ARE YOU UP TO THE TASK?

EFSA has launched a new type of grant that will **give us** access to your expertise, and **give you** the chance to work more closely with us in safeguarding food safety in Europe.



Our **TASKING GRANTS** enable our valued Article 36 partners to support us in our day-to-day scientific activities.

This new type of grant is different because EFSA specifies the process or expertise required rather than Article 36 organisations proposing a specific project. EFSA focuses the tasking grants on these areas:

Establish working processes to allow EFSA to meet the requirements of new legislation

Example: safety assessment of novel foods and traditional foods from third countries.

Get expertise not available in EFSA to fulfil a specific mandate/task.

Example: expertise on whole genome sequencing of zoonotic microorganisms.

Develop guidance or methodologies.

Example: drafting of new guidance on endocrine disruptors in pesticides.

What's in it for you?

- A long-term, multiannual partnership with EFSA
- The chance to work on the frontline of food safety risk assessment in Europe
- Mutually beneficial exchange of expertise and knowledge

How does it work?

- EFSA launches a call for proposals and you nominate your organisation, providing evidence that you
 possess the capacity and expertise required for the task
- EFSA signs with the winning organisation a long term partnership agreement
- EFSA co-finances up to 90% of eligible costs.



- Contact your national EFSA Focal Point to get more information. Focal Points are the interfaces between EFSA and relevant national organisations
- Contact EFSA: <u>efsaprocurement@efsa.europa.eu</u>



