



German Research Priorities and funding aspects

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Funding Priorities



IT Security

- IT security for critical infrastructures
- Technical focus:
Work program
IT security research
- Secure cloud computing
- Safe and Secure
European Routing (SASER)
- Quantum communication
- Applications: Industries 4.0,
Medicine, Automotive, ...
- Competence centers for IT
security research



Digital Life

- Privacy and self-determined living in a digital world
- Internet Privacy
- Linking social developments with technological solutions



Communication

- Reliable wireless communication for industrial applications
- Cognitive radio
- Mobile communication
- Photonic communication networks
- Internet-based services
- Future applications



BMBF advices for Celtic Proposers

- Topics and consortia with European relevance and impact
e. g. Safe and Secure European Routing (SASER)
- IT Security Research
Research and development of technologies, methods, and services to protect citizens, companies, and public authorities against cyber-attacks
- Research that link communication systems and IT security aspects
- No exclusive focus on infrastructure aspect
such as more bandwidth, faster communication
- Developing solutions for future challenges
- Bringing together research and economy
- Incorporate interdisciplinary approaches
- *To avoid unsuccessful steps: it is strongly recommended to contact the project management agency previous to submission*



Criteria for submissions

- Societal relevance of the research goals
- Technical and scientific quality of the approach
- Level of innovation
- Economic potential
- Appropriate qualification and composition of the partners
- Appropriate project management structure
- Exploitation for German partners in Germany (market perspective also for Germany)
- Assessment of risk (risk is condition for funding)



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Informationen zu den Projekten:

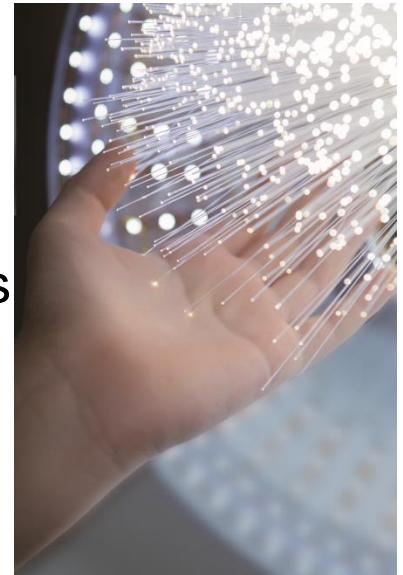
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Celtic-Plus Project: Safe and Secure European Routing (SASER)

Challenges

- Shifting routing functionality to optical layers
- Higher reliability by using virtualized networks
- Virtualized network controller protection
- Increased security by optical encryption methods
- Supporting independent European technology
- Separation of user data and control data



34 partners from Germany; 29 partners from France, Finland, Denmark and Great Britain