

Latin America - Europe Symposium on Research Infrastructures

#LatinAmericaEURResearchInfra

Virtual partnering event

15 June 2021

- *10:30 Opening and welcome of participants
- 10:45 Research Infrastructure landscapes in Latin America and Europe
- Inmaculada Figueroa - Ministry of Science & innovation, Spain; and Vice-Chair of the European Strategy Forum on Research Infrastructures (ESFRI)
Fernando Amestoy - Presidente del Polo Científico y Tecnológico de Pando, Uruguay
- 11:25 Creating synergies – Towards new EU-LAC RI partnerships
- European Commission - Johannes Klumpers, European Commission Directorate-General for Research and Innovation, Head of the Unit 'Research and Industrial Infrastructures'
The RI-VIS Project - Susan Daenke, Instruct-ERIC; and Coordinator of the RI-VIS project, Oxford, UK
EU-LAC ResInfra Project - Inmaculada Figueroa
- 12:15 Case studies of multinational and biregional Latin American-European partnerships
- Case studies of multinational and biregional Latin American-European partnerships - Kleber Gomes Franchini, Director of Brazilian Biosciences National Laboratory (LNBio), Center for Research in Energy and Materials (CNPEM), Campinas, Brazil
The International Consortium for Personalised Medicine (ICPerMed) - Manoel Barral Neto, Fundação Oswaldo Cruz (Fiocruz), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
European Infrastructure for Plant Phenotyping (EMPHASIS) - Dr Guy de Capdeville, Director of R&D at EMBRAPA, Brazil
The E-Science European Infrastructure for Biodiversity and Ecosystem Research LifeWatch ERIC - Juan Miguel González-Aranda, LifeWatch ERIC
Global-BiImaging - Chris Wood, National Laboratory for Advanced Microscopy, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM), Mexico City, Mexico
- 13:30 Wrap up of Day One
- Inmaculada Figueroa



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- 10:30 Expanding Latin American-European partnerships - New Opportunities
- CNPEM and its 4 national labs: LNBio (biosciences), LNLS (synchrotron), LNBR (bio-renewables), LNNano (nano technologies) - Jose Roque, Director of Brazilian Center for Research in Energy and Materials (CNPEM), Campinas, Brazil
The European research infrastructure for biobanking (BBMRI) - Francesco Florindi and Jens Habermann, BBMRI ERIC, Austria
EU-OPENSREEN: The European Research Infrastructure in Chemical Biology and Early Drug Discovery - Bahne Stechmann, EU-OPENSREEN ERIC, Berlin, Germany
CCMAR, the Portuguese node of the European Marine Biological Resource Centre, EMBRC - Adelino Canario, Director of CCMAR, Portugal
- 11:30 Panel discussion: Opportunities for Latin American-European collaborations between RIs
- Dr Guy de Capdeville, Alberto Majo, Andrés López Lara, Andres Triana, Federico Torres-Carballo, Lelio Fellows Filho, Inmaculada Figueroa, Alexandra Rodríguez Mesa, Alejandra Davidziuk, Dra. Maria Natalia Lisa and Manoel Barral Neto
- 13:30 Wrap up of Day Two
- Dr Guy de Capdeville
- 14:00 Matchmaking activities and thematic workshops

*Times are given in UTC-3 = CDT+2 = CEST-5

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- 10:30 Expanding Latin American-European partnerships - New Opportunities
- Building a probability-based panel to track social change in Chile: lessons, challenges and opportunities - Ricardo González T., Laboratorio de Encuestas y Análisis Social [LEAS], Universidad Adolfo Ibáñez, Santiago, Chile
Iberian-American Network for High Performance Computing (RICAP) - Rafael Mayo Garcia, Centro de Investigaciones Medioambientales y Tecnológicas (CIEMAT), Spain
European Research Infrastructure for Heritage Science (E-RIHS) - Sorin Hermon, Chair of the IPERION HS DIGILAB Working Group and director of STARLAB at the Cyprus Institute (Cyl)
RedCLARA: Latin American Cooperation of Advanced Networks - Luis Eliécer, Executive Director of RedCLARA
- 11:30 Panel discussion: Future of Latin America-Europe Research Infrastructure Collaborations
- Susan Daenke
- 13:30 Conclusions from the Latin America-Europe symposium and Closing Remarks



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