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Converging showcases European innovation leadership at HaDEA Showcase Event 2026

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CONVERGING took part in the HaDEA Showcase Event 2026, a flagship European gathering organised by the European Health and Digital Executive Agency (HaDEA), highlighting high-impact projects funded by the European Union.

The event brought together policymakers, research organisations, industry leaders and innovators to demonstrate how EU-funded initiatives are strengthening Europe's competitiveness, sustainability and digital and health ecosystems. With 500 in-person participants and 150 online attendees, the showcase featured 26 high-level speakers and 14 project stands. Discussions focused on translating research results into real-world impact, improving regulatory frameworks and scaling up innovation across value chains.



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CONVERGING's participation reinforced its commitment to multidisciplinary collaboration, stakeholder engagement and value-chain integration. Contributing to discussions on regulation, skills development, data infrastructure and innovation uptake, the project underlined the importance of ensuring that knowledge generated within European projects is clearly communicated, widely understood and effectively adopted beyond project boundaries.

Through its presence at the HaDEA Showcase Event 2026, CONVERGING made a strong mark, confirming that Europe's innovation model depends on collaboration across the entire ecosystem, an approach that is increasingly positioning Europe as a global reference point for responsible and competitive innovation.



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