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## **ESOF 2016**

## Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions satellite event "Research and society"

## 28-29 July 2016

Day 1: 28 July 2016		
8.00 – 9.00	Registration and welcome coffee	
9:00 – 9.30	Opening session	
	- Welcoming word – Professor Dame Nancy Rothwell, ESOF 2016 Champion	
	- Opening speech – European Commission, Patricia Reilly, Member of Cabinet Commissioner Navracsics	
9.30 – 10.45	Discussion panel	
	Researcher and society: we're all in the same boat!	
	Society wants to have a view and a say on research, be it on its content (stem cells, etc), or its funding. How should researchers communicate with society in order to win its support and get their buy-in? Why is it important to inform the EU citizen/consumer and make him/her understand the value of research and science?	
	Moderator: European Commission, MSCA	
	- Science Journalist	
	- LERU	
	- Civil society	
	- Euroscience	
	- MSCA fellow involved in educating the public (Shane Bergins?	

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	Or in health,)
	- Representative from European Commission (SWAFS?)
	- MCAA representative
	- Voice of researchers
10.45-11.15	Coffee break
11.15 – 12.30	Science and democracy: Get into the debate!
	- EU 101: Introduction to the EU decision making process
	- Public engagement: How can you get involved as a researcher?
12:30 – 13.30	Lunch break
13.30 – 15.00	Ethics, transparency, research intergrity, misconduct: Where do I stand?
	Scandals of scientific plagiarism have made the headlines in the past few years. The collection and interpretation of data is also under scrutiny. Conducting science with good ethics, in a transparent manner is more important than ever. Have you (or your research group) adopted adequate measures to avoid mistakes? What can you do as a researcher to contribute to a healthy research environment?
	European Science Foundation : presentation of European Code for Research Integrity
	Science Journalist, John Bohannon, <u>fake study on chocolate</u>
	Edoardo Boncinelli ?
15.00 – 15.30	Coffee break
15.30 – 17.30	Open science: the tools for your research success
	1. An intro to open science – a session providing a background to what it means to be open, the policy landscape, potential benefits, useful tools etc
	2. Using open science to your benefit – a session that explains how open science can improve your profile and help win proposals
	3. Data Management Planning – a session on data management in general and planning for this by writing DMPsSpeakers: Ivo Grigorov FOSTER project, DTU Denmark
	Sarah Jones and Joy Davidson, Glasgow Digital Centre

19.00 – 22.30	Cocktail and gala dinner

Day 2: 29 July 2016	
8.30 – 9.00	Coffee
9.00 – 10.00	Inspiring initiatives from the private sector
	As a researcher you can change the world not only by working on blue sky research within universities, joining a research lab within a company can also be an interesting option.
	Case studies from innovations developed by the private sector for a better society
10.00 – 11.30	Elevator pitch
	We will select participants randomly in the room to make a 3 minutes presentation of their projects in laymen terms.
11.30– 12.30	*Poster session: How is your research contributing to society?
	Posters will be divided by societal challenges
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch break
13.30 – 14.00	Bringing gender in research
	The gender dimension is now integrated within Horizon 2020, at two levels:
	<ul><li>Gender balance within the research teams</li><li>Gender dimension within the content of research.</li></ul>
	This introductory session will explain why integrating gender (within your team or your research project) can make a difference to the quality of your research.
14.00 – 15.30	Parallel sessions on how to integrate the gender dimension by disciplines
	Integrating the gender dimension within research project/proposal - Life sciences and social sciences
	Workshop and case studies
	Integrating the gender dimension within research project/proposal - Engineering, Chemistry, Physics, Environment, others

	Workshop and case studies
15.30 – 16.00	Coffee break
16.00 – 17.00	Becoming an Expert at REA (gender and ethics)  Information session on how to become an expert for the evaluations at REA
17.00 – 17.30	Closing session  European Commission, DG EAC, Modernisation of Education II: Education policy and programme, Innovation, EIT and MSCA, Director
17.30 – 18.00	Networking cocktail

<sup>\*</sup>Posters will be hanged during the entire duration of the conference