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Subject: Initial information about the outcome of the evaluation of proposals

Programme/Call: H2020 — H2020-GERI-2014-1

Proposal: 666008 — PLOTINA

Dear **Alessia FRANCHINI**,

We are pleased to inform you that your aforementioned proposal has been favourably evaluated by the Agency. However, on the basis of the evaluation, the proposal's position in the resulting ranked lists of proposals and given the budgetary limits, the Agency services are not currently in a position to proceed with the preparation of a Grant Agreement on your proposal.

You could be invited for grant agreement preparation, in the event that another proposal with a higher ranking fails to complete the requirements for a grant agreement, or that additional funding becomes available beyond initial projections. You would then be contacted again and invited for grant agreement preparation.

You will find the Evaluation Summary Report (ESR) for your proposal together with this letter in the "*My Area*" section of the Research *Participant Portal*. The ESR reflects the comments of the evaluators.

You will be informed in due course of the outcome of the Commission's formal decision on your proposal.

Finally, if you wish to file a complaint or request for review concerning the evaluation of your proposal, any such request must be submitted within thirty calendar days after notification of this letter. Such requests must be submitted by the coordinator via the following website: <https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/redress-frontoffice/work.iface>.

Please be aware that the review procedure can only address the procedural aspects of the evaluation and not the individual merits of your proposal.

Furthermore, if you wish to challenge the legality of this decision, you may request a legal review by the Commission in conformity with article 22 of Council Regulation No 58/2003 within thirty calendar days of the notification of this letter through the electronic exchange system.

You may also bring an action for annulment under Article 263 TFEU against the Commission, within two months of the notification of this letter through the electronic exchange system.

Please be aware that if you request an evaluation review procedure or a review under article 22, you cannot also file an Article 263 action at the same time. You must wait for the final decision of the Agency and can then file an action against that decision.

Please inform the other participants of the current situation.

Yours sincerely,

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Head of Unit

Enclosure(s):
Evaluation Summary Report