

Steinbeis Industrial IT × Kakushin

Industry Consortium & Pilot Projects

Innovation with Reduced Risk

What is the Consortium?

A structured industrial innovation network where SMEs collaborate on shared AI and digitalization challenges — accessing proven expertise, shared infrastructure, and co-funded development without full independent risk.

Who Is It For?

- ✓ Industrial SMEs without internal R&D capacity
- ✓ Companies eligible for co-funded EU or national innovation programmes
- ✓ Machinery producers, automotive suppliers, process industry companies

Key Benefits

- ✓ **Collaboration:** Work with industry peers and Steinbeis research experts on shared challenges across a trusted, non-competing network.
- ✓ **Innovation:** Access AI and industrial IoT research through the Steinbeis network — without funding an independent R&D function.
- ✓ **Growth:** Accelerate digital transformation with preferential access to new tools, frameworks, and implementation resources.

How to Join

1. ✓ **Initial conversation** — Assess fit and goals

2. ✓ **Onboarding** — Introductions to members, active projects, and working groups
3. ✓ **First engagement** — Participate in a relevant consortium project

Ready to Join?

Apply for membership or speak to an expert to learn more

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