



Scaling up action and mobilising key players across the EU

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Farm to Fork Strategy: Stepping up action against food loss and waste

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- Promote uptake of EU Platform's recommendations for action and implementation of food waste prevention hierarchy
- Strengthen evidence-base for food waste prevention and share best practice through the EU Platform on FLW
 - [assess effectiveness](#) of food waste prevention initiatives
 - *European Consumer Food Waste Forum* (EP pilot project)
 - create online *EU food loss and waste prevention hub*
- Support actors in taking action to fight food waste (e.g. Horizon Europe, grants through Single Market Programme)

EIT Food annual call for applications

Entrepreneurship programs **Seedbed**, **EIT FAN** and **RisingFoodStars** for entrepreneurs, startups and scaleups

Applications are open **from 14 February until 10 April 2021**:

- Seedbed Incubator Programme supports aspiring entrepreneurs looking to validate the market opportunity
- The EIT Food Accelerator Network helps startups to fast-track innovation
- The RisingFoodStars network provides scaleups with easy access to a network of European corporates, universities and research organisations; increased visibility and tailored support in scaling up, investments and overcoming challenges.

Interested entrepreneurs, startups and scaleups for all programmes need first to register their interest through an [online form](#)