



## A Happy New Year from the EGI Foundation!



Dear EGI Community,

As the year draws to a close, we want to extend our warmest wishes to you and your loved ones for a peaceful winter break and a Happy New Year.

This December, our team had the pleasure of gathering in Amsterdam for our Annual Meeting from the 1st to the 4th. It was a wonderful opportunity to reconnect in person, exchange ideas, celebrate our shared values, and brainstorm the exciting new projects and initiatives that will drive our collective mission forward in 2026.

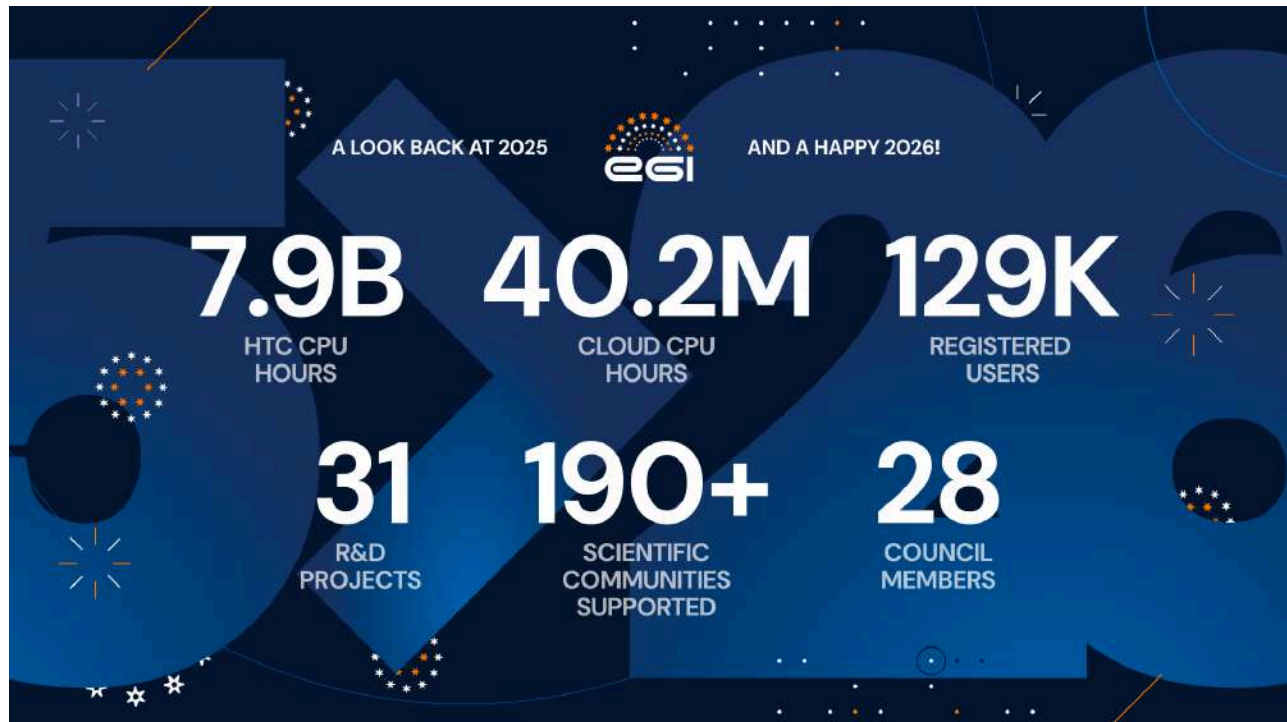
Beyond the productive discussions, we also enjoyed some team-building fun, strengthening the bonds that make our collaboration so special and effective. We are incredibly grateful to all colleagues who joined us remotely and to our fantastic Amsterdam home office team for making this event possible.

Reflecting on the past year and looking ahead, we are more aligned and motivated than ever to continue supporting data-intensive research and innovation across our community. We are eager to build on this momentum together.

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Thank you for being an active part of the EGI journey. Here's to a brilliant and collaborative 2026! We look forward to seeing many of you [next September in Ghent for EGI2026](#).

The EGI Foundation Team



## From the Federation

We are pleased to announce that **Philipp Wieder (GWDG)**, **Concezio Bozzi (INFN)** and **Paola Nassisi (CMCC)** have been appointed as members of the EGI Executive Board during 2025.

[Meet the EGI Executive Board](#)

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## Coordinated Projects Concluded in 2025



## **iMagine: Imaging data and services for aquatic science**

The **iMagine** project created an open-access, AI-powered platform to transform the monitoring of aquatic ecosystems. By bringing together experts from environmental science, AI, and e-infrastructures, the project developed innovative AI models and cloud-based services that enable researchers to automate complex image analysis, accelerating insights for both science and society.

[Download the Impact Report](#)

## **interTwin: Co-designing and prototyping an interdisciplinary Digital Twin Engine.**

The **interTwin** project has developed a Digital Twin Engine (DTE), an open source platform that supports the development of Digital Twins, along with more than 45+ modules offering capabilities tailored to the needs of specific scientific fields and application types.



[Discover the DTE](#)

## **Projects Entering their Final Phase**



**Towards an  
Integrated Future for the Federated Future  
Environmental  
Science**

ENVRI-Hub NEXT Reaches  
18-Month Milestone

[Learn more](#)

**Building Blocks for  
the Federated Future  
of EOSC**

Key EOSC Beyond  
Achievements After 18  
Months

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**SPECTRUM  
Consultation on  
Technical Blueprint  
and SRIDA**

Establishing a Shared  
Vision & Agenda for Data-  
Intensive Science

[Participate until 31  
January 2026](#)

## New EGI Coordinated Projects in 2025

Discover our coordinated projects launched in 2025:



### **EOSC Data Commons**

Services for inter- and cross-disciplinary data discovery, access, sharing and reuse in the EOSC Federation (April 2025)

[Learn more](#)



### **RI-SCALE**

Unlock full data and AI potential for scientific users, Research Infrastructure operators and industry through Data Exploitation Platforms (March 2025)

[Learn more](#)





# Get ready for 2026



## Save the date for EGI2026!

Next year, EGI2026 is coming to Ghent, Belgium! Block your calendars between September 21 and 25, 2026!

Over the next months, we will release more details about the Call for Proposals, Exhibition and Partnerships opportunities, and Registration – stay tuned!

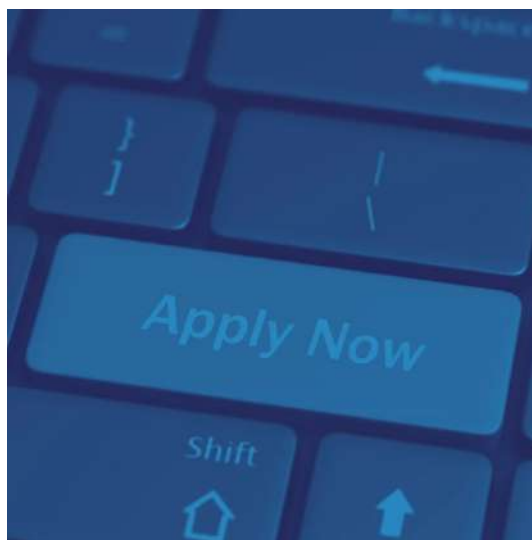
**21-25 September 2026 - Ghent, Belgium**

Save the date!

## EGI Access Call

Prepare your application for our Access Call, where we support data-intensive science with services and related user support and training to individual researchers, research projects, research infrastructures, and commercial research entities. Submissions are always welcome!

Apply now!



## EGI Foundation

Science Park 140, Amsterdam  
Netherlands

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- **External events, but relevant events for the EGI community**

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