

CHIPS JU 2026 INFORMATION DAY

Open Calls and Italian Competence Centre

Rome | February 23rd, 2026

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Chips Mirror Group Italy, in partnership with AEIT and Fondazione Chips-IT, is organizing an Information Day in Rome on February 23rd, hosted by Confindustria. The morning session will feature a presentation of the Chips-JU Call 2026, with participation from Chips-JU and Italian Public Authorities officers. The afternoon will focus on the new Italian Competence Centre, CADETTI, and related initiatives in support of innovative design, training and access to services..

Confindustria

Viale dell'Astronomia, 30 ROMA EUR

10:00 – 17.30

Preliminary program:

- The 2026 calls of Chips JU and the Italian funding
- Results of the 2025 Chips JU calls
- The ECS Brokerage Event 2026
- Fondazione Chips.IT
- The Italian Competence Centre
- New JU initiatives for Design



The **Chips Mirror Group Italy** associates researchers from Italian industrial and academic institutions who were involved in the Chips JU programme and has the mission is to facilitate / coordinate the participation of Italian industrial and academic research organizations to the Chips Joint Undertaking.

Fondazione Chips-IT was created in December 2022 with the purpose to advance Italy and Europe's strategic autonomy in integrated circuit design through cutting-edge research, advanced training, and robust industrial collaborations. It is the coordinator of the Italian Competence Centre for Design CADETTI

Participation is for free, yet registration is required for logistic and security reasons. Register at: <https://forms.gle/5tZ7NaFZ7X94F7iN9>



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Preliminary Agenda

Chips JU Open Calls

- 10:00 Registration
- 11:00 Opening of the meeting
 - Chips Mirror Group Italy
 - European Chips Initiative and Chips JU calls
 - SRIA 2026
 - MUR approach to Chips JU calls 2026
 - MIMIT approach to Chips JU Calls 2026
 - Towards FP10
 - Ideas from the European Brokerage Events
 - Presentation of Fondazione CHIPS-IT
- 14:00 Lunch Break

Italian Competence Centre

- 15:00 Chips for Europe Initiative
 - CADETTI Project
 - The Talent issue
 - The Venture Capital for SMEs and Start ups
 - CADETTI access point to Europe, MESAP & aCCcess project
 - Round Table: MIMIT, MUR, Confindustria (ANIE)
 - Closing remarks
- 17:00 End of the day