



**SCIENCE
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PROGRAMME

LAUNCH EVENT

A VISION & FRAMEWORK FOR RESEARCH CULTURES

When

Day 26 March 2025

Launch Event 16.30 – 18.15

Reception 18.15 – 20.00

Where

Fondation Universitaire

Rue d'Egmont, 11

1000 Brussels

Register

Registration for the event:

<https://survey.scienceeurope.org/index.php/132837?lang=en>

About the Framework & Vision

The culmination of several years of discussions, activities, positions, and events – Science Europe presents a Vision and Framework for Research Cultures that aims to synthesise research policy advances towards the shared objective of supporting knowledge advancement and enabling the quality and impact of research.

The new Science Europe Vision & Framework offers a comprehensive and long-term perspective to define institutional policies to support the evolution of research cultures in Europe and globally, embedding and further reinforcing our Science Europe's [shared values](#). It builds upon a range of recent policy activities from [supporting Diversity](#) to promoting [attractive Careers in Research](#), and from [embedding Open Science](#) to [ensuring Integrity and Ethics in research practice](#). A supporting framework sets out conditions and to enable effective action, and Science Europe makes a number of commitments to act and support actions towards the shared vision.

The Launch Event

Following a welcome by Science Europe Vice-President, a short synopsis of Science Europe's activities under the Strategic Priority of Research Culture will be provided. The new Research Cultures Vision and Framework will be presented by the co-chairs of Science Europe's Working Group on Research Culture. Finally, discussions involving representatives from key stakeholder groups and the audience will focus on policies and practices for fostering institutional and systemic research culture evolution, asking the question: what steps need to be taken (and by who) to reach the vision presented?

Reception

Guests are invited to join the Science Europe President and Governing Board at a reception immediately following the launch event.

Programme

Wednesday, 26 March 2025

Salle Félicien Cattier, Fondation Universitaire (Rue d'Egmont, 11 - 1000 Brussels)

16.00–16.30

Registration

16.30

Welcome Address

Francisco Javier Moreno Fuentes, Vice-President, Science Europe. Vice-President for International Affairs, Spanish National Research Council

16.35–16.45

Contributing to the evolution of research cultures (2021-2025)

James Morris, Senior Policy Officer, Science Europe

16.45–17.00

Presentation of the new Vision & Framework for Research Cultures

Jolanta Šinkūnienė, Expert Committee Member, Research Council of Lithuania
Sean Sapcariu, Programme Manager, Luxembourg National Research Fund

17.00–18.15

Panel Discussion - Institutional Perspectives on Research Cultures

Geneviève Almouzni, Scientific Council Member, European Research Council *TBC*
Michael Arentoft, Head of Unit, DG-RTD European Commission
Amanda Crowfoot, Secretary General, European University Association
Francisco Javier Moreno Fuentes, Vice-President for International Affairs, Spanish National Research Council
Anu Noorma, Director General, Estonian Research Council
Bert Seghers, Board Member, European Network for Research Integrity Offices
Sean Sapcariu, Programme Manager, Luxembourg National Research Fund
Jolanta Šinkūnienė, Expert Committee Member, Research Council of Lithuania

Moderated by Lidia Borrell-Damián, Secretary General of Science Europe

18.15

Concluding Remarks

Lidia Borrell-Damián, Secretary General, Science Europe

18.15–20.00

Networking Reception