

SPC, SSAC, Working Groups and Scientific Community

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Subject: Call for a Medium-size and a Fast mission opportunity in ESA's Science

**Programme** 

Dear Colleague,

I am happy to inform you that a call for a Medium-size and a Fast mission opportunity is being released today, soliciting proposals for the competitive selection of space missions to be implemented in the ESA Science Programme. As detailed in the call, proposals covering any science theme and topic are solicited, with a ceiling to the mission's cost to ESA of 550M€ for the Medium-size mission, and 175M€ for the Fast mission.

The deadline for submission of the Phase 1 proposals is 14 February 2022 at 12:00hrs (noon) CET, and the deadline for the submission of the Phase 2 proposals is 15 July 2022 at 12:00hrs (noon) CEST.

The call and the relevant documentation are available at:

John Hamoz

http://www.cosmos.esa.int/web/call-for-missions-2021/

where an interface for the submission of both Phase 1 and Phase 2 proposals is also available.

Yours faithfully,

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