

## Specific Privacy Statement

# EuroGEOSS Request 2018

### 1. Objective

The EuroGEOSS Request 2018 aims to establish voluntary, ad hoc EuroGEOSS partnerships (called Action Groups) to combine, upscale and streamline specific Earth Observation (EO) pilot applications whilst making best use of GEOSS and Copernicus data and information.

As this online service collects and further processes personal data, Regulation (EC) 45/2001, of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 December 2000 on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Community institutions and bodies and on the free movement of such data, is applicable.

### 2. What personal information do we collect and through which technical means?

#### Identification Data

The personal data collected (name, firstname, email of the contact person of the lead organization submitting a EuroGEOSS Expression of Intent) are data necessary to liaise between the European Commission (as chair of the EuroGEOSS Coordination Group) and the lead organization having submitted a EuroGEOSS Expression of Intent. The submission of such Expressions of Intent is being conducted through the EU Survey tool accessed via the [EuroGEOSS web site](#) on Europa.

#### Technical information

The system uses session "cookies" in order to ensure communication between the client and the server. Therefore, your browser must be configured to accept "cookies". However, it does not collect any personal or confidential information of any kind, nor any IP address from your PC. The cookies disappear once the session has been terminated.

### 3. Who has access to your information and to whom is it disclosed?

The access to all personal data as well as all information collected in the context of this EuroGEOSS Request 2018 is only granted through UserId/Password to a defined population of users, without prejudice to a possible transmission to the bodies in charge of a monitoring or inspection task in accordance with Community legislation. These users typically are members of the Unit organising the EU survey inside DG Research and Innovation.

No personal data is transmitted to parties which are outside the recipients and the legal framework mentioned.

The European Commission will not share personal data with third parties for direct marketing.

### 4. How do we protect and safeguard your information?

Your data are recorded in a secured and protected database hosted by the Data Centre of the European Commission, the operations of which abide by the Commission's security decisions and

provisions established by the Directorate of Security for this kind of servers and services. The database is not accessible from outside the Commission.

Inside the Commission the database can be accessed using a UserId/Password. Access to the application is via a non-encrypted connection using the normal http protocol.

#### **5. How can you verify, modify or delete your information?**

In case you want to verify which personal data is stored on your behalf by the responsible controller, have it modified respectively corrected or deleted, please contact the Controller by using the Contact Information below and by explicitly specifying your request.

#### **6. How long do we keep your data?**

Your personal data will remain in the database until the review and selection procedure of Expressions of Intent will have been completed in 2018 and will be rendered anonymous when they have been usefully exploited.

#### **7. Contact Information**

In case you wish to verify which personal data is stored on your behalf by the responsible controller, have it modified, corrected, or deleted, or if you have questions regarding the registration procedure or on your rights, feel free to contact the support team, operating under the responsibility of the Controller, using the following contact information:

Unit I.4 " Climate Action and Earth Observations "

Directorate-General for Research and Innovation

Email: [RTD-EUROGEOSS@ec.europa.eu](mailto:RTD-EUROGEOSS@ec.europa.eu)

#### **8. Recourse**

Complaints, in case of conflict, can be addressed to the [European Data Protection Supervisor](#).