

Challenge sheet

HAZI

How could the **collection be automated of information on acts, events and/or conferences of different organisers from the *forestry and food value chain area*– as well as to *revitalise the rural and coastal areas*– in order for it to be disseminated to stakeholders?**

Sub-challenges:

- How could the information collected on acts, events and conferences be classified and categorised for its subsequent use?
- How could all the existing information be shown in a common repository to create a smart agenda?
- How could the search results be exploited to optimise the creation of future events as per the identified interests?

Background:

The HAZI Foundation strives to improve the competitiveness and sustainability of the companies of the forestry and food value chain, as well as to revitalise the rural and coastal areas of the Basque Country. The different services offered by HAZI include the ONEKIN portal (<https://www.onekin.eus>) as a comprehensive services and information channel for the sector. There is currently a wide range of stakeholders within the ecosystem coming under the Basque Government's Agriculture, Fisheries and Food Policy Office, and they offer different events through their own channels (websites, social media, newsletters...).

Given the difficulty for the sector's companies to know the available offering – due to the information being very dispersed – the need has been seen for a common space to publish the events of the sector's stakeholders. In order to make progress in this area, the proposal is to automate the gathering of information on such events, to then classify, categories, display and exploit the data, by generating a **Smart Agenda for the sector** in the future as a new service on ONEKIN.

Goals:

We are seeking solutions that comply with at least one of these goals, namely to:

- **Compile** the existing information on the events of the organisers previously identified by HAZI, determining their current location, whether websites, social media, or newsletters
- **Automate**, without any supervision being required, the gathering of the information once published by each stakeholder. That automation must be performed at least every day.
- **Structure** the information collected in an on-premise common repository.

What are we looking for?

The following aspects will be considered:

- Multilingual solution, at least in Basque, Spanish and English.
- Classified and categorised repository.
- Interoperability of the existing information.
- User-friendly experience and without the solution resulting in extra workloads.
- Simple and dynamic scalable solution.

Process and key dates:

Register using this link to take part in the challenge. [still pending].

- The deadline to receive the response to the proposal is: 23:59 hours on 02/05/2024
- The semi-finalist startups will be notified on 10/05/2024.
- The finalist startups will be notified on 24/05/2024.
- The winning startup will be notified on 13/06/2024.

The selection process consists of 3 phases:

1. **Phase 1:** semi-finalists' pitches with society. Three startups will be shortlisted as finalists. They will take place from 16 to 24 May 2024.
2. **Phase 2:** round of finalists' interviews with the company. They will take place in the week starting 27 May 2024.
3. **Phase 3:** final meeting with finalists to select the winning startup for the pilot scheme with the company. It will be held between 11 and 12 June 2024, during the acceleration programme.

What are the rewards?

Finalist startups (3)

- **2-day govtech** acceleration programme. It will be held in-person in Bilbao on 11 and 12 June.

Winning startup

- **Presentation of the solution at the 2024 BIND GovTech Demo Day**, in-person in Bilbao.
- **Remunerated pilot** up to a maximum of €15,000. The pilot to implement the winning solution will begin in July 2024 and will last 5 months.