

EU-Eastern Partnership STI Cooperation in Addressing Health Research and Innovation

Policy Stakeholders Conference in Budapest, 19 - 20 April 2016

Venue: Danubius Hotel Gellért, Budapest

PROGRAMME

| 19 April 2016 | |
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| 09:00-09:30 | <i>Registration</i> |
| 09:30-10:00 | Opening Session (3 x 10 minutes) |
| | <p>Welcoming addresses <u>Moderator:</u> Béla Kardon, RCISD Gergely Pröhle, Hungarian Deputy State Secretary for EU and International Affairs of the Ministry of Human Capacities, Hungary George Bonas, Scientific Coordinator of the IncoNet EaP Project, Managing Director, CeRISS, Greece László Helmle, Policy Officer, European Commission Directorate General Research & Innovation, EU</p> |
| 10:00-13:30 | Session I: State of Affairs of Policies, Initiatives and Programmes on Health Research and Innovation |
| 10:00-11:30 | Panel 1: International Policies, Initiatives, Programmes and Funding Mechanisms on Health Research and Innovation (5 x 15 minutes) |
| | <p><u>Moderator:</u> László Dux, Head of Department, University of Szeged, Faculty of Medicine, Department of Biochemistry <u>Rapporteur:</u> Ildikó Dorogi, Béla Kardon, RCISD</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. H2020 Work Programme 2016-2017 on Health – Zygmunt Krasinski, Director of the Polish NCP for Horizon 2020, IPPT PAN, Poland 2. European Commission’s Scientific Panel for Health: together for better health and wellbeing for all – Ildikó Horváth, Strategic Director, SPH Executive Board Member, National Koranyi Institute for Pulmonology, Hungary 3. Innovation and Research - the 2 ingredients to END Tuberculosis – Suvanand Sahu, Deputy Executive Director, Stop TB Partnership, Switzerland 4. What perspective for European funding in Pasteur Institute’s business model? – David Itier, Coordinator of European Affairs, Institute Pasteur, France 5. A look into current and future trends in national policies for eHealth and Innovation in the WHO European Region – Clayton Hamilton, Unit Leader, eHealth & Innovation, WHO Regional Office for Europe in Denmark <p><i>Discussion (15 minutes)</i></p> |
| 11:30-12:00 | <i>Coffee break & Poster Session</i> |



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| 12:00-13:30 | Panel 2: State of Affairs of National Policies on Health Research and Innovation in EaP countries (6 x 15 minutes) |
| | <p><u>Moderator:</u> Marcel Pop, Director, Semmelweis University, Directorate of International Relations</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Anastasia Vlyzioti, CeRISS</p> <p>1. From research to Policy Development – Alexandr Bazarchyan, Director, National Institute of Health Republic of Armenia, Armenia</p> <p>2. National research programmes and their health policy applications in Azerbaijan – Nabil Seyidov, Deputy Head of Department, Public Health and Reforms Center of Ministry of Health, Azerbaijan</p> <p>3. Health researches and innovations in the Republic of Belarus – Alena Chumakova, Consultant, Department of Science, Ministry of Health of the Republic of Belarus, Belarus</p> <p>4. R. Lugar Center for Public Health Research – Unique opportunity for research and innovation on health in Georgia – Ketevan Zaridze, EU/UNICRI Biosafety Projects Manager, National Center for Disease Control and Public Health of Georgia (NCDC), Georgia</p> <p>5. Research and innovation of the field of public health in Republic of Moldova – Valeriu Pantea, Head of Centre of Strategic Development and Public Health Management, National Centre of Public Health, MoH, Moldova</p> <p>6. Primary health care reform in Ukraine: priorities and perspectives – Olga Vysotska, Head of the Board NGO, “Ukrainian Center of Family Medicine” (UCFM), Ukraine</p> <p><i>Discussion (15 minutes)</i></p> |
| 13:30-14:30 | <i>Lunch</i> |
| 14:30-16:00 | Session II: Best Practice Examples of Studies & Projects on Health Research involving the EaP countries, Opportunities of the European Union (6 x 15 minutes) |
| 14:30-16:00 | <p><u>Moderator:</u> Lilla Farkas, Director, Semmelweis University</p> <p><u>Rapporteur:</u> Olga Meerovskaya, BellISA</p> <p>1. Bibliometric Analysis of EU-EaP joint publications in health – Hanna Scheck, Project Manager, ZSI, Austria</p> <p>2. BRIDGE Health: Improving indicators for monitoring health system performance – Maria Hofmarcher-Holzacker, Director, Senior Research Fellow, Health System Intelligence, Medical University Vienna, Austria</p> <p>3. The ERA-NET NEURON - Advancing Neuroscience in Europe and beyond – Sascha Helduser, Scientific Officer, DLR Project Management Agency, Germany</p> <p>4. Boosting R&I Potential in Life Sciences at the University of Gdańsk, Poland - Tools, Synergies, Perspectives – Krzysztof Bielawski, Director of the Technology Transfer Office, Head of the Molecular Diagnostics Laboratory, University of Gdansk, Poland</p> <p>5. EIT Health: A powerful alliance for healthy living and active ageing – Balázs Fürjes, Director of InnoSTARS, EIT Health, Hungary</p> <p>6. The Joint Programming Initiative on Antimicrobial Resistance: from national plans to joint calls and capacity programmes – Laura Marin, Project Manager JPIAMR, Swedish Research Council, Sweden</p> <p><i>Discussion (15 minutes)</i></p> |
| 16:00-16:30 | <i>Coffee break & Poster Session</i> |

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| 16:30-18:00 | Session III: Recommendation for a stronger EU-EaP Collaboration in Health Research and Innovation |
| 16:30-18:00 | Panel 1: MODERATED DISCUSSION: Challenges & tendencies in health related R&I issues and international, fields of potential cooperation (90 minutes) |
| | <p><u>Moderator:</u> Zygmunt Krasinski, IPPT PAN, Lucyna Wozniak, Medical University of Lodz <u>Rapporteur:</u> Yannis Kechagiaras, CeRISS</p> <p><u>Participants from EaP countries</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nabil Seyidov, Deputy Head of Department, Public Health and Reforms Center of Ministry of Health, Azerbaijan 2. Igor Karpov, Head of the Department of Infectious Diseases, Belarus State Medical University, Belarus 3. Seyran Kocharyan, Head of Science Department, Yerevan State Medical University after M. Heratsi, Armenia 4. Olesia Lynovytska, Vice-rector of International Relation, Research and Education, Bogomolets National Medical University, Ukraine 5. Maia Okujava, Associate Professor, Health NCP, Tbilisi State Medical University, Georgia 6. Victor Vovc, Head of the Human Physiology & Biophysics Department, State University of Medicine and Pharmacy “Nicolae Testemitanu”, Moldova <p><u>Participants from EU countries</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Martine Batoux, Coordinator of Infect-ERA, French National Research Agency, France 2. Gábor Deme, Vice President, Hungarian Society for Innovation, Innomed Medical Zrt., Hungary 3. Remko van Leeuwen, Director of Acquisition, Amsterdam Institute for Global Health and Development (AIGHD), Netherlands 4. Júlia Pallós, Head of Biomedical Division and Pharmacovigilance, National Institute of Pharmacy and Nutrition, Hungary 5. Tanja Weis, Coordinator of BestAgeing project, University Hospital Heidelberg, Internal Medicine III, Cardiology, Germany <p>Tour de table: Fields of activities of experts (3-5 minutes per experts) Open Discussion (30 minutes)</p> |
| 19:00-22:00 | Working dinner |

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| 09:00-10:30 | Session III (continued) |
| 09:00-10:30 | Panel 2: CONVERSATION IN WORLD CAFÉ METHOD (3 x 30 minutes in 3 groups) |
| | <p><u>Moderator</u>: Béla Kardon, RCISD <u>Rapporteur Q1</u>: Felix Gajdusek, ZSI <u>Rapporteur Q2</u>: Ildikó Horváth, Strategic Director, SPH Executive Board Member, National Koranyi Institute for Pulmonology <u>Rapporteur Q3</u>: Jörn Grünewald, DLR</p> <p>Method: Each question is discussed in 3 small groups in 30 minutes with leading of a 'table host' (rapporteur). At the end of the 30 minutes, each member of the group moves to a different new table with a different question.</p> <p>Participants: Stakeholders from policy (EC, EU/MS, representatives from each EaP countries), industry, market and academic side, representatives of ERANETs, H2020 projects, programs.</p> <p>Questions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Which are the major health topics/health threats in EaP and existent research activities and programmes to address these threats? 2. How is it possible to coordinate tools and create synergies by exploiting the existing bilateral and national programmes in a more effective way? 3. What are the most relevant ideas and recommendations for a more efficient STI cooperation on health between EU and EaP? |
| 10:30-11:00 | <i>Coffee break</i> |
| 11:00-12:30 | Closing Session |
| 11:00-12:30 | <p><u>Moderator</u> : Tigran Arzumanyan, NAS-RA</p> <p>Wrap-up Conference (4 x 10 minutes)</p> <p>Results from Session I Panel 1 Ildikó Dorogi, Béla Kardon, RCISD</p> <p>Results from Session I Panel 2 Anastasia Vlyzioti, CeRISS</p> <p>Results from Session II Olga Meerovskaya, BellSA</p> <p>Results from Session III Panel 1 Yannis Kechagiaras, CeRISS</p> <p>Results from Session III Panel 2 (3 x 5 minutes)</p> <p>Question 1: Felix Gajdusek, ZSI Question 2: Ildikó Horváth, Strategic Director, SPH Executive Board Member, National Koranyi Institute for Pulmonology Question 3: Jörn Grünewald, DLR</p> <p>Wrap-up of the discussion, Closing Remarks (10 minutes) George Bonas, <i>Scientific Coordinator of the IncoNet EaP Project, Managing Director, CeRISS, Greece</i></p> |
| 13:00-14:00 | <i>Lunch</i> |

POSTER SESSION DURING THE COFFEE BREAKS, 19 APRIL

- 1. The HITT-CIS Project – "Health in Times of Transition: Trends in Population Health and Health Policies in CIS Countries" – Alexander Chvorostov, Project Coordinator, CEASS-Center, Austria**
- 2. Applications of recombinant DNA technology and stem cells in medicine: current status and prospects – Oksana Gorbatiuk, Head of Laboratory of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, Institute of Genetic and regenerative medicine, the NAMS of Ukraine, Ukraine**
- 3. Pneumococcal infection in Belarus: Nasopharyngeal carriage and antimicrobial resistance – Igor Karpov, Head of the Department of Infectious Diseases, Belarus State Medical University, Belarus**
- 4. YSMU Current Health Research Activities aimed at Upcoming Collaborations in the frames of Horizon 2020", Armenia – Seyran Kocharyan, Head of Science Department, Yerevan State Medical University after M. Heratsi, Armenia**
- 5. Chronic stress as a factor aging – Liliya Nadolnik, Director of Institute of Biochemistry of Biologically Active Compounds, National Academy of Sciences of Belarus, Belarus**
- 6. Implementation of innovation in medicine: why now? – Olena Perepelytsina, Head of Group Department for Biotechnical Problems of Diagnostic, IPCC NAS, Ukraine**
- 7. Public spending on health care in Georgia (1991-2015): problems and solutions – Tengiz Verulava, Head of Quality Management Department, G.Chapidze Emergency Cardiology Center, Georgia**