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# Canada – EU Collaboration in Aeronautics Research and Innovation

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# Snapshot of Canada's Aerospace Industry

**A significant contributor to the economy, directly adding CAD\$13.1B to GDP, and employing 76000 (42k in manufacturing) in 2014.**

- **Including indirect and induced economic activity, totals are \$29B and 180,000 employment**

**Canada's most export intensive and trade diverse manufacturing sector**

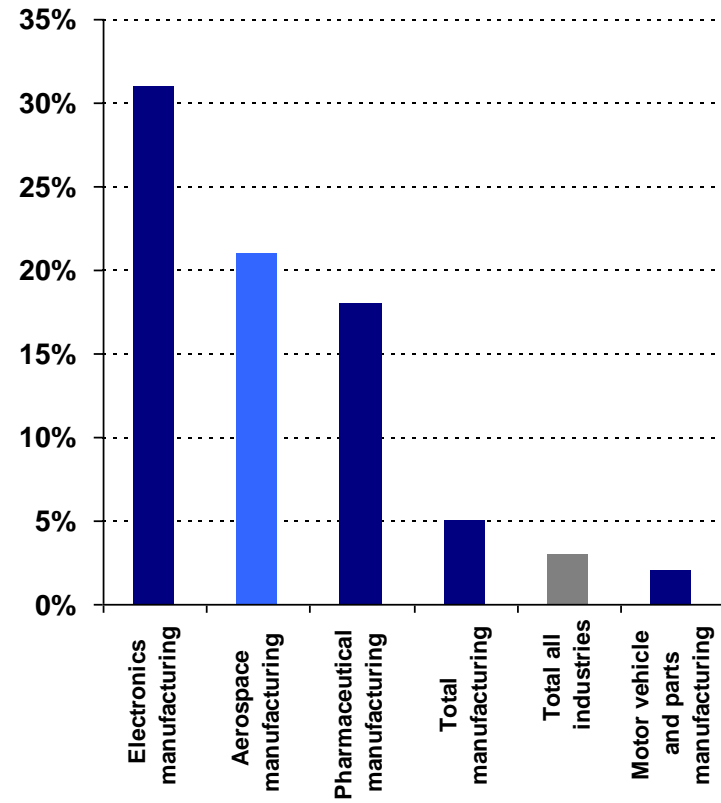
- **Nearly 80% of Canadian aerospace manufacturing output is exported**
- **Close to 50% of aerospace products are exported outside of the United States, in contrast to 26% for total manufacturing**



# Innovation in Canada's Aerospace Industry: Domestic context

Nearly **20%** of aerospace manufacturing activity is dedicated to Research and development, representing a **\$1.8B** investment in 2014.

R&D Share of Industry GDP in Canada  
(2011)



# Aerospace Innovation Support Programs

- **Strategic Aerospace and Defence Initiative (SADI)**
- **Aerospace Technology Demonstration Program (TDP)**
- **Consortium for Aerospace Research and Innovation in Canada (CARIC)**
- **Green Aviation Research and Development Network (GARDN)**
- **Other Provincial Initiatives (CRIAQ, Mach, etc.)**



# Why Collaborate?

- **The aerospace industry is an important element of our respective economies:**
  - ✓ a driver of economic growth
  - ✓ a source of safe and efficient air travel
  - ✓ a provider of enhanced national security
  - ✓ a developer of R&D “spin-offs” that find application in other sectors
- **Building on complementary expertise and capabilities, and leverage resources**
- **R&D collaboration, internationally, would serve to further our common objectives**



# Canadian Networking Aeronautics Project for Europe (CANNAPE)

## Objectives:

- To create a platform for enhancing aeronautics and air transport R&D cooperation between the EU and Canada.
- To develop networks and partnerships between EU and Canada in identified technical themes ideally suited for mutually beneficial aeronautics and air transport R&D cooperation.
- To promote Canadian participation in the aeronautics and air transport activities of FP7 through focused workshops, information and advisory services.



# CANNAPE Workshops

## Workshop #1 in Paris (June 2011)

- 127 attendees, 63 from Canada
- 6 round-table sessions (Alternative Fuels, Composites, UAS, Icing, Aircraft Safety, Other)

## Workshop #2 in Ottawa (November 2011)

- 130 attendees, 35 from Europe
- Five thematic workshops (MRO, Smart Cabin Technologies, Advanced Engine Technologies, Avionics, GA)

## Workshop #3 in Montreal (May 2012)

- Focus on the L1 (higher TRL) projects
- In conjunction with GARDN and CRIAQ Research Fora

## Workshop #4 in London (April 2013)

- Wrap up and Future Plans





# Priority Topics and Coordinated Call

## Priority Topics:

1. Reducing environmental impact through advanced design of novel aircraft configurations.
2. Reducing noise through novel materials application.
3. Resource-efficient high-performance development and manufacturing.
4. Reducing energy consumption through more electrical aircraft and systems integration

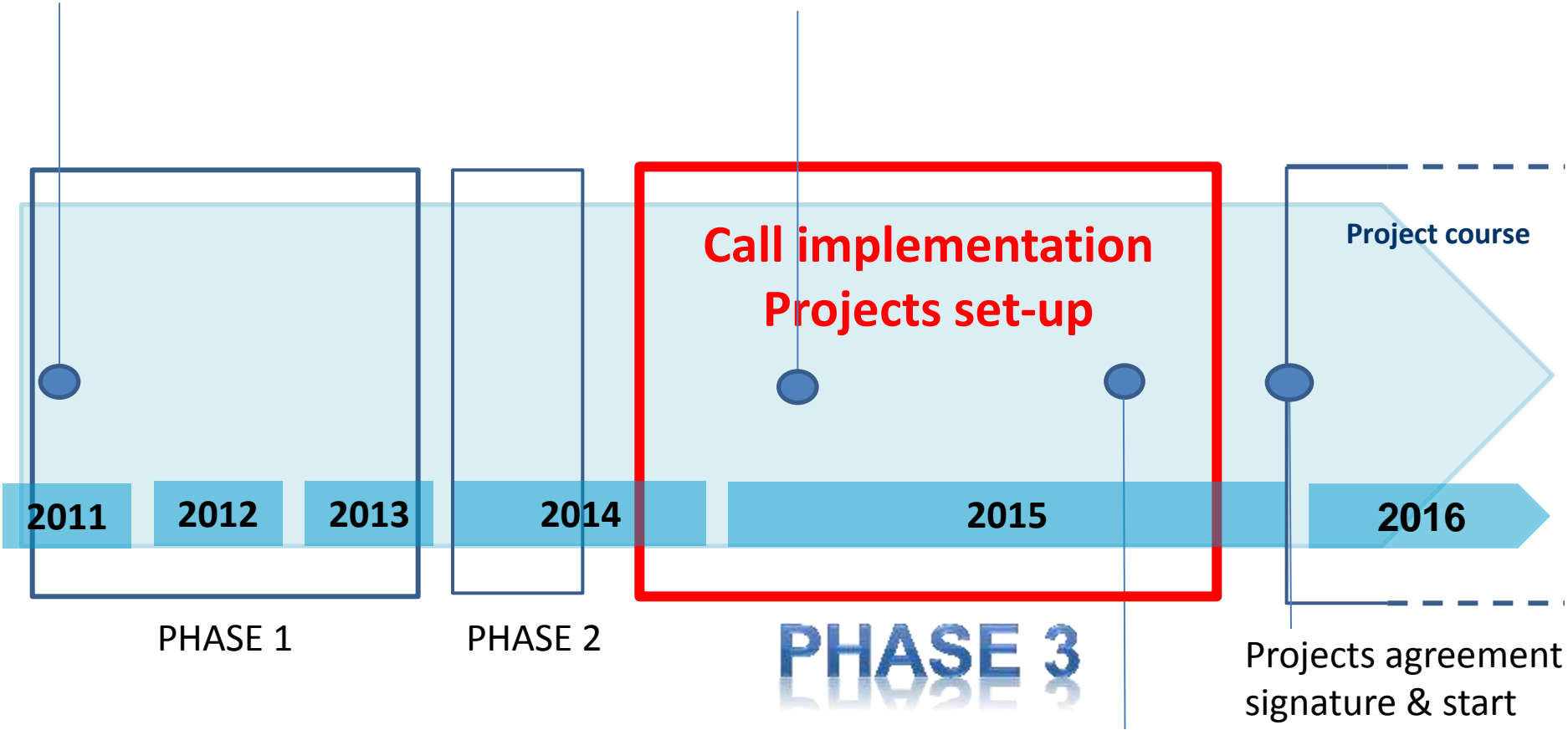
## Coordinated Call

- In 2014 Canada and The European Commission agreed to provide joint funding to the order of €4 million over 3 years.
- The Consortium for Aerospace Research and Innovation in Canada (CARIC) will be responsible for the delivery and administration of the Coordinated call on the Canadian side



Launch of CANNAPE action

EU-Canada CARIC call publication



**Call implementation  
Projects set-up**

Project course

2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016

PHASE 1

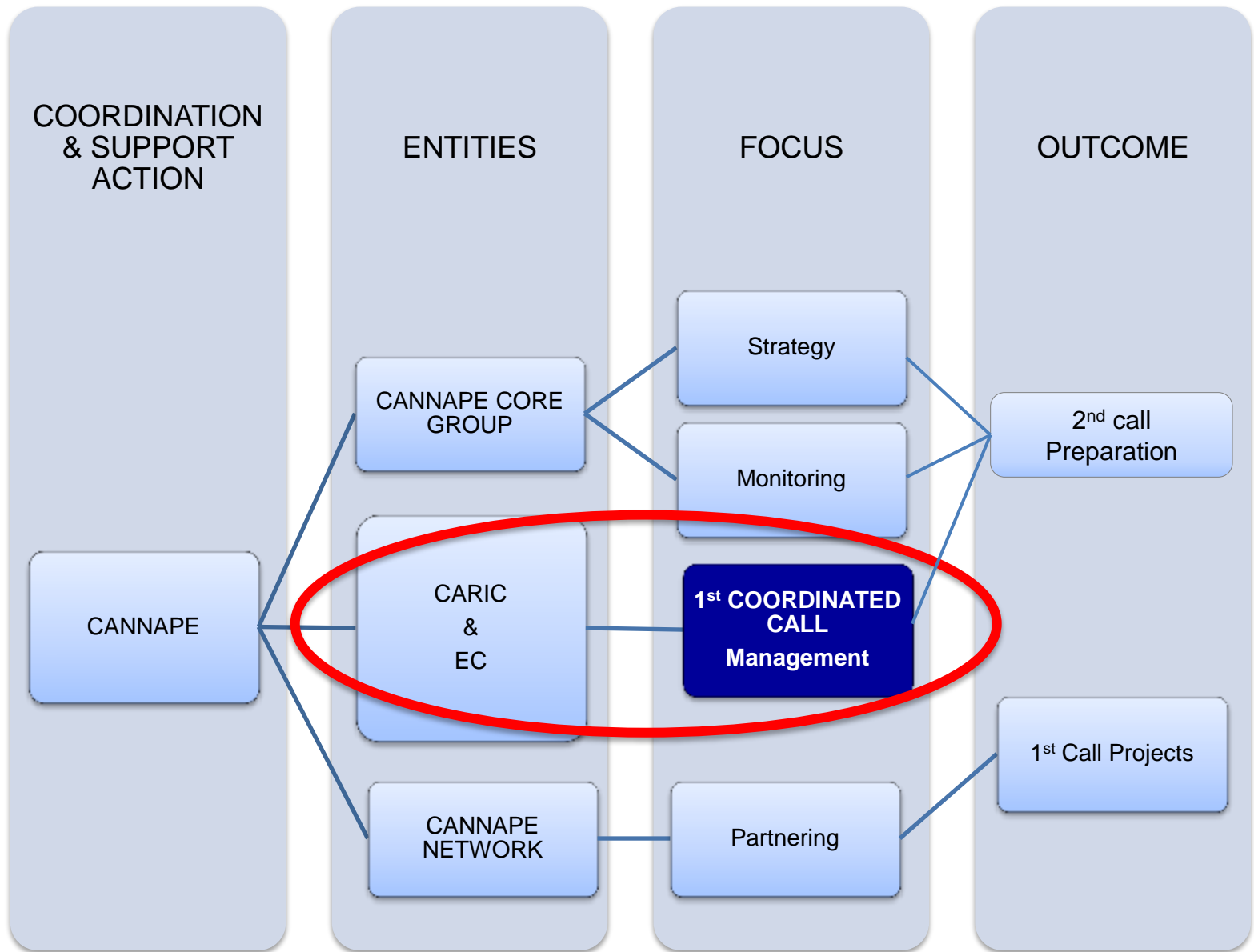
PHASE 2

**PHASE 3**

Projects agreement signature & start

Proposals Submission – April 2015





# Coordinated projects features

## Eligibility Criteria



## Canada-European Union Coordinated Call

<b>Topic oriented</b>	Projects aligned with one or more of the research topics
<b>Activities</b>	Applied research, proof of concept, development and integration, testing and validation on a small-scale prototype in a laboratory or simulated environment.
<b>Partnership</b>	<p><b>Canada:</b> minimum 2 industrial + 2 academic partners</p> <p><b>EU:</b> minimum 3 independent organizations from 3 different EU member states</p> <p style="text-align: right;">} <b>Min. 7 partners</b></p>
	<p>Joint research proposal among Canadian and European partners</p> <p>Research activities coordination</p>
<b>Intellectual Property</b>	Partners sign an International Project Coordination Agreement

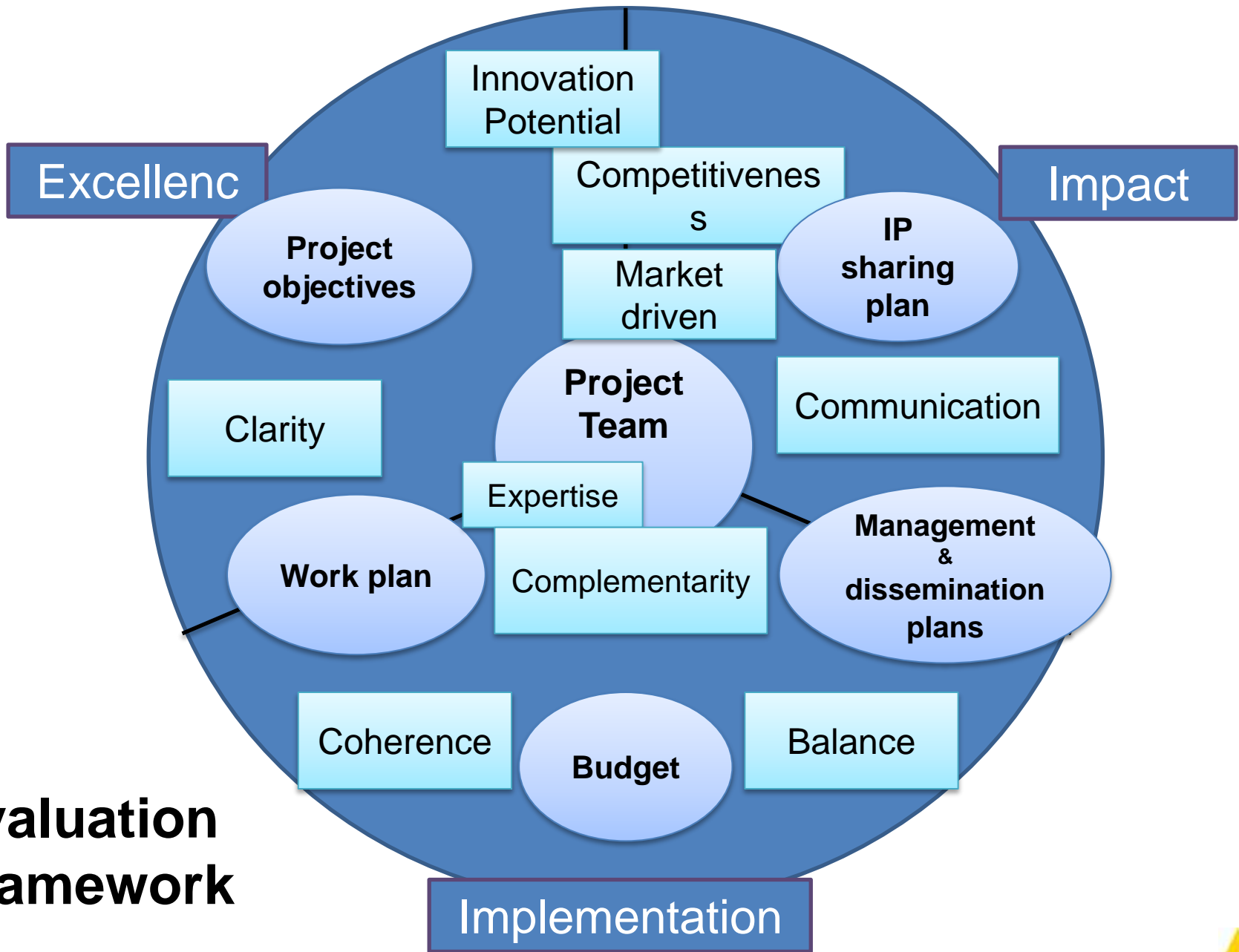


# Call Management

- Close coordination:
  - CARIC-European Commission
  - CARIC-National Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada
- ERA-CAN+ support, NCP Network
- 6 projects submitted
- 62 partners:
  - 29 in Canada (11 SMEs)
  - 33 in Europe
  - 8 countries involved



# Evaluation Framework



# Coordinated Call – Results

- ✓ **EPICEA - Electromagnetic Platform for lightweight Integration/Installation of electrical systems in Composite Electrical Aircraft**
  - Bombardier Aerospace, Solutions Isonéo, ETS, Polytechnique Montreal
  - ONERA, ARTTIC, AxesSim, Fokker Elmo, IDS Corpo
  
- ✓ **AMOS - Additive manufacturing optimization and simulation platform for repairing and re-manufacturing of aerospace components**
  - P&WC, Héroux-Devtek, Liburdi, McGill, UOttawa,
  - University of Sheffield, Ecole Centrale de Nantes, GKN Aerospace, DPS
  
- ✓ **PHOBIC2 ICE - Super-icephobic surfaces to prevent ice formation on aircraft**
  - P&WC, Plasmionique, Dema Aeronautics, UConcordia, Polytechnique Montreal
  - Technology Partner Fondation, Instituto nacional de Technica Aeroespacial, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones científicas, Airbus Group



# Timeline for projects set-up

Q3 Coordinated Evaluation and Decisions  
Q4 2015

Projects signature

February 2016 projects start



Project  
preparation

Project  
evaluation

Project  
start





# Conclusion

- CANNAPE Coordinated Action – *The Catalyst*
- Successful Coordinated Call
- Increased Canadian & European Partnerships
- Promising base for future collaborations between Europe and Canada

