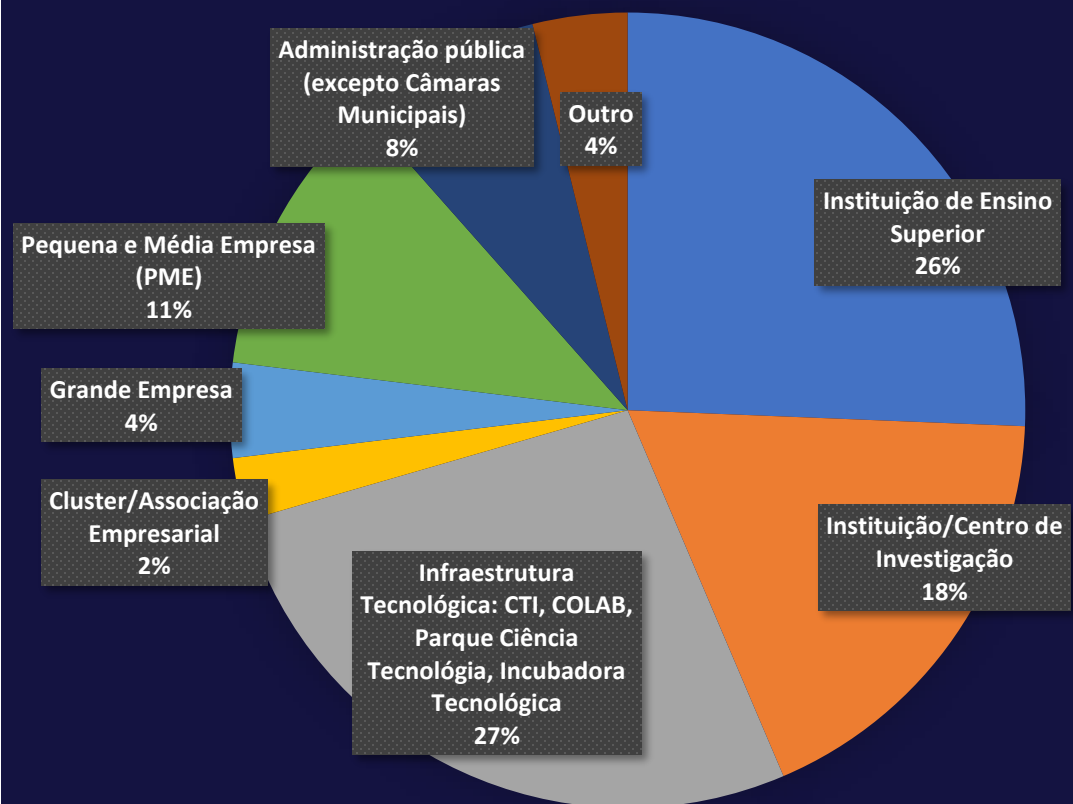
✓ Create or update your expert profile on the
European Commission's Funding & Tenders portal

✉ Email experts@cbe.europa.eu by end-May

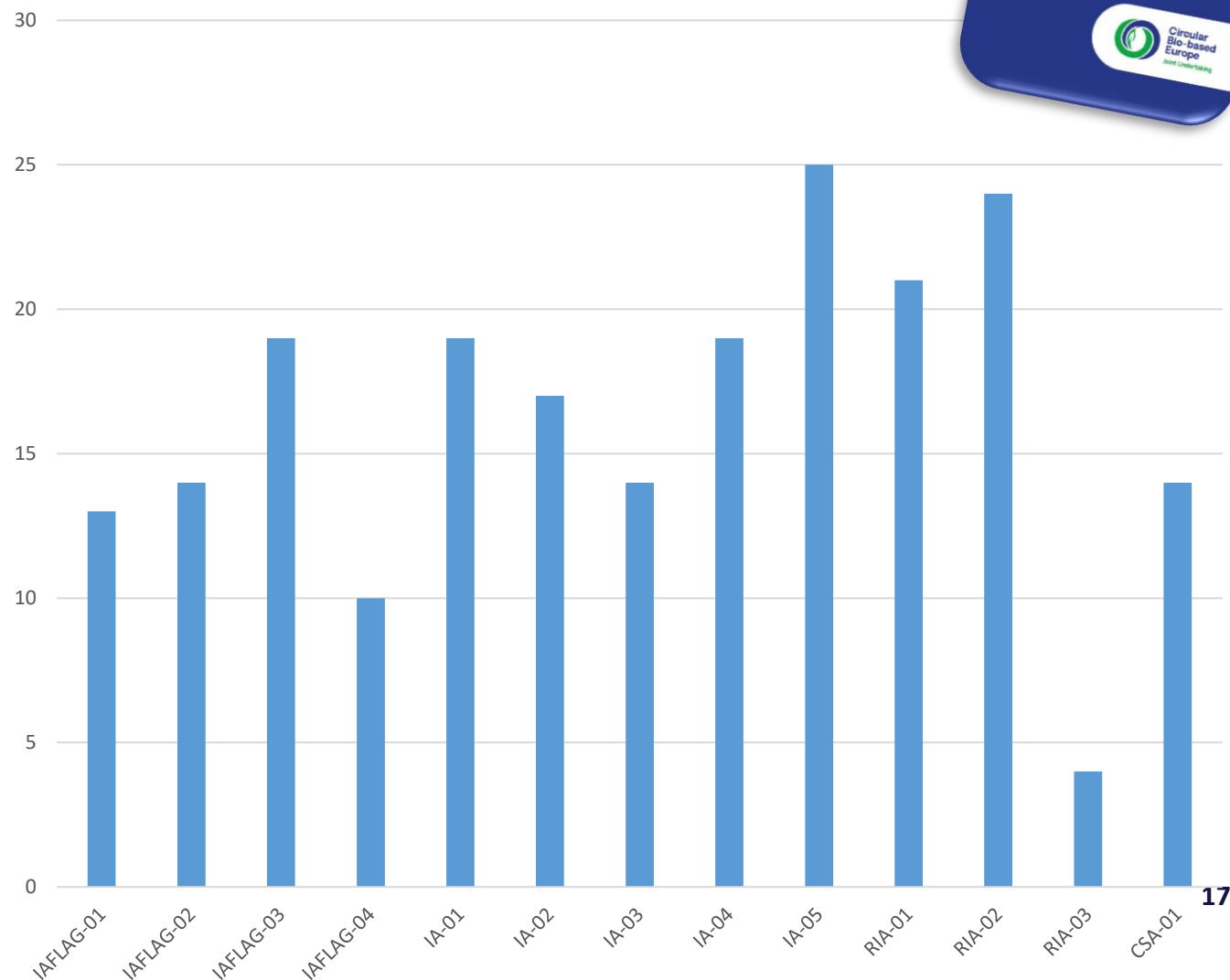
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PARTICIPANTS IN THIS EVENT: PROFILES & TOPICS OF INTEREST



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Welcome address

→ **Carlos Pascoal Neto**

(Director General, RAIZ)

→ **Maria João Fernandes**

(SRG national representative, ANI)

14:00 – 15:00

General presentation of the
CBE JU 2025 call

→ Priorities, novelties, participation
rules & guidance for successful
proposals → **Oliver Zobell**
(CBE JU Programme Officer
& Call Coordinator)

→ An overview of the call topics
and challenges: the industry's
perspective → **Samuele
Ambrosetti** (BIC Programming
& Innovation Manager)

Moderator: **José Matos** (SRG
national representative, INIAV)

Q&A

15:00 – 15:30

Networking coffee

15:30 – 16:45

Guided tour to RAIZ – Forest
& Paper Research Institute

→ **João Ezequiel** (Curator of
Quinta de S. Francisco, RAIZ)

16:45 – 17:15

Insights and lessons from
Portuguese participants in CBE
JU Calls

→ **Susana Loureiro** (UA)

→ **Joana Oliveira** (FC-UP/REQUIMTE)

Moderator: **Clara Lopes** (SRG
national representative, GPP)

Q&A

17:15 – 17:30

Overall discussion

17:30

Closing