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InnoAgora match-making platform and other business support by the Hellenic Development Bank

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HDB – Hellenic Development Bank

HDB mission and vision

- Hellenic Development Bank is the National Promotional Institution authorized in providing leverage.
- 100% Owned by Hellenic Republic.
- HDB designs and implements financial products that counterpart financing gaps and promote the access to finance.



VISION

Be THE key development institution, a multilateral Development Bank serving Greek enterprises' needs to innovate and succeed, fostering fair, inclusive and sustainable growth.

MISSION

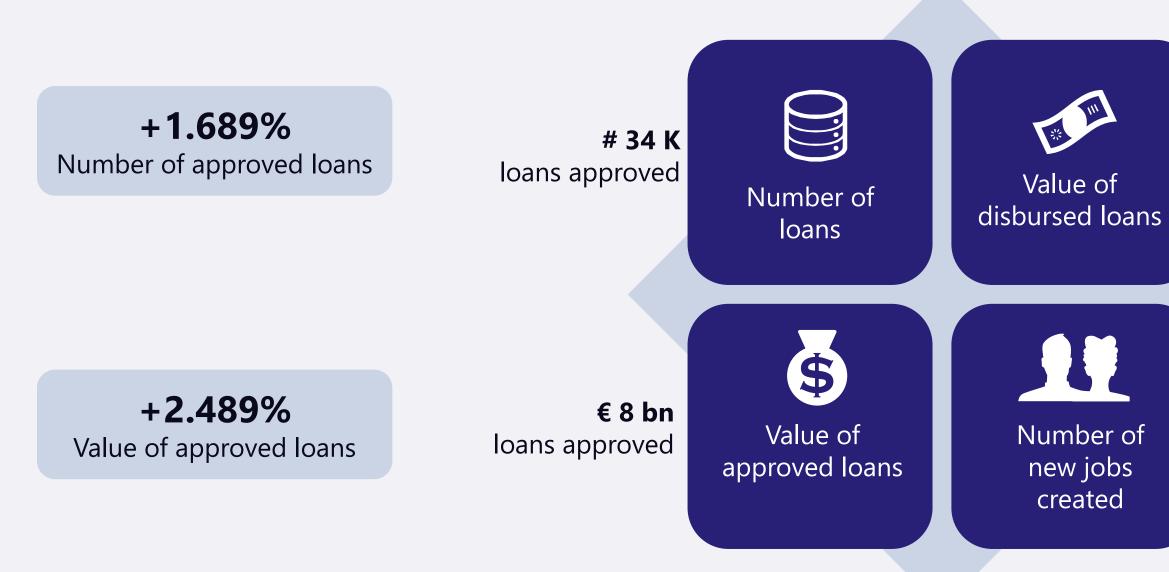
Facilitate access to finance for Greek enterprises, create value for our shareholders and employees, generate positive economic, social and environmental benefits.

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2020: a year to remember



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€ 7,8 bn loans disbursed

15,600 new jobs created



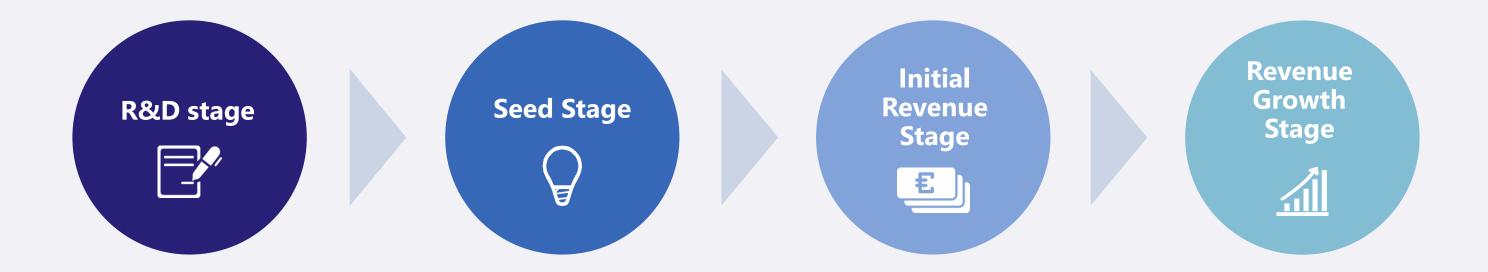


HDB Innovation Unit

Building up an operating model to support all stages of SME evolution

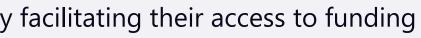
HDB main mission: to support micro, small and medium sized enterprises by facilitating their access to funding sources to address and cover any market failures.

Innovation Unit mission: to create the right frameworks for both financial and non-financial support on an instant basis, covering all stages of SME evolution enabling the market.



SMEs product or service innovation & business innovation in extroversion

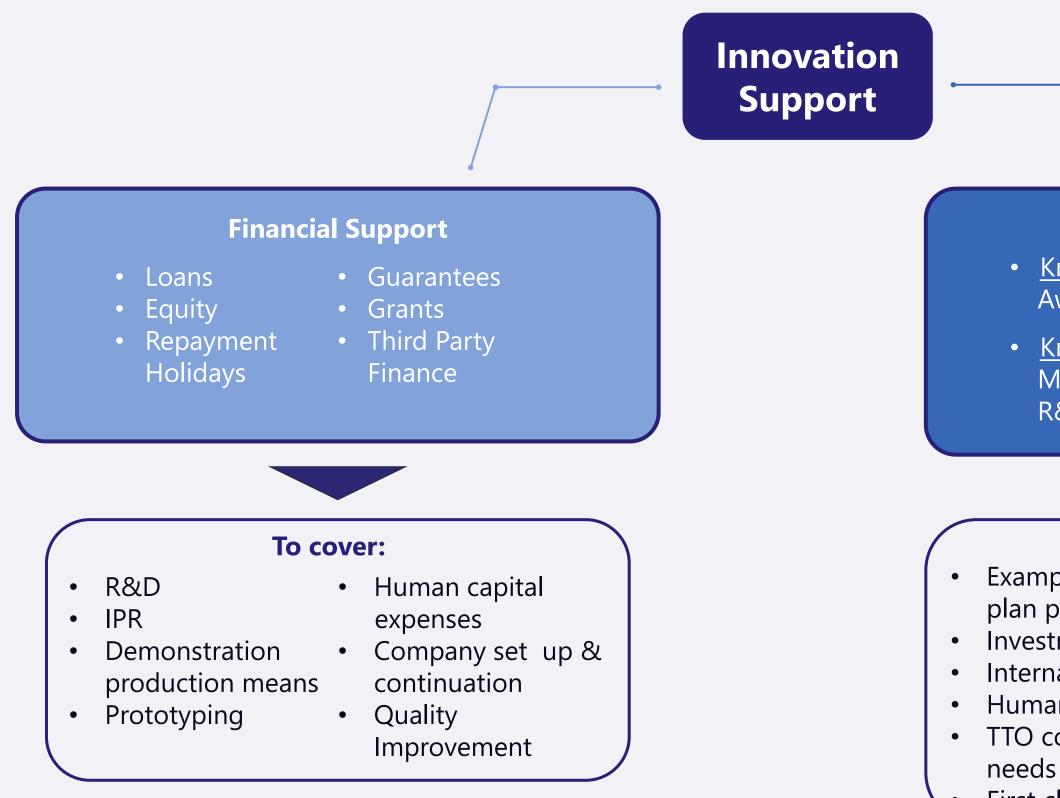








How we categorize Innovation Support



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Non-Financial Support

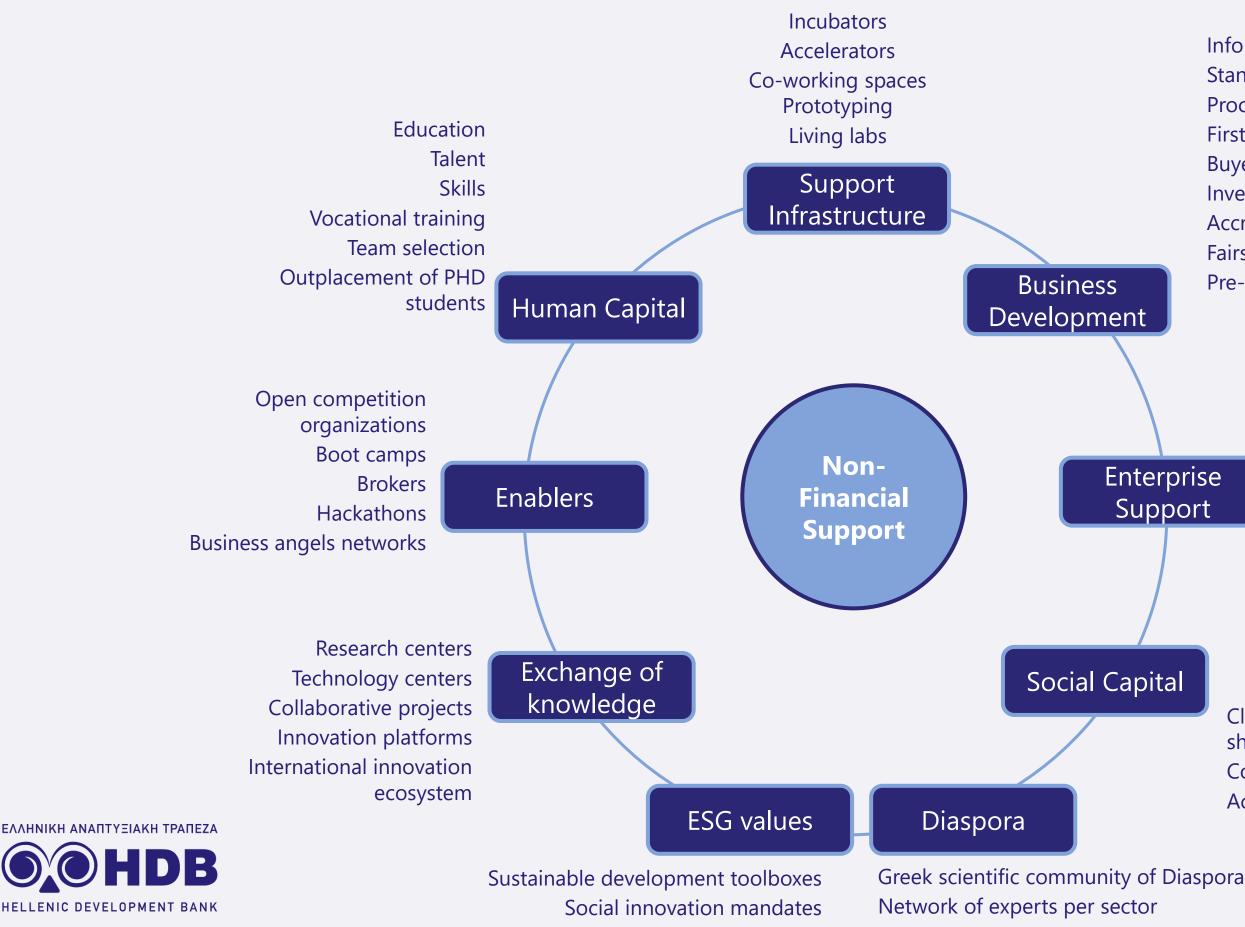
- <u>Knowledge Acquisition:</u> Awareness/Coaching - Mentoring
- Knowledge Management: Market & technology intelligence/ R&D+I, Human capital

To cover:

- Exampling in business • Technology watch plan practices Investment readiness • • Standard setting Internationalization Human capital search • • TTO commercialization • Legal-taxation planning
 - First client search

- Marketing/branding
- Networking/clustering
- IP & Patent protection

Non-Financial support is a vibrant ecosystem by itself with many satellite activities



- Info on global competition Standards Procurement First client Buyers – meet the buyer Investors **Accreditations** Fairs Pre-commercial public procurement
 - Spin off Spin out LC innovation hubs Pro Bono services Mentoring Professional services on tax/ legal issues "Consultancy vouchers" for business consulting Audit **Placement of Experts**

Clusters - cooperative relations sharing intelligence Cooperative research Academic- enterprise partnership





InnoAgora

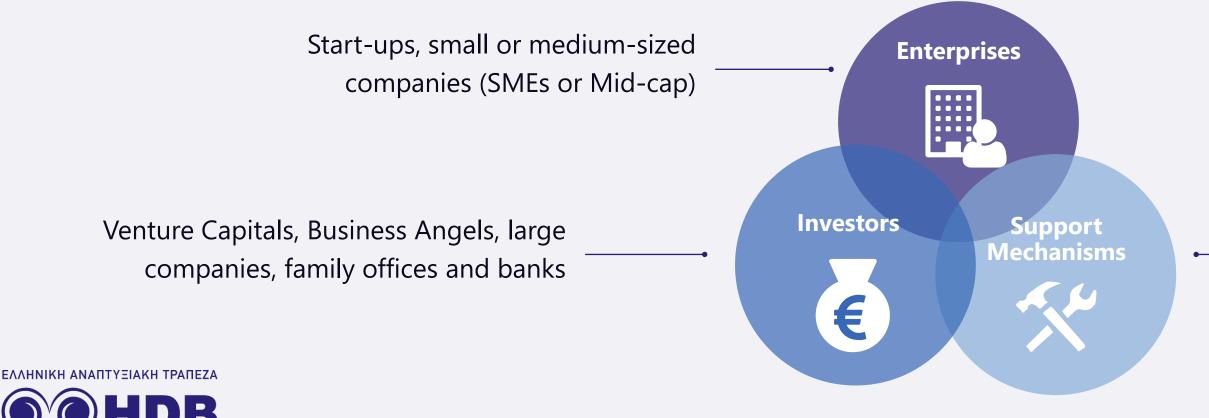
InnoAgora

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InnoAgora

powered by HDB

InnoAgora is a new, dynamic digital community powered by HDB that provides real networking opportunities and contributes to international business development. It is a **matchmaking** community that enables **three different groups** of participants: **enterprises, investors and supporting mechanisms**, to enter into investment agreements and commercial partnerships. InnoAgora is hosted on the internationally renowned **EuroQuity** platform of Bpifrance operating for more than 10 years. EuroQuity fosters **business growth** by creating communication channels with investors and other partners. Specifically, it enables companies and entities to create online profiles so that they can **promote their unique competitive elements** to potential investors and partners.



eurQuity

Incubators and accelerators



Characteristics and Development of InnoAgora

InnoAgora will bring added-value in content and services to its members by sharing premium info and privileges. Furthermore, webinars, matchmaking and e-pitching events will be organized exclusively for InnoAgora members. To date, the EuroQuity network has more than **16,500 companies and more than 2,400 investors**. This is a unique opportunity for InnoAgora members to create collaborations with multiple stakeholders of the international ecosystem.

InnoAgora members will have the opportunity to join the international **matchmaking events, e-certifications,** and **business acceleration** programs organized by other 33 EuroQuity communities.

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About **€ 500 million** already generated through EuroQuity.

HDB has already developed **collaborations** with several Greek collective bodies,

creating a dynamic network of local enterprises that will grow through InnoAgora.



What's in it for the members?



Enterprises

- Find potential investors and business partners mainly from Europe and Africa.
- Seek/Share collaborative business expansion plans.
- Get updates of exclusive news and opportunities from HDB and other community managers.
- Join the network of more than 16,500 companies and 2,400 investors.
- Participate in webinars, e-pitching & matchmaking events.

Investors

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- Find potential co-investors for follow-on investments.
- Find attractive companies to invest in.
- Exchange knowledge and useful practices.
- Participate in free webinars and other training programs.







Support Mechanisms

- Provide access to the platform for businesses associated with the mechanism.
- Create a label / certification that will act as a "seal" of certification for these companies.
- Exchange knowledge and useful practices.
- Participate in free webinars and other training programs.

