



Business Plan 2026–2028

RAPTOR 2026 Open Call

Guidance for Applicants

EIT Urban Mobility - Mobility for more liveable urban spaces

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In case you encounter any issues at any time during the proposal submission stage, please reach out immediately to pmo@eiturbanmobility.eu indicating the issue and proposal ID number.

Please DO NOT use the Safari browser (and any other similar one). We recommend you only use Edge, Chrome or Firefox.

1. Register and apply

1.1 PIC and PIF registration

The first step one organisation must take, to be able to apply for an EIT Urban Mobility Call, is to register in the [EU Funding & Tender Portal](#) and obtain a **valid PIC number**.

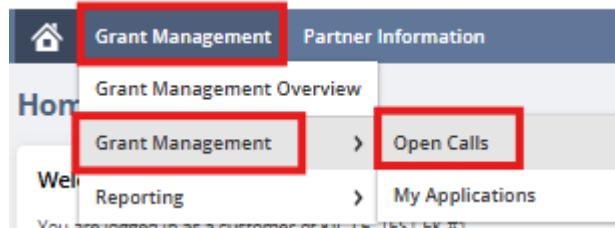
You can verify directly on the EU Portal whether your organisation is already registered and has a PIC: <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/how-to-participate/participant-register-search>

Once an organisation has a PIC number, it will be possible to register in the [new EIT UM NetSuite platform](#), by submitting the [Partner Information Form \(PIF\)](#).

If you have never registered in NetSuite, please complete the Partner Information Form (PIF). If the system denies your registration because the PIC number corresponds to an already registered entity, or because your email address is associated with an existing entity, please contact servicedesk@eiturbanmobility.eu.

1.2 Search for open calls and apply

Once you land on the homepage of the portal, click on the **Grant Management**, **Grant Management**, **Open Calls**:



You will see the list of all EIT Urban Mobility Calls currently open. Choose **RAPTOR Open Call 2026** from the list and click on the “**apply**” icon:

RAPTOR Open Call 2026

RAPTOR (Rapid Applications for Transport) is EIT Urban Mobility's rapid piloting programme designed to address concrete urban mobility challenges through fast and focused collaboration between cities and innovators. Participating cities define a specific challenge linked to their local mobility needs.

Startups and SMEs propose solutions tailored to that challenge and work closely with the city to adapt, test, and validate the solution in a real urban environment. The programme is...

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 Launching Date: 16/01/2026

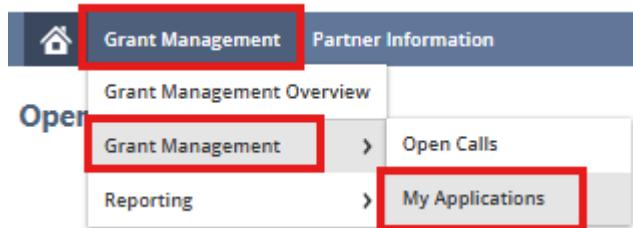
 Closing Date: 12/03/2026

[Apply](#)

Once you click on “apply” a new Application Form (AF) is created and you will be able to start filling it in with all the information of your project. The AF is divided into six different tabs, each containing a set of information.

Once you start working on your AF, we recommend you to **save (SaveAsDraft) often**, especially when you move from one tab to another.

You will be able to find your draft application as shown here below. In the “My applications” section, you can also see if your application is still in draft or was submitted.



Leading Partner

Program: RAPTOR Open Call 2026

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In Progress

 01/07/2026 - 31/12/2026

Open Application/Project

Contact Leader

Program: RAPTOR Open Call 2026

No Acronym available

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In Progress

 01/07/2026 - 31/12/2026

Open Application/Project

Contact Leader means you are the project coordinator contact for this proposal. You will be able to save and submit the application.

Leading Partner indicates that your entity is the coordinating entity for this proposal. Someone else in your entity has created this application and can save and submit it. You will find the responsible person under the partner information tab.

2. Main Information

The ID proposal number is automatically assigned by the system when you first save your proposal.

First, you will have to indicate to which City challenge according to the Call Manual you are applying.

* Select City Challenge

Please refer to the Call Manual to identify the appropriate city challenge and select it from the dropdown.

- 1.Anteox, Spain – Smart Charging Data
- 2.Balti, Moldova – Smart Bus Network
- 3.Berlin, Germany – School Route Safety Boost
- 4.Bilbao, Spain – Smart Access to Health Centres
- 5.Brussel, Belgium – Inclusive EV-Charging Data
- 6.Edinburgh, United Kingdom – Data-Driven Parking Management
- 7.Guimarães, Portugal – Optimising Market Deliveries
- 8.Helsinki, Finland – Fleet-Based Urban Data Collection
- 9.London, United Kingdom – Digital and Inclusive Kerbside
- 10.Luleå, Sweden – Winter Road Condition Data for Active Mobility
- 11.Lviv, Ukraine – Traffic Signs Digital Inventory
- 12.Nitra, Slovakia – Passenger Flow Analytics
- 13.Salzburg, Austria – Increase Municipal Bike Fleet Use
- 14.Trento, Italy – Optimised Cycling Navigation
- 15.Wiesbaden, Germany – Loading Zones Monitoring

When entering the **project title and acronym**, remember this will be the official name publicly used to promote your project.

In the framework of the RAPTOR Open Call 2'26, the timeline is already foreseen from **July 1, 2026 until December 31, 2026** (as indicated in the Call Manual) – this will be prefilled in the application form and cannot be adapted.

* Project starting date	<input type="text" value="01/07/2026"/>
* Project ending date	<input type="text" value="31/12/2026"/>

The sections “total budget”, “total EIT funding” and “total co-funding” will be populated automatically by the system once you created a Work Package and added your budget.

When writing the **executive summary**, remember this must provide a comprehensive but general overview of the project and that, if your project is selected for funding, it will be used for dissemination purposes. We suggest you to fill in this section once you have completed all other sections and therefore have a clear overview of your project.

*** Executive summary (max 1000 characters)**

Please describe the problem being addressed and why existing solutions do not address the need. Describe your proposed solution/product/service along with the value proposition and its market opportunity. Describe how and where you intend to validate the solution (demos) and the expected impact (short/medium/long term). This information should be accessible to the general public for dissemination. NB: This field should not contain jargon, acronyms, and confidential, or sensitive information(max 1000 characters)

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2. List of Keywords Related to this Project

Please provide a minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords

Select

3. Free Self-defined Keywords

please provide a minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords [+ New Keyword](#)

You must enter a **minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords** (to be selected from a drop-down menu) and a **minimum of three and a maximum of five self-defined keywords** (which you can therefore freely type). Make sure you select the keywords that best represent your project. You can type in a word to see available pre-defined keywords.

Business and Innovation

Business model innovation

Competitiveness, innovation, research and developm

Demand driven innovation

Design innovation

Digital Social Innovation

Disruptive innovation

Economics of innovation

innovation

To enter a **self-defined keyword**, click on “new keyword”, type the word and press “enter” to save it.

* List of Keywords Related to this Project

Please provide a minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords

Select

* Free Self-defined Keywords

please provide a minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords

+ New Keyword

* Free Self-defined Keywords

please provide a minimum of three and a maximum of five keywords

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Last, indicate how you heard about the call by choosing one option from the drop-down menu.

* How did you hear about this call? (Please select one or more)

Select

If you selected option 'Other', please specify

Before moving to the next tab, remember to **click on the “save” button**.

3. Partner Information

The **“Project Leader (Applicant)”** is automatically assigned by the system, and it is the organisation of the contact that creates the Application Form.

The **e-mail of the main contact person** is also automatically populated and is always the e-mail address of the contact that created the Application Form.

Main Information Partner Information Project Scope WorkPlan Supporting Documents Budget

Partner Information

* Project Leader (EN)

Please indicate the Lead Partner organisation for the proposal. This person will create, edit and submit the proposal. If your organisation is a partner or an Affiliated entity registered in PLAZA but is not visible in the dropdown list, please contact servicedesk@eiturbanmobility.eu

* Project Leader main contact person e-mail

This is the Project Leader's e-mail address as provided in the system at the time of the first registration.

You will have to indicate when your SME was registered officially as a legal entity by adding the date (the registration must happen before the call closure):

* Registration date of the legal entity

Please enter the official date your SME was registered as a legal entity.



Indicate the % of women in leadership roles within the SME, by adding a number between 0 – 100:

* Women in leadership roles within the SME (0-100)

Indicate the % of women in leadership positions in your company including executive roles, e.g., CEO, Directors, team or department heads, board members, and other roles with significant influence over key decisions.

You must confirm that you are qualifying as an SME under EU definition by ticking the box.

* SME confirmation

Confirm that your organisation qualifies as an SME under the EU definition

NO YES, I confirm

Before moving to the next tab, remember to **click on the “save” button**.

4. Project Scope

For this whole section: we recommend you to prepare the answers offline and copy-paste them in the Application Form only once they are finalised. When filling in the final information in the system, we recommend you to **save often** (do not wait to have the whole tab completed before saving).

Remember that you are **not allowed to include any URLs** in your Application Form.

In case your product or service previously received (co) funding from EIT Urban Mobility, you must provide a clear explanation of how the proposed product or service represents a significant improvement or advancement by describing the changes. Otherwise, indicate N/A in this field:

* Has the proposed product or service previously received (co)funding from EIT Urban Mobility?

If YES, please provide a clear explanation of how the proposed product or service represents a significant improvement or advancement compared to the earlier funded version.

If NO, please write N/A (not applicable).

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Furthermore, you will be asked to define the **strategic fit** of your project and **how the proposal aligns with the EIT Urban Mobility strategic objectives and directly addresses the specific City Challenge selected**.

Strategic Fit

* EIT UM Strategic fit (max 800 characters)

Describe how your proposal aligns with EIT Urban Mobility strategic objectives: 903/T503: Deploying and scaling green, safe and inclusive mobility solutions for people and goods... 904/T504: Accelerating market opportunities through agile innovation.

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* City Challenge (max 1500 characters)

Describe how your proposal directly addresses the specific City Challenge selected (full description of the city challenges is available in the Call Manual - Annex B). Explain how your solution contributes to solving this challenge.

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You will then be required to reply to all the call-specific questions, in particular:

- **Product/Service:** Describe your product/service clearly, including the core elements such as functionalities and components to be developed. Highlight how your product/service demonstrates novelty and competitiveness.

- **Need and Relevance:** Describe who is the target beneficiary/user of your solution (e.g., municipality, citizens, mobility providers, etc.)? Highlight how your proposal addresses their needs and demonstrate its relevance to them.
- **Gender and diversity:** Please describe how your solution actively considers inclusivity in the solutions' design, development, and implementation, widening its impact across diverse user groups.
- **SMART Objectives:** Define objectives your project intends to achieve, applying the SMART framework (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Time-bound). Clearly state the intended results in relation to the selected city challenge.
- **Execution and Demonstration plan:** Outline the project execution plan, including the main activities, timeline, risks, and mitigation measures, linking them to your SMART objectives. Describe the demonstration plan/in-situ testing, specifying timeframe and scope including potential location(s), number of people to be involved in testing, etc. If applicable, outline the resources that you would need from the city-side for a successful development and implementation (e.g. specific data sets, infrastructure access, specific software, connection with local ecosystem etc. or none).
- **Budget:** Provide an explanation about how the project budget will be allocated across main activities and budget categories (e.g., personnel, travel, equipment, subcontracting, etc.). Demonstrate that the proposed use of resources is efficient and represents value for money. Note: This Call operates under a lump-sum funding model, meaning that each awarded project will have a fixed budget of €60,000.
- **Project Team:** Describe the project team, their technical and business expertise in the relevant field, including the expertise of key staff members to effectively manage and deliver the RAPTOR project. Clearly state how gender and diversity are reflected in the project team structure, particularly women in leadership and decision-making positions.
- **Dissemination:** Describe the expected social, economic, and environmental impacts of your product/service on the selected city challenge, using quantitative indicators where possible.
- **Overall Impact:** Describe the expected social, economic, and environmental impacts of your product/service on the selected city challenge, using quantitative indicators where possible.
- **Commercialisation and replicability:** Explain the demand and need for your product/service in the market. What is your commercialisation/sales strategy for this product/service to ensure scalability across other European contexts beyond the pilot?
- **Intellectual Property:** Describe how you plan to manage intellectual property rights (IPR) related to your solution, including ownership, protection measures, and/or strategies for the commercialisation and exploitation of results. Note: For further details on the key elements of a sound IP strategy check the IP strategy checklist available on the Call website.

Before moving to the next tab, remember to **click on the “save” button**.

5. Work Plan

5.1 Work Packages

Under this tab, you are asked to create **1 single Work Package (WP)**. You have to create the WP before can add the related deliverables.

The creation of the WPs structure must be done before starting to work on the Budget tab: the budget will in fact appear in the Budget tab only after you have created the WP in the Work Plan tab. Following this same logic, once you remove a WP in the Work Plan tab, the lump sum budget will disappear also from the Budget tab. If you create more work packages, more budget tabs will be created, therefore delete any additional ones.

Work Package

Create only one single Work Package titled "Project Implementation". All three mandatory deliverables should be added under this Work Package.

New Work Package

Once you click on "new work package" a new window will appear where you can insert the details of the work package. The WPs will be **automatically numbered** by the system: do not include the WP number in the WP title, and **make sure to only create one WP named Project Implementation**

Work Package

* WP name

Project Implementation

* WP description

* WP Start Date

01/07/2026

* WP End Date

31/12/2026

The start and end date of the WPs must be the same as the project start (01/07/2026) and end date (31/12/2026) of the overall project.

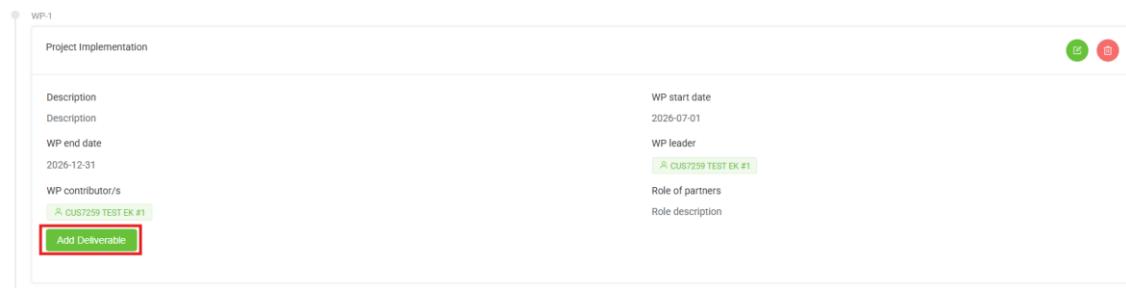
Make sure to select yourself as WP leader and WP contributor.

Provide a short description of the tasks as WP description and your specific role under Role of Partners.

If you delete a WP, all deliverables linked to it will be deleted too. By deleting a WP the system will automatically re-number the other existing ones (if any).

5.2 Deliverables

Once you save the WP, it will be possible to link deliverables to it. To do so, simply click on “add deliverable” and a pop-up window will open:



You will be able to add the deliverables as mentioned in the Call Manual Chapter 3.5:

DEL 1: Commercial agreement

The commercial agreement signed between EIT Urban Mobility and the SME should be submitted online.

Achievement date: July 1, 2026

DEL 2: Branding and communications

EIT Urban Mobility will provide a template requesting information about the project’s compliance with the EIT Urban Mobility Communication Guidelines and the EIT Urban Mobility Brand Book, as well as general promotional information about the SME and project. The template must be completed by the SME and submitted online.

Achievement date: December 31, 2026

DEL 3: City Acceptance Letter

Formal confirmation letter signed by the city, verifying that the SMART objectives, planned activities, and demonstration were successfully completed within the project timeline.

Achievement date: December 31, 2026

DEL 4: Project Report

Project report detailing the workplan implementation, achieved results, quantitative impact, IPR and overall project delivery. The deliverable also includes evidence of the demonstration activities carried out (including images).

Achievement date: December 31, 2026

Deliverables X

 Please enter the deliverables of your project. Some Calls for proposals require mandatory deliverables and a maximum of additional deliverables (please refer to the Call Manual).

* DEL name

* DEL description

* DEL achievement date

Save Cancel

Make sure to add all 4 deliverables or you will not be able to submit the proposal.

5.3 Outputs

To add outputs, simply click on the “add new” button: a pop-up window will open and you can insert.

You are just required to add one output which should be the product/service/project that you plan to achieve within the project. The achievement date should be end of the project on December 31, 2026.

Output

Please create the major outputs to be achieved within the duration of your project, in line with the defined work plan.

OUT number	OUT name	OUT description	OUT achievement date	Responsible partner	Contributing partner/s	Action
						+ Add New

Outputs

* OUT name

* OUT description

* OUT achievement date

* Responsible partner
 Select

* Contributing partner
 Select

[Save](#) [Cancel](#)

5.3 Key Performance Indicators (KPIs)

Under the Section KPI you will be able to add the relevant KPIs for your project. The mandatory KPIs are already listed. Click on the edit button to add the target value 1 and KPI achievement date: December 31, 2026

- EITHE 02.4 (expected target: 1)

KPI Code	KPI Title	KPI Description	Target Year	Target Value	KPI achievement date	Responsible partner	Contributing partner/s	Action
EITHE02.4	Marketed Innovations	Number of innovations introduced on the market with a sales revenue of at least 10 000 EUR documented. Innovations include new or significantly improved products (goods or services) and processes sold.				 	+ Add New	

Add a short explanation, select KPI year 2026, add target value 1, achievement date is December 31, 2026 and add yourself as responsible and contributing partner.

Before moving to the next tab, remember to **click on the “save” button**.

6. Budget

The Budget section is directly linked to the Work Plan tab.

You will find the budget summary at the top: this table will be automatically populated as soon as you create the single Work Package under Work Plan. Create one work package and add your SME as contributing partner, then the budget table will appear. Add 60 000 under G. Lump Sum and 100% EIT funding.

IMPORTANT: If you add several Work Packages, more budget tabs will appear, it is therefore important to only create one single Work Package.

Scroll down below the budget summary to partner budget section and add 60 000 under G. Lump Sum and 100% EIT funding. Please do not add any other numbers:

Partner Budget Section

BUDGET PARTNER: CUS7259 TEST EK #1	WP-1	Total
A.1 EMPLOYEES (OR EQUIVALENT)	€	0
A.2 NATURAL PERSONS UNDER DIRECT CONTRACT	€	0
A.3 SECONDED PERSONS	€	0
A.4 SME OWNERS	€	0
B SUBCONTRACTING	€	0
C.1 TRAVEL AND SUBSISTENCE	€	0
C.2 EQUIPMENT	€	0
C.3 OTHER GOODS, WORKS AND SERVICES	€	0
D.1a FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THIRD PARTIES (SUBGRA	€	0
D.1b FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO THIRD PARTIES (PRIZES)	€	0
D.2 INTERNALLY INVOICED GOODS AND SERVICES	€	0
E. INDIRECT COSTS (25% on A.and C.cost categories)	€	0
G. LUMPSUM	€ 60000	€ 60000
Total Cost	€ 60000	€ 60000
EIT funding (%)		% 100

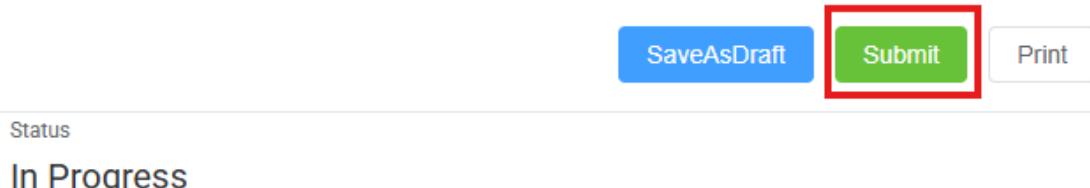
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7. Submit Application Form

We strongly recommend all applicants **not to wait the last day/minute to submit the Application Form**.

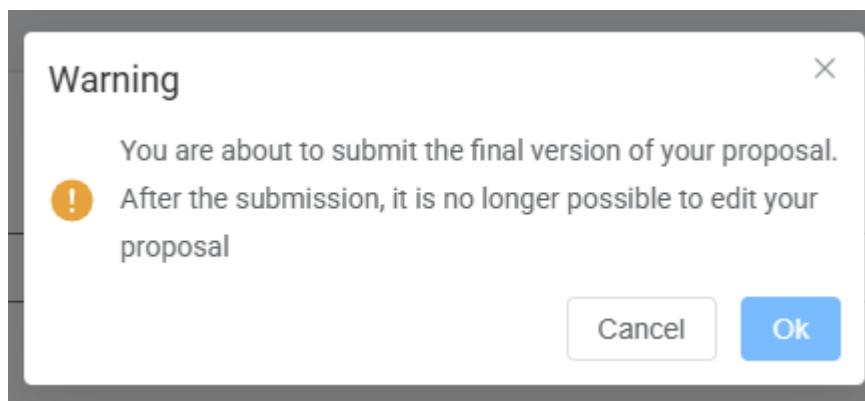
You should ideally **submit it with at least one day of margin**: should you encounter any system error while submit the AF, EIT Urban Mobility staff will in fact be able to properly assist you.

When your Application Form is correctly and fully completed, **save it one last time** and you can then **submit** it by clicking the “submit” button:



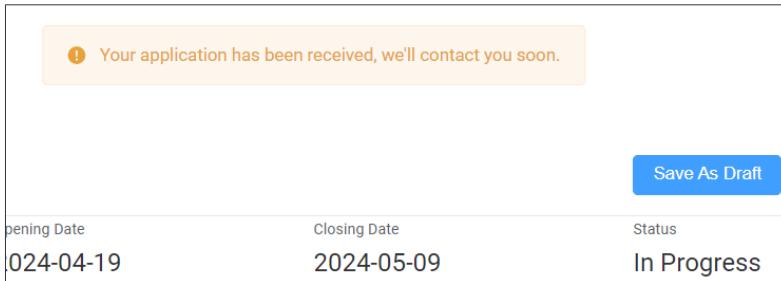
If your Application Form has been not properly completed – i.e. some mandatory information have not been included – the system will not allow you to submit the AF and an error message will inform you about what is missing.

You can also test click on submit to see what is missing. You will have to confirm if you want to actually submit. If they ask you to confirm the submission, it means your application is actually complete.



Once an Application Form is submitted it will not be possible to revert the process any longer, nor to submit a new updated version. Make therefore sure that you **submit the AF only once you are sure that the information introduced are final.**

Once your proposal is submitted you will **not** receive any e-mail notification. The following message will however appear and your application will result not be editable any longer.



By going into the section “My applications” you will however be able to see the status of your application and therefore see if it was properly submitted.

8. Tips & Tricks

Please find here below a recap of the **main points of attention** to follow in order to guarantee a smooth application process:

- Start creating and filling in the Application Form **at least 3 or 4 weeks before the submission deadline**: in this way you can familiarise yourself with the Application Form and can **let us know in due time if you are encountering any technical issues** by writing an e-mail to pmo@eiturbanmobility.eu.
- **Do not include any external links (URLs)** in the Application Form, unless it's for the optional video link.
- For tabs like the "Project Scope" one: prepare your descriptions in an **offline document using the available application form on the Call website**, and copy and paste the text in the online Application Form only once final.
- If you have **co-editors**, remember that only **one user** at the time should work on the Application Form.
- The **Budget tab** will be pre-filled automatically by creating one single work packages. In case multiple Work Packages are created, several budget tabs will be created. Please delete additional work packages.
- **Save often**: in this way you can make sure no information will get lost (if you stop working on the Application Form for some time, the system will log you out automatically without saving).
- **Do not wait the last day/minute to submit the Application Form**: should you encounter any system error while submit the AF, EIT Urban Mobility staff will in fact not be able to properly assist you.
- **Please avoid using browsers like Safari**. Recommended browsers are Edge, Chrome and Firefox.