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EU-Japan Centre
for Industrial Cooperation

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Activities *in a nutshell*

Joint venture established in 1987 by the European Commission (DG GROW) and the Japanese Government (METI) for **promoting all forms of industrial, trade and investment cooperation** between the EU and Japan:
<http://www.eu-japan.eu/>

1. [Get ready for Japan](#)
2. [Market access workshops](#)
3. [WCM & Lean Management](#)
4. [Vulcanus in Japan](#)

5. [EPA Helpdesk](#)
6. [Public procurement Helpdesk](#)
7. [Tech Transfer Helpdesk](#)
8. [EEN in Japan](#)
9. [Step in Japan](#)
10. [Keys to Japan](#)

11. [B2Bs](#)
12. [Vulcanus in Europe](#)
13. [EU2Japan \(food, green, digital\)](#)
14. [Helpdesk for business coop. in Africa, ASEAN & Latin America](#)

BUSINESS SERVICES

TRAINING

THEMATIC SECTORS

- [Green](#)
- [Digital](#)
- [Agri-food](#)
- [Health](#)
- [Nanotech](#)
- ...

BUSINESS INFO & DIALOGUE

COMMUNICATION & COORDINATION

23. Coordination with Member States Trade Promotion Organizations
24. MoUs (in preparation)
25. [Newsletter & Social Networks](#)

INDUSTRIAL CLUSTERS & REGIONS

21. [Regional cooperation Helpdesk](#)
22. EU Cluster mobility to Japan (in preparation)

PROMOTION OF R&D COOPERATION

15. [Market Opportunities in Japan](#)
16. [Policy Seminars](#)
17. [MINERVA reports](#)
18. [Business Round Table](#)

19. [Horizon Europe national Contact Point](#)
20. [Space](#)

<p>Training</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2-week Get Ready for Japan scheme in Tokyo Market access workshops: help EU SMEs to access the Japanese market; address topics related to exports & imports procedures as well as cross-cultural practices 5-day World Class Manufacturing training mission in Japan; Lean management in Europe with in-depth one-day visits to EU plants Vulcanus in Japan: one year industrial training and internship for European students and companies
<p>Business Services</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> EPA Helpdesk: supports EU SMEs in searching for relevant information Public Procurement Helpdesk: provides a wide range of services in the areas of public procurement and tax issues in Japan Tech Transfer Helpdesk: supports EU and Japanese companies and individuals in their steps to search for and acquire technologies EEN(Enterprise Europe Network) in Japan: the Centre serves as the contact point Step in Japan: supports initiative for SMEs, offered free of charge Keys to Japan: offers a personalized market entry business plan B2Bs: matchmaking missions to Japan for EU Clusters and SMEs Vulcanus in Europe: one year industrial training and internship for Japanese students and companies EUfood2Japan: supports EU Food producers (SMEs) seeking to export their products to Japan; EUgreen2Japan, EUdigital2Japan: <i>in preparation</i> Helpdesk for EU-Japan business cooperation in Africa, ASEAN and Latin America
<p>Business Information & Dialogue</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Market opportunities in Japan: offer information and report on a wide range of Japanese business sectors Policy Seminars: issues including circular economy, EPA, Green x digital etc. MINERVA: a 6-months in house research scheme in Japan EU-Japan Business Round Table (BRT): fosters communication between Japanese and EU industries; submits recommendations to the national authorities
<p>Promotion of R&D Coop.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Horizon Europe National Contact Point: promotes research cooperation and supports participation from Japanese organizations Space Japan: focus on cooperation sectors such as Earth Observation
<p>Industrial clusters and regions</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Cooperation Helpdesk: guides local entities to learn from existing cooperation and promotes new ones in industry, trade, investment, innovation etc. EU cluster manager mobility to Japan: <i>in preparation</i>
<p>Communication & Cooperation</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Coordination with Member States TPOs “Team Europe”: share information and ensure complementarity MoUs signed by the Centre and Partners such as prefectural government and Chamber of Commerce Five newsletters <p>Social networks</p> <p>Twitter: @EUJapanCentre</p> <p> Philippe de Taxis du Poët, General Manager: @PhilippePoet</p> <p>Facebook /LinkedIn /Youtube: EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation</p> <p>Videos</p> <p> Business Round Table; MINERVA; WCM and Lean; Vulcanus in Japan; Technology Transfer Helpdesk; Get ready for Japan; EEN 10 years; Centre 35 years anniversary</p>
<p>Thematic Sectors</p>	<p>Stock-taking thematic papers cutting across all EU-Japan Centre’s actions to provide complementary info, rationale and how they form together a meaningful and effective package</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Green Transition Digital Transformation Agri-Food MedTech/ health and well-being/ pharma and biotech: <i>in preparation</i> Nanotech/Advanced materials: <i>in preparation</i> ...<i>More to come</i>