

Genesis

User Manual

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<https://genesis-funding-app.vercel.app>

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For whom: anyone about to prepare an application with Genesis. No jargon, with examples. The full reference is the Reference Manual v17.

1. What Genesis is

Genesis turns an overwhelming European funding application into a guided, step-by-step path. You add the call, your documents and your partners, and Genesis gives you back exactly what to upload to the official portal: for Horizon Europe, Erasmus+ and Irish funders.

The rule to remember: Genesis structures and checks your proposal. It never decides whether you get funded: official sources and your sign-off decide.

Two people appear in the examples: **Marta**, a primary school teacher applying to Erasmus+ for the first time, and **Dr. Lien**, a researcher applying to Horizon Europe.



2. First steps

1. Open <https://genesis-funding-app.vercel.app> and create your account with your email.
2. Pick your language at the top (ES, EN, IT, FR, DE).
3. Keep **Simple** mode: you will see 5 clear phases instead of 11 technical stages. Expert mode is always there if you want it.
4. Press **New proposal** and answer the basics: name, framework (Erasmus+, Horizon, Ireland), programme and your idea in two sentences.

EXAMPLE · Marta writes: "Digital literacy for primary schools with teacher exchange". She picks Erasmus+ and the KA220-SCH programme (school partnerships).

3. The call and the deadline

Genesis finds the call for you on the official European portal: by keywords, by exact code, or by describing your idea. When you pick it, it records the deadline and warns you with a traffic light:

-  **green**
open, with the date and days left.
-  **amber**
planned but not open yet.

- 🚫 red

closed or no upcoming call: better to know today than in week 6.

You can download a calendar reminder (.ics) and re-check the deadline any time. For national-agency Erasmus+ and Ireland the deadline is typed by hand: Genesis tells you so.

4. Official sources: your safety net

Before you write anything, Genesis loads your framework's official documents (programme guide, portal, rules) and asks one simple gesture: **review them and mark them reviewed**. That way everything you write later rests on the current version of the rules.

New in v17: when 30 days or less remain, Genesis asks you to re-check sources every 3 days (it was 14). That is the stretch where funders publish corrections, and an unseen change costs points.

EXAMPLE · Three weeks before the deadline, the Erasmus+ guide row in Marta's register flips to "Needs refresh" on its own. She opens it, sees nothing changed, presses "Mark reviewed". Twenty seconds, risk gone.

5. The five phases at a glance

PHASE	WHAT YOU DO	WHAT YOU GET
1 · Worth it?	Idea, call and deadline.	An informed decision to try.
2 · Prepare	Sources, rules, proof, partners and plan.	The foundations: no smoke.
3 · Write	You draft from what you prepared.	A draft anchored to evidence.
4 · Review	Audit plus a read with evaluator eyes.	A concrete repair list.
5 · Send	You generate the final package.	PDF for Horizon, Word for Erasmus+ and Ireland, plus a checklist.

Each phase closes with a check (gate). If something is missing, Genesis says exactly what: "2 claims without backing", never "something is wrong". You always see one clear action: **Continue**.

6. Partners and plan, without getting lost

Genesis suggests the typical consortium shape for your framework and takes you to your call's official partner search portals. Every partner has a state (suggested, candidate, confirmed) and the gap list tells you which profile is missing.

The work plan builds from packages and months (the timeline draws itself), budget per partner and risks with mitigations. Starter templates lay the typical structure: amounts start at zero, you put the numbers.

EXAMPLE · Dr. Lien uses the Horizon template: WP1 Management, WP2 to WP4 technical, WP5 Dissemination. She adjusts months, assigns leads and fills in her real budget.

7. Write, review and send

You write in phase 3 leaning on everything prepared. Genesis watches that every important claim has backing: say "we will cut dropout by 20%" with no proof behind it and that sentence stays flagged until you anchor it or remove it.

Phase 4 audits the text against the call's rules (length, organisation, anchoring, consistency, format) and reads it with evaluator eyes. The output is a repair list, not a grade.

Phase 5 generates your package: the text, the source list, the partners, the plan and the submission checklist. The final upload is yours, on the official portal, with everything ready to paste.

8. What is new in version 17

- **The honesty band.** A slim line under the header shows the real state of the control system. Today it says human validation is pending: that is its designed state, not an error. It will change when signed human approvals exist.
- **Sources with more context.** Each source says how it arrived (official catalogue, live lookup or by hand), who brought it and its route. And freshness tightens to 3 days when the deadline is close.
- **An origin tag on every text.** Every artefact carries a small tag with who produced it (today: human · studio). When an external model takes part, its tag will look different, in purple. Nobody can edit it.
- **A command panel with charts** (admins only): indicators with trend, each proposal's progress as 11 dots, and the last 8 weeks of evolution.
- **A customer enclave portal** (pilot): for dedicated-enclave contracts, a portal where the customer verifies their isolation with one button (Seal Check), sees what has left their enclave and downloads their certificates. It launches when hardware validation closes.

9. Help

Every field carries an ⓘ icon with an explanation and an example. The sidebar **Guide** summarises the 5 steps. The **Reference Manual v17** documents every corner of the system. For anything else: **Dr. Javier Torralba**, javier@sololattices.com.

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