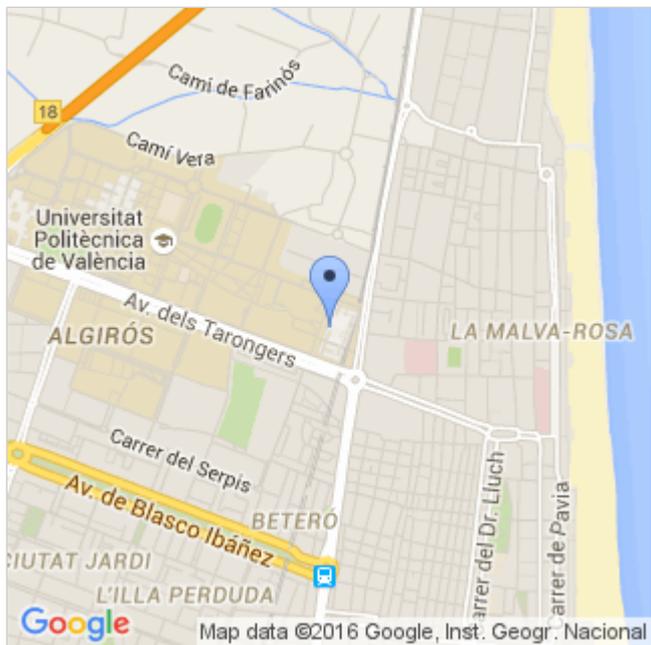


## Expression of Interest



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### Institute of Innovation and Knowledge Management. INGENIO (CSIC-UPV)

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#### Research Area

- Social Sciences and Humanities (SOC)
- Economic Sciences (ECO)

### Brief description of the institution:

INGENIO (CSICUPV) is a joint research center of the Spanish Council for Scientific Research (CSIC) and the Polytechnic University of Valencia (UPV), with more than 30 researchers from different professional fields, academic backgrounds and nationalities. In addition to research, INGENIO (CSICUPV) is also involved in teaching and training activities. As a joint CSICUPV research center, INGENIO provides a broad range of possibilities to develop research and teaching activities, supervise Masters/PhD students, and host visiting colleagues from around the world.

INGENIO's internal seminar series provides a collegial setting for presenting early drafts of new research, whilst we regularly organize national and international seminars, workshops and conferences in coordination with other institutions and international research networks such as EUSPRI Forum, ENID, EURKIND, etc.

We also host about 25 leading international researchers every year.

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**Brief description of the Centre/Research Group (including URL if applicable):**

INGENIO (CSIC-UPV) invites international researchers who aim to develop their careers in the fields of **innovation, science and technology policy studies** and **human and sustainable development** through a Marie Curie funded action, to partner with INGENIO as their Host Institution. INGENIO has a track record of hosting Marie Curie Fellows and supporting their research and broader academic experience. As the prospective Host Institution, INGENIO can provide institutional support and professional assistance with the preparation and submission of the Marie Curie application.

INGENIO's research on science and innovation addresses five main interconnected areas.

Candidates are invited to draft proposals around topics within these areas:

1. **Analysis of knowledge generation and use.**
2. **The organization of innovation and research processes. Green technologies and social innovation processes.**
3. **The analysis and evaluation of science and innovation policies and activities.**
4. **Analysis of projects interventions, policies and institutions from a human and sustainable perspective.**
5. **Science, Technology and Society in the Early Modern period.**

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**Project description:**

**Opening up the bioeconomy: towards a more inclusive and deliberative governance of food systems.**

This project addresses the broad question of how institutions and science and technology policy (as public policy) define and may respond to broader societal concerns. We focus on the bioeconomy as a political, economic and technoscientific project that has recently gained popularity in Europe and which mobilises resources through coordinated efforts of R&D institutions, industry and governments.

More specifically, we aim to look at the food sector to 1) understand how research and innovation policies, priorities and agendas are defined and what are the roles played by the different actors involved in these processes; and 2) to enquire whether there is space for alternative and more inclusive (i.e. socially just and

informed) forms of bioeconomy policies and agendas which reflect the concerns of groups that are excluded from these processes. Field work will be conducted in Spain, at national, regional and local levels.

As a theoretical framework to analyse this field we will use critical theories of socio-technical change from the field of science and technology studies, technology assessment and the emergent responsible, research and innovation scholarship with more normative frameworks such as the human development and capability approach.

### **Applications**

CV. Brief description of your research project.