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Accelerator and Research reactor Infrastructures for Education and Learning

An European initiative for **education and training** to maintain and enhance competences in the field of **nuclear data measurements**

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The ELISA liquid scintillator array (JRC) at HZDR, Dresden.

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The ARIEL project is a **coordination and support action** funded by the EURATOM Workprogramme 2014-2018 in the Horizon 2020 framework. It unites the **most modern and state-of-the-art European neutron beam laboratories** using the full range of neutron sources from high-energy proton synchrotrons to research reactors.

Accurate and precise nuclear data, e.g. embedded in computer simulations, are required for the continued improvement of the **safety of current and future nuclear facilities**. Producing these nuclear data is a complex process, which relies on highest-performance neutron facilities and on **highly-trained nuclear physicists**.

26 partners from 15 European countries will work together for the **education and training of a new generation of young scientists and technical staff**. The full nuclear data cycle will be addressed by collaboration with JEFF (OECD/NEA), IAEA, and TSO's e.g. GRS, IRSN and the EUROATOM SANDA project.

ARIEL will provide:

- Hands-on training of early stage researchers and technical staff by participation in **experiments** and through **scientific visits**
- **3 scientific workshops and progress meetings** in Brussels, London and Paris
- **4 Summer Schools:**
 - “Hands-on school on the production, detection and use of neutron beams” University of Seville
 - “Lab course in Reactor Operation and Nuclear Chemistry” University of Mainz
 - “Nuclear data: the path from the detector to the reactor calculation” CIEMAT, Madrid
 - “EXTEND’2022 summer school” Uppsala University

Application and further information:

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ARIEL can support:

Transnational Access:

3000 hours of beam time at any of the 24 partner laboratories

Training and scientific visits:

30 research stays up to 12 weeks for early stage researchers and external senior experts

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