

## EIT RawMaterials

EIT RawMaterials Innovation Community City and Country  
Berlin, Germany



## DEVELOPING RAW MATERIALS INTO A MAJOR STRENGTH FOR EUROPE



### ABOUT

EIT RawMaterials, initiated and funded by the EIT (European Institute of Innovation and Technology), a body of the European Union, is the largest innovation community in the raw materials sector worldwide. Its vision is to develop raw materials into a major strength for Europe. Its mission is to enable sustainable competitiveness of the European minerals, metals and materials sector along the value chain by driving innovation, education and entrepreneurship.

EIT RawMaterials unites more than 300 + partners from leading industry, RTO and universities from more than 20 EU countries. Partners of EIT RawMaterials are active across the entire raw materials value chain; from exploration, mining and mineral processing to substitution, recycling and circular economy. They collaborate on finding new, innovative solutions to secure the supplies and improve the raw materials sector in Europe.

### EXPERTISE

EIT RawMaterials aims to significantly enhance innovation in the raw materials sector by sharing knowledge, facilitating matchmaking activities, developing innovative technologies and supporting business creation.

EIT RawMaterials generates a significant impact on European competitiveness and employment by driving and fostering innovation and empowering students, entrepreneurs and education partners driving towards the circular economy. This results in the introduction of innovative and sustainable products, processes and services, as well as talented people that deliver increased economic, environmental and social sustainability to the European society.

### FACILITIES & SERVICES

EIT RawMaterials is supporting innovation and driving entrepreneurship along the value chain of the raw material industry through matchmaking tools and events, such as the RM Summit, the flagship event where experts gather to discuss innovation and new technologies in the raw materials value chain.

Business creation and Acceleration activities are aimed at transforming innovative ideas and projects into new business for existing companies (large and small) as well as through the creation of start-ups and spin-offs.

The RawMaterials Academy provides numerous educational activities. These range from innovative education projects launched via calls and run by the Innovation Community's partners to a number of centrally operated projects. Activities across the entire ecosystem of learners – PhD students, Masters' students, industrial partners, professionals within the raw materials sector, and wider society – foster new ways of learning and teaching by connecting academia, industry and research organisations.



### MORE INFORMATION

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