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**EURAXESS WORLDWIDE** is a European initiative backed by the European Commission, consisting of services, portals and tools dedicated to researchers working outside of Europe, who wish to connect with their fellow professionals or engage in research and innovation collaboration and career opportunities in Europe.

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# EURAXESS Worldwide:

- Networking platform
- **Reliable source of information** and ideas on research and innovation jobs, funding and hosting opportunities in Europe
- Helps **talented European and international researchers** explore and create transnational ties with **researchers, employers and scientific communities**
- Helps **develop careers** within the global R&I system

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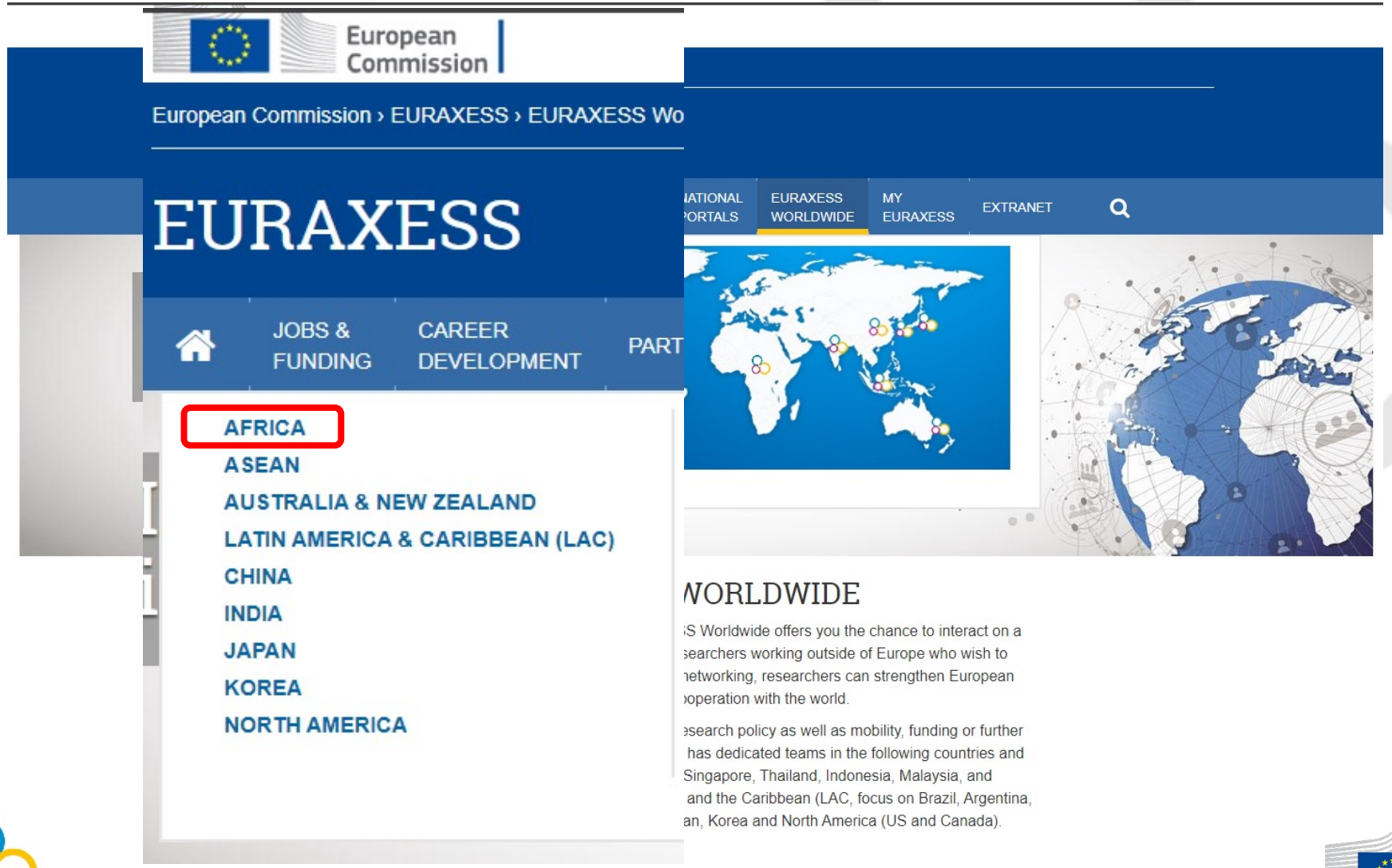
# EURAXESS Worldwide team

# 2021

## Preparatory activities for establishment of EURAXESS Africa hub

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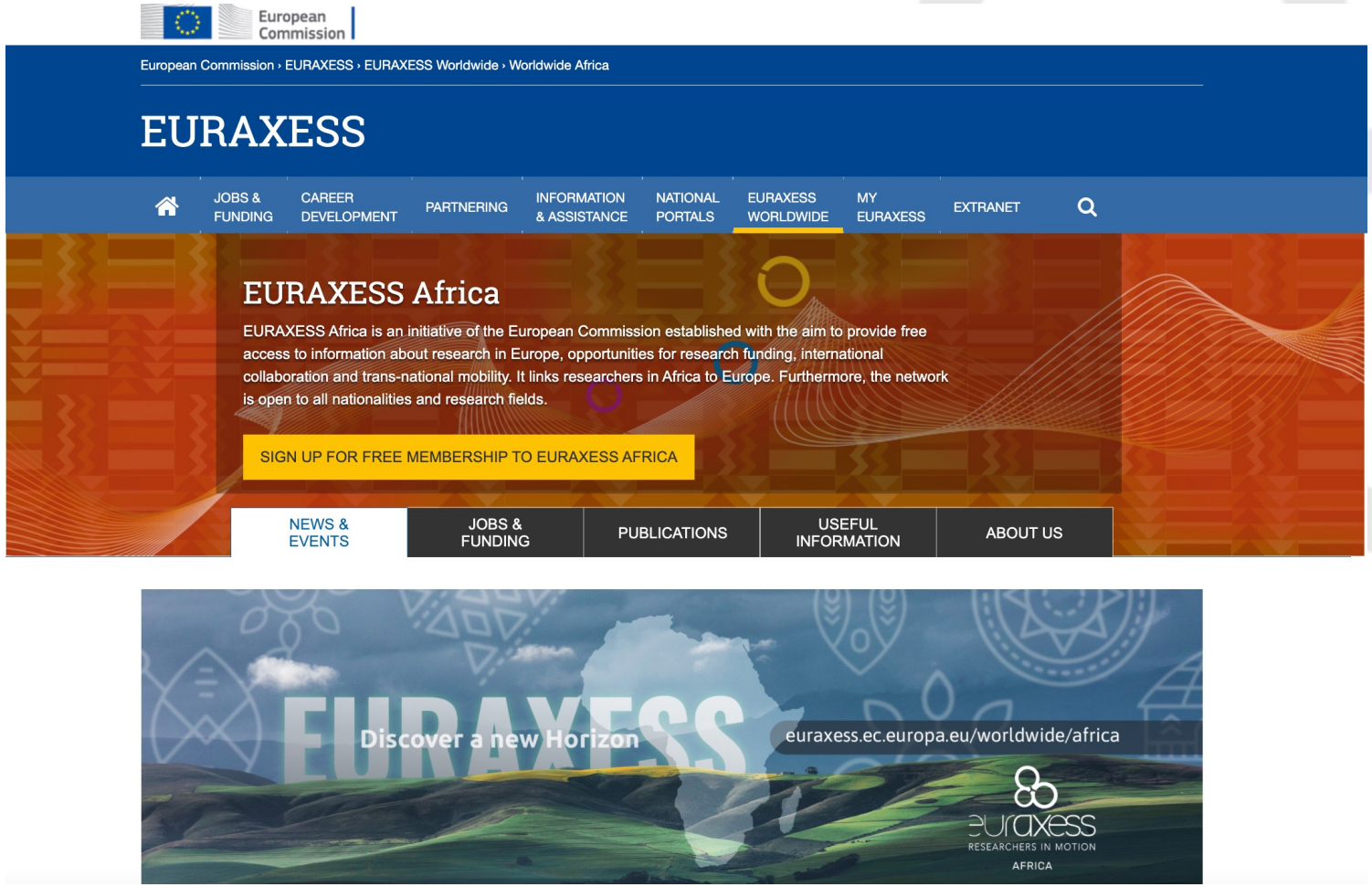
# 2022
# Official launch of EURAXESS Africa hub







https://euraxess.ec.europa.eu/worldwide/africa

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# What can we do FOR YOU?

- Promote EU national research landscape
- Promote EU funding opportunities
- Promote EURAXESS Network
- Invite speakers from the Network
- Connect researchers with research labs

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# Our tools are...

Website

Social Media

Flashnotes/NL

Information sessions

Practical workshops

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# SOME KEY INDICATORS

## African countries

# Horizon 2020 Framework Programme

# African countries' achievements

## South Africa

| Signed grants | Participations | EU Contribution | Total Cost |
|---|---|---|---|
| 221 | 311 | 61M | 76M |

## Tunisia (AC)

| Signed grants | Participations | EU Contribution | Total Cost |
|---|---|---|---|
| 75 | 97 | 13M | 15M |

## Morroco

| Signed grants | Participations | EU Contribution | Total Cost |
|---|---|---|---|
| 76 | 91 | 8M | 17M |

## Egypt

| Signed grants | Participations | EU Contribution | Total Cost |
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| 53 | 59 | 4M | 8M |

## Ethiopia

| Signed grants | Participations | EU Contribution | Total Cost |
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| 44 | 54 | 6M | 9M |

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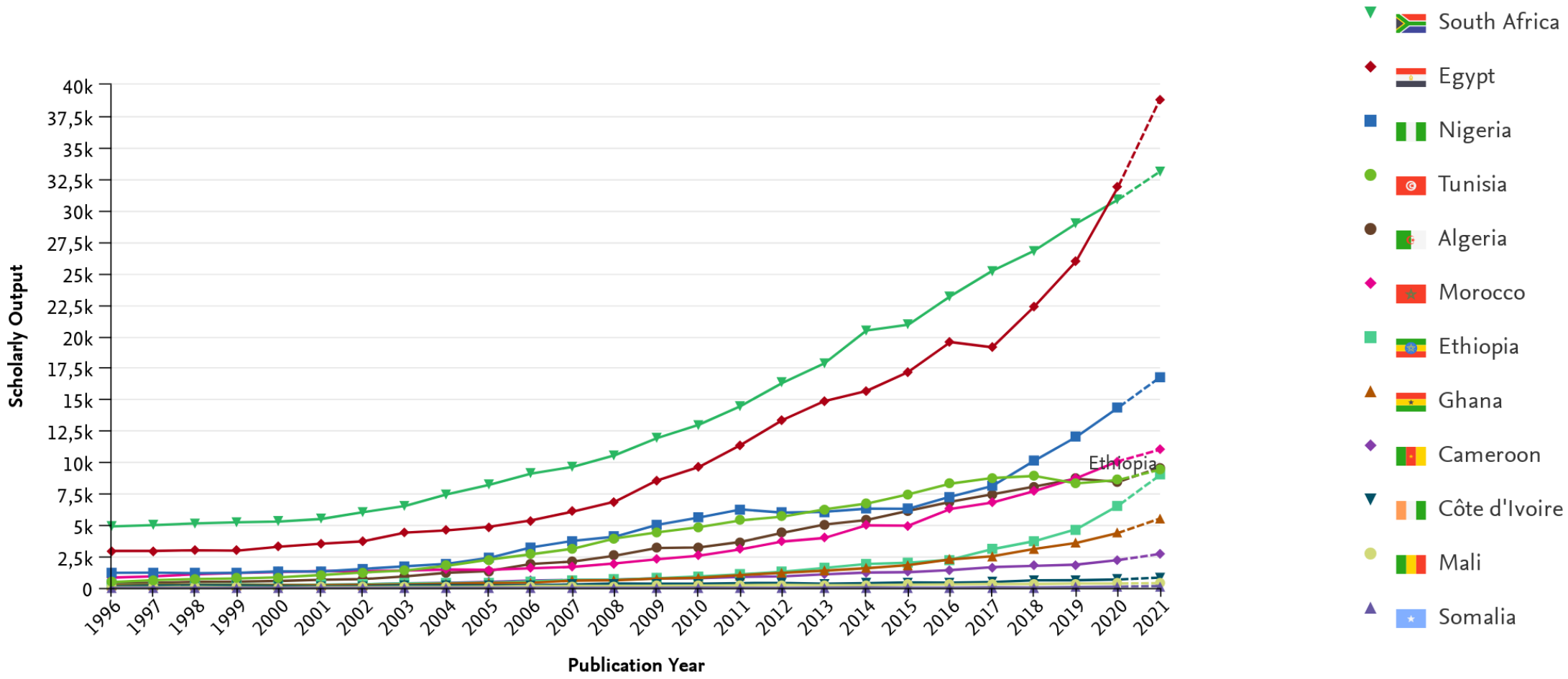
# Potential of African countries (Scientific publications ) Source :Scopus

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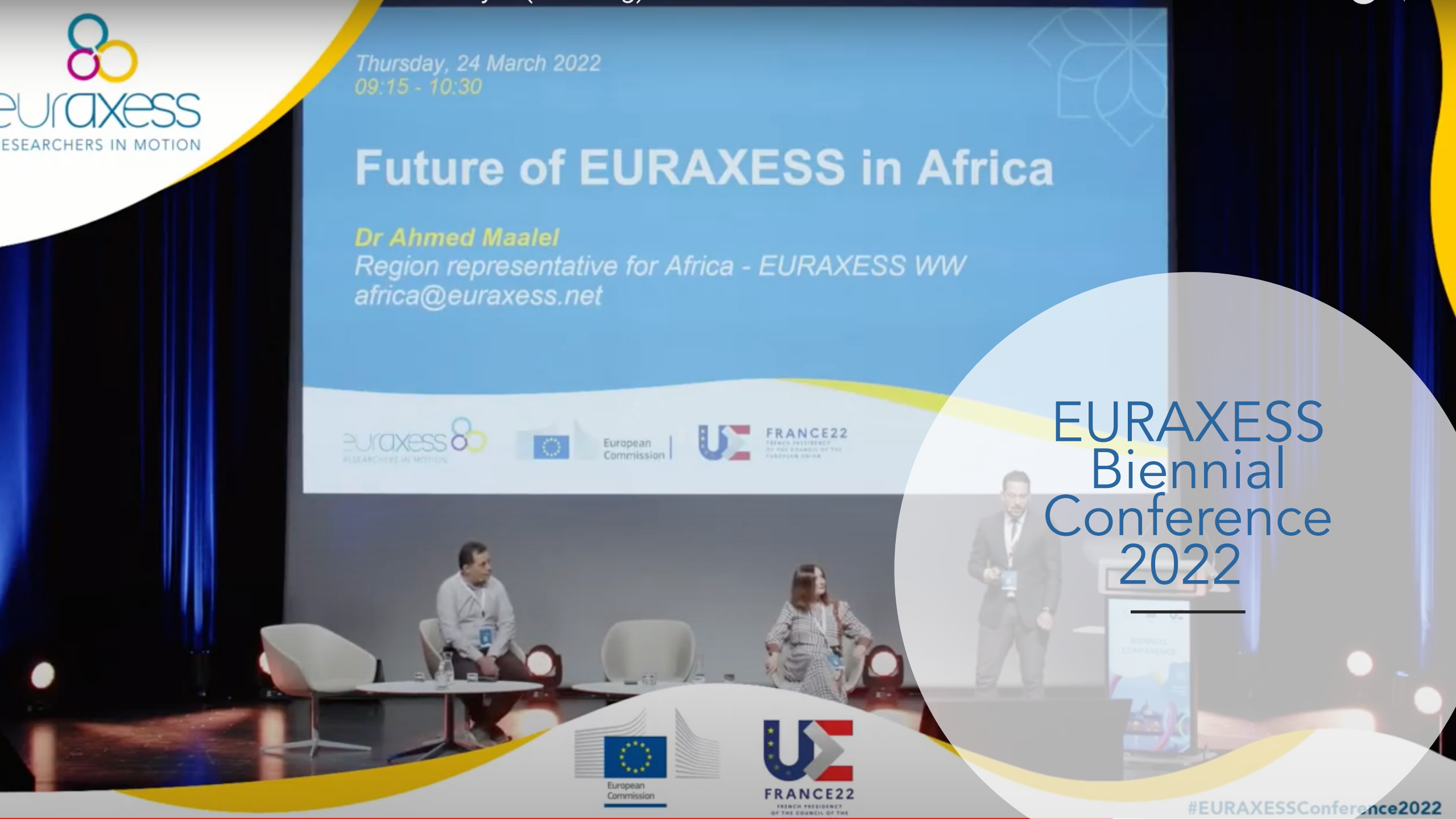
# 2022 Events

# ERC webinars for researchers in Africa 16 March 2022

- The webinars have included representatives from the African Union Commission and the African Academy of Sciences.
- Angela Liberatore, Head of the Scientific Department at the ERCEA, along with ERC grantees and evaluators have provided information on funding opportunities and some useful advice on how to apply for an ERC grant.
- +400 Participants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Thursday, 24 March 2022
09:15 - 10:30
Future of EURAXESS in Africa
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EURAXESS Biennial Conference 2022
#EURAXESSConference2022

# 2nd networking day at the Faculty of Medicine in Sousse Tunisia on 17 June 2022

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# Horizon Europe Info Day

L'Université Ibn Zohr organise une journée d'information au profit des chercheurs, des innovateurs et des déposants potentiels, concernant les opportunités de financement dans le cadre du programme européen Horizon Europe.

## À la Cité d'innovation d'Agadir

## 30 Juin 2022

**Dr. Abdelouahid EZZARFI**
Ministère de l'Enseignement Supérieur, de la Recherche Scientifique et de l'Innovation

**Dr. Stéphanie CRABECK**
Experte européenne, HEPH Condorcet, Belgique

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**Mme Nihale EL AZZOUZI**
Ministère de l'Enseignement Supérieur, de la Recherche Scientifique et de l'Innovation

**Dr. Mustapha AABI**
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Webinaire: Opportunités de financement et de réseautage Belgique – Afrique: bourses, instruments de coopération et appels à projet
6 Septembre 2022, 14H Bruxelles (CET)
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MSCA Africa Webinars
Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions: Developing talents, advancing research
Information session
Focus on Postdoctoral Fellowships, Doctoral Networks and Staff Exchanges
July 6 ,2022
French Webinar
14:00 Brussels (CET)
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English Webinar
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OPPORTUNITÉS ET APPELS À PARTICIPATION
20 Septembre 2022
14H (CET)

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Join our webinar
Horizon Europe:
Open Calls & Opportunities for Africa
September 14, 2022 | Brussels 14H00 (CET)
Dr.HDR Ahmed MAALEL
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Prof.Dr. Eng. Majdeddin ALGHADBAN
Libyan Science, Technology & Innovation Indicators Observatory
Founder & Chairman
Prof Leila AMMAR KESKES
Faculty of Medicine - University of Sfax
Coordinator of MICAfrica project
(H2020 Wide Spread2020-05-Twinning)

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**Webinar Series**

# Getting Published: Navigating the Publishing Process for Academic Journals

# "Understanding Open Research"

**11 OCTOBER 2022**

**14H00 (CET)**

**Victoria Babbit**

Director of Researcher Development & Outreach

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**Matthew Cannon**

Head of Open Research for Taylor & Francis Group

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# Webinaire "MSCA Staff Exchanges" pour l'Afrique

## *Projets R&I avec l'Europe*

**18 Octobre 2022, 14H00 CET**

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**Cristina Gómez**
Point de Contact National Espagnol et déléguée nationale pour MSCA

**Julie Leprêtre**
Policy Officer, Direction générale de l'éducation, de la jeunesse, du sport et de la culture, Commission européenne

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# MSCA Staff Exchanges webinar for Africa

## *Research & Innovation Projects with Europe*

**20 October 2022 14H00 CET**

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# Key partners

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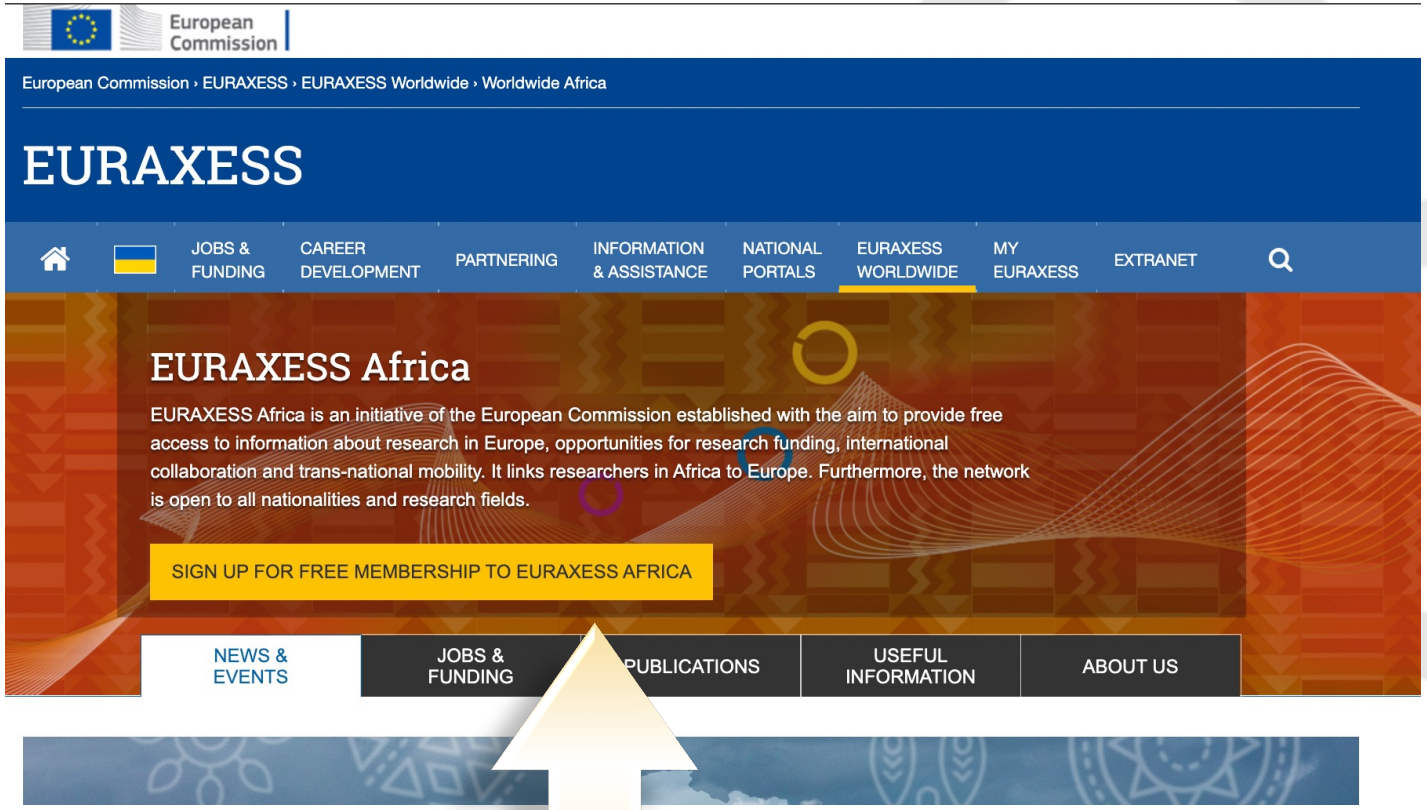


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