

Programme ESFRI Launch event

Date: 10 March 2016, 10.00 a.m. – 6.00 p.m.

Venue: KNAW, The Trippenhuis, Kloveniersburgwal 29, 1011 JV Amsterdam (knaw.nl/routedescription)

Programme

- 10.00 a.m. Registration, coffee, tea
- 11.00 a.m. *Welcome* - José van Dijck, president of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW)
- 11.10 a.m. *The Impact of ESFRI and the New ESFRI Roadmap 2016* – John Womersley, Chair of ESFRI
- 11.50 a.m. *Reactions on the ESFRI Roadmap*
- Sander Dekker, Dutch State Secretary of Education, Culture and Science
- Robert-Jan Smits, Director-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission
- 12.20 p.m. *Discussion on the ESFRI Roadmap*
- 1.00 p.m. Lunch
- 2.00 p.m. *Presentation of three New ESFRI projects*
- ACTRIS - Sanna Sorvari
- DANUBIUS-RI - Adrian Stanica
- E-RIHS – Luca Pezzati
- 2.15 p.m. *Long-term Sustainability of Reseach Infrastructures and the Role of the EU in Fostering Implementation* – Antonio Di Giulio, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission
- 2.45 p.m. *Questions from the audience*
- 3.00 p.m. *Presentation of three New ESFRI projects*
- EST – Manuel Collados Vera
- EMPHASIS – Ulrich Schurr
- KM3Net – Maarten de Jong
- 3.15 p.m. Coffee break
- 3.50 p.m. *Socio-economic Impact of Research Infrastructures*
Panel discussion. Chair: Hans Chang (Dutch ESFRI member and first chair of ESFRI); members:
- Jean Moulin (ESFRI Belgium)
- Geert van der Veen (Technopolis Group)
- Eric Harrison (ESS ERIC)
- 4.30 p.m. *Presentation of two new ESFRI landmarks*
- CERN LHC - Eckhard Elsen
- ESRF EBS – Francesco Sette

- 4.40 p.m. *Presentation of the European Charter for Access to Research Infrastructures – Antonio Di Giulio, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission*
- 4.50 p.m. *Wrap-up session*
- Octavi Quintana Trias, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission
- Hans Chang
- 5.20 p.m. Reception
- 6.00 p.m. End of Programme