

**PROGRAM OF PROFESSIONAL TRAINING FOR NATIONAL EXPERTS (NEPT)  
Calendar and quota of applications 1<sup>st</sup> exercise 2021 (March)**

**CALENDAR**

<b>By 15.10.2020</b>	<b>Submission of applications via the Permanent Representations or Missions</b>
November 2020	Internal selection procedure. During this period, the candidates should not be contacted by any of the Commission services.
December 2020	First contact email of the selected DG/Cabinet to the candidate.
January 2021	Confirmation by the NEPT sector of DG HR to the permanent representations or missions of the selected candidates and their hosting DG.
	Confirmation email with invitation from NEPT sector to the selected candidates.

**MAXIMUM QUOTA FOR EACH COUNTRY**

- The number of proposals by the permanent representations or missions cannot exceed the quota mentioned below.
- For the first exercise of the year (March), the permanent representations or missions can use the entire quota fixed for the year. It is however highly recommended to limit the number of proposals to half the quota in order to have sufficient possibilities for the second exercise of the year.
- For the second exercise of the year (October), DG HR sets the remaining quota for each country, by deducting from the total quota of the year the number of NEPT who really started in March.

	<b>Total Quota for 2021</b>	<b>Number NEPT 2021/1</b>
<b>AT</b>	10	
<b>BE</b>	12	
<b>BG</b>	10	
<b>CH</b>	6	
<b>CY</b>	4	
<b>CZ</b>	9+5	
<b>DE</b>	29	
<b>DK</b>	7	
<b>EE</b>	4	
<b>ES</b>	27	
<b>FI</b>	7	
<b>FR</b>	29	
<b>GR</b>	12	
<b>HR</b>	3	
<b>HU</b>	8	
<b>IE</b>	6	
<b>IT</b>	29	
<b>LT</b>	8	
<b>LU</b>	4	
<b>LV</b>	8	
<b>MT</b>	3	
<b>NL</b>	13	
<b>NO</b>	6	
<b>PL</b>	14	
<b>PT</b>	12	
<b>RO</b>	14	
<b>SE</b>	10	
<b>SI</b>	4	
<b>SK</b>	6	
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