

# Stepping into Agora:

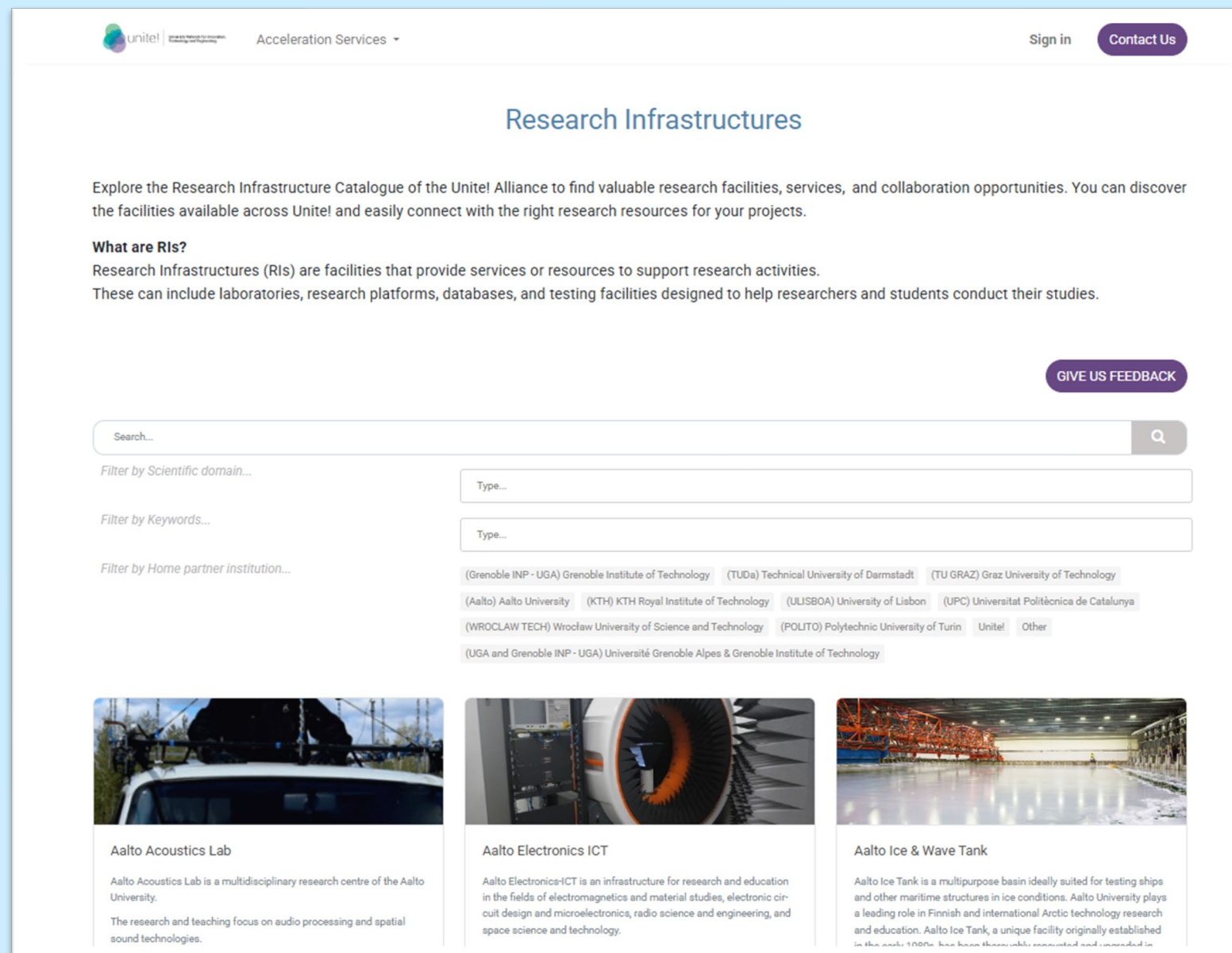
From Shared Infrastructures to Shared Power: How European Alliances Can Boost Europe's Competitiveness

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>50%

Of the research infrastructure  
investments in Europe are still  
decided and managed in isolation

Europe's research ecosystem is one of the  
largest in the world, but we don't operate  
at our **full potential**



## 1 Agora Unite!

Coordinator at UPC for our Shared Infrastructure Work group.

## 2 Common principles

Common Research Infrastructure definition, Shared information, filtering process, organized research areas.

## 3 One step further

Common legal agreement for acces, promote a common princing strategy, API synchronized content with UPC SCT website to ensure content is up to date and relevant

## 4 Future improvements

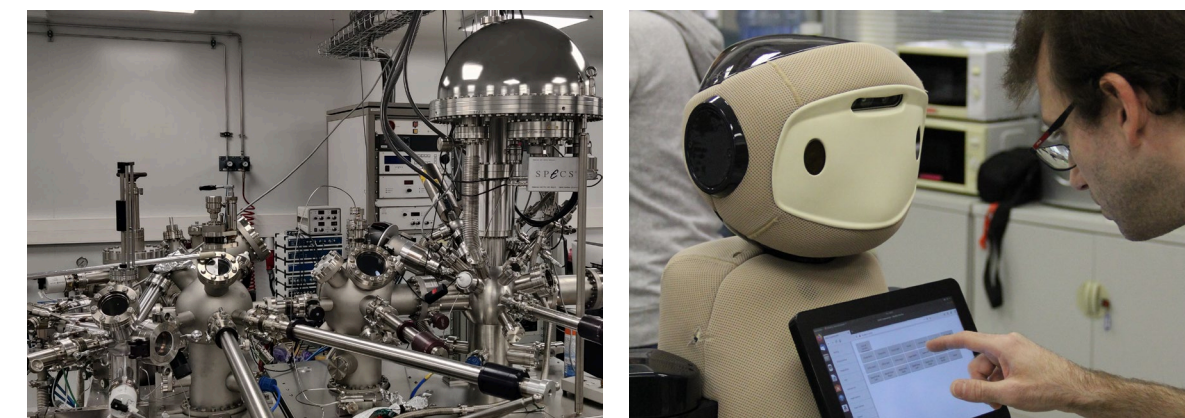
Transnational access, Digitalized legal agreement workflow, being part of a bigger catalogue with other university alliances, create a interuniversity EOSC node for all the shared research infrastructure.



# Agora – Scaling the logic

*In the next decade, Europe's competitiveness will depend not on how many infrastructures we build, but on whether we can act as one system*

- All alliances need digital tools showcase their catalogues.
- Going one step further with management tools can simplify the process for many.
- Using the ForEU4ALL platform is useful to align and share resources between Alliances.
- Pilot testing of a shared multiple platform between alliances
- Increase coordination = better position to compete globally
- Shared promotion resources
- Attract new financial support through competitive funding or new lines of private funding



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