

EFI Associate

<u>EFI Research Networks</u> consist of a subset of EFI member organizations and other relevant research partners. Research Networks aim to enhance European and/or regional cooperation and coordination of transnational research within the EFI Strategy themes. Research Networks are coordinated by a EFI member organization, which acts as a liaison with the EFI Secretariat. Research Networks are important to maintain a permanent dialogue between EFI member organizations and EFI Programmes and Facilities.

The Coordination Team members of a Research Network will have the affiliation of **EFI Associate**. This will ensure that the EFI Research Networks are implemented effectively, and create synergies with the EFI Secretariat,

While EFI Associates are not EFI staff, they are key to realising the EFI work programme. They therefore will participate in all relevant internal discussions regarding the implementation of EFI's work programme. They will also be visible via all EFI channels.

Practical implications

EFI Associates are provided with the following:

- Visibility in the EFI website at the same level as EFI staff.
- Personal EFI email address and inclusion to the 'EFI Global' email distribution list.
- Personal business cards, indicating the role of the Coordination Team member within the Research Network.
- Access to information relating to EFI's research activities.

Scientific Publications

EFI Associates will apply the double affiliation of EFI and their hosting institutions when publishing scientific articles related to EFI Research Network activity.