

The Bulgarian Ministry of Education and Science and the Romanian Ministry for Education and Research and the European Commission invite you to the

Bulgarian and Romanian

Regional Stakeholder Workshop on

Horizon Europe implementation

RUSE, 22 January 2020

The European Council and Parliament have come to a political agreement on the main elements of “Horizon Europe”, the future EU Research and Innovation framework programme starting in 2021.

On this basis the Commission has started preparing the programme’s implementation details, in close consultation with stakeholders to help identify impacts, spark debate and new ideas.

As part of the stakeholder consultation, national or regional events in all Member States are organized, for discussing the implementation strategy. Through these events, the Commission wants to encourage the active participation of beneficiaries in the discussion on the implementation of Horizon Europe.

**Venue:**

“Angel Kanchev” University of Ruse

ul. "Studentska" 8, 7017 Studentski grad, Ruse

**Targeted audience:**

variety of beneficiaries, including the most frequent participants in Bulgaria and Romania

**Speakers:**

DG Research & Innovation, European Commission

**A G E N D A**

**Stakeholder Workshop on**

**Horizon Europe (2021-2027) Implementation**

Ruse, Bulgaria, Wednesday 22 January 2020

Angel Kanchev" University of Ruse (8 Studentska str., POB 7017, Ruse, Bulgaria)

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| **9:00** | Registration |
| **09:30** | Welcome by the Rector of the University  Key message from the Bulgarian Minister of Education and Science  Key message from the Romanian Minister of Research and Innovation |
| **09:50** | **Introduction by the European Commission – Purpose of the event**TBC, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission |
| **10:00** | **What’s new in Horizon Europe?** *TBC, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission* Horizon Europe preliminary structureEICMissions, Portfolio approach  * Partnerships, new approach |
| **11:00** | Coffee break |
| **11:15** | **Model Grant Agreement** *Simona Maria STAICU, Common Legal Support Service, Common Implementation Centre, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission* The new MGANew simplifications measuresEligibility of costs |
| **12:15** | **Simplified forms of costs** *TBC, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission* Lump sums, unit costs, flat rates |
| **13:15** | Light lunch |
| **14:00** | **Key Impact Pathways, Dissemination, Exploitation and Communication of successful projects** *Ioannis Sagias, Common Data & Knowledge Management Service, Common Implementation Centre, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission* Requirements for communication, dissemination, exploitationEfficient reporting for Key Impact PathwaysOpen Access to data / Open Access to Publications |
| **14:45** | **Proposal submission, evaluation and selection** *TBC, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission* Proposal submission and ideas to decrease oversubscriptionEvaluation criteria in Horizon EuropeEvaluation modalitiesCommunication with applicants: guidance, improvement of feedback to proposers (Evaluation Summary Reports) |
| **15:00** | **Control strategy: Ex-ante and ex-post controls**Sorin SERBAN, Common Audit Service, Common Implementation Centre, DG Research & Innovation, European Commission  * Usual accounting practices * System and process audits |
| **15:45** | **Conclusions and closing** |
| **16:00** | **End of the meeting** |