



WOMEN IN SCIENCE

Recommendations to improve Horizon Europe through a gender perspective

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9:00 - 12:00

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Socialists & Democrats
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9h00 - 9h30 Registration and welcome coffee

9h30 - 9h50 Welcome speech & introduction by the co-chairs

MEP Soledad Cabezón Ruiz & MEP Dan Nica

9h50 - 10.05 Inauguration: "A vision for Women in Science"

Carlos Moedas, EU Commissioner for Research, Science and Innovation

10h05 - 10h35 Access to higher education science: what opportunities for girls and young women?

Objective: Analyse the access to scientific education for girls and young women, and encourage them to pursue a scientific career

- Speakers:*
- *Women in STEM careers, from school to the lab*
Lorena Fernández Álvarez, Director of Digital Identity of the University of Deusto
 - *Implicit bias in academia: A challenge to the meritocratic principle and to women's careers*
Katrien Maes, Deputy Secretary-General of the League of European Research Universities (LERU)
 - *STEM for All*
Gülsün Sağlamer, President of Women Rectors Association (EWORA)

10h35 - 10h55 Gender, culture and leadership in science

Objective: Understand the opportunities and pitfalls; building on the experience of inspiring female scientists. What common grounds with men?

- Speakers:*
- *Role models and leadership skills for female scientists*
Barbara Casadei, President of the European Society of Cardiology
 - *Breaking the glass ceiling for women and girls in science*
Rosa Menéndez López, President of the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC), Science Europe Vice-President

10h55 - 11h25 Scientific research & gender: way for improvement?

Objective: Promote the role of women in (EU funded) research programmes, and improve the participation of women in experimentation and in clinical trials

- Speakers:*
- *Gender differences in health and disease*
Lina Badimon, Director Program ICCC-Institut Català de Ciències Cardiovasculars IR - Hospital de la Santa Creu i Sant Pau, Barcelona
 - *Gender perspective in EU Science and Innovation programmes*
Mina Stareva, European Commission's DG RTD Head of Gender Sector
 - *Gender equality in the ERA community to innovate policy implementation*
Marcela Linkova, GENDERACTION Coordinator

11h25 - 11h40 Debate with the speakers

11h40 - 12h00 Conclusions "Achieving science by, for and on women in Horizon Europe"

MEP Iratxe García Pérez, S&D Coordinator in the Committee on Women's Rights and Gender Equality, President of the S&D Spanish Delegation in the European Parliament

Ángeles Heras, Spanish Government's Secretary of State for Universities, Research and Innovation; Professor of Physical Chemistry at the Complutense University of Madrid; InFiQuS Founder

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