# Rome 14-15-16 October 2015 IRCRES CNR Via dei Taurini 19 Rome Italy





## EU-SPRI Early Career Researcher Conferences (ECC)

"CROSSING BOUNDARIES IN SCIENTIFIC KNOWLEDGE CREATION AND TRANSMISSION: TRENDS, CHALLENGES AND POLICY IMPLICATIONS"

## **PROGRAMME**

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13.00	Conference room "A" around	tionr

Welcome coffee and registration

## 15.00-15.30 Opening of the conference and welcome from organizing institution representatives

Dr. Secondo Rolfo, Director of IRCRES

Dr. Emanuela Reale, Responsible of IRCRES unit of Rome

Dr. Emilia Primeri, Chair of the Conference, IRCRES unit of Rome

## 15.30-16.30 Keynote speech Antoaneta Dimitrova (Institute of Public Administration, Leiden University)

"Tearing down old walls, but building new ones? Societal changes and post-enlargement dynamics in the European Union" Chair: Emilia Primeri

## 16.30-18.00 Conference room "A" ground floor

Parallel session I Chair: Secondo Rolfo

Track I-Crossing boundaries in Education and
Research: patterns and geography of change

#### Bajenova Tatyana

Crossing boundaries between universities and think tanks: challenges and opportunities for the knowledge production

Hila Zahavi

Normative Power Europe- the field of Higher

Education

Alberto Benitez Amado

Research excellence and University differentiation: Institutional strategies and organizational responses

to the ERC in Spanish Universities

#### Meeting room floor -1

Parallel session 2 Chair: Bianca Maria Potì

Track 2-New concept, role and practice of academic institutions: merging old mission with new challenges

#### Eva M. de la Torre

Measuring the efficiency of universities while accounting for third mission indicators: the case of Spanish Higher Education Institutions

#### G.C. (Trudes) Heems

Making sense and managing sensitivities while developing multifunctional flood defences

#### Conti Chiara

Intra-EU Knowledge Flows in the Renewable Energy

Sector: a Patent Citations Analysis





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9.30-10.30 Keynote speech Jeroen Huisman (Centre for Higher Education Governance Ghent - CHEGG, Ghent University)

"Universities as boundary-maintaining organisations"

Chair: Emilia Primeri

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.00 Conference room "A" ground floor

Parallel session 3 Chair: Emilia Primeri

Track 1-Crossing boundaries in Education and Research:

patterns and geography of change

Davide Donina

Governance of Knowledge in Italian Higher Education Policy:

Inconsistencies about Interdisciplinarity

Marianne Noel

Remaining Central and Interdisciplinary. Conditions for Success of a Research Speciality at the University

of Strasbourg (1961-2011)

Meeting room floor -1

Parallel session 4 Chair: Lucio Morettini

Track 3-Changing patterns of collaboration in research

and innovation

Antonio Zinilli

Academic projects funding and dynamic complex networks:

evidence from Project of National Interest (PRIN)"

Yannu Zheng

"The patenting performance of second-generation immigrant inventors in Sweden: differentiate from

parent's region of origin"

12.00-13.30 Round table and open discussion "Discussing boundaries in science and policy: stiff barriers or bridging tools?"

J. Huisman, A. Dimitrova, C. Whitchurch, Y. Engeström, A. Pyka, C. Cornacchia (CNR-IMAA)

Chair: Emanuela Reale

Lunch on site

13.30-15.00 Poster session

Marine Tavartkiladze "EU trade regimes and Prospects

of their efficiency for small countries "

Caspar D. Roelofs "New context for boundary work-boundary

crossing in biotechnology innovation for Africa"

Katharina Lemmens-Krug "The increase importance of the quality of teaching and learning posing challenges to the

university leadership"

Tamta Mikaberidze "The role of advanced international trade

technologies in the condition of global crisis"

Luca Lanzillo "SpinBook: crossing innovation boundaries

through social interaction"

15.00-16.00 Keynote speaker Celia Whitchurch (UCL, London)

"Universities Responding to Change: Implications for Academic and Professional Identities in Higher Education"

Chair: Emilia Primeri

16.00-16.30 Coffee break

**16.30-17.30** Parallel session 5 Chair: Bianca Maria Poti

Track 4-Beyond standardization in knowledge transmission

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Research commercialization - a story of symbolic compliance?

Mikko Dufva

Structuring complexity around European research and innovation policy for raw materials, resource efficiency and climate action

Parallel session 6 Chair: Andrea Orazio Spinello

Track 5- Open Track on relevant issues related to the

Conference themes

Alejandro Balanzo

The knowledge repertoire perspective: a theoretical framework for agency on institutions, boundaries

and practice

Cristian Matti

New policy practices for a challenge, led, broad - based model

19.00

Conference Dinner at Restaurant "Al Chiostro"

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9.30-10.30 Keynote speech Yrjö Engeström (Center for Activity Theory and Developmental Work Research, University of Helsinki)

"Activity theory as conceptual framework for boundary crossing between researchers, organizations and communities"

Chair: Émilia Primeri

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-12.00 Conference room "A" ground floor

Parallel session 7 Chair: Antonio Zinilli

Track 1- Crossing boundaries in Education and Research:

patterns and geography of change

Mabel Sanchez Barrioulengo

What makes the difference? Analysing the regional component of the influence of university's structural

configuration on its performance

Corina Balaban

Boundaries Rethought: The Doctorate and the New Figure

of the 'Knowledge Worker' in the EU

Meeting room floor -1

Parallel session 8 Chair: Giovanni Cerulli

Track 2-New concept, role and practice of academic institutions: merging old mission with new challenges

Nuria Moratal Ferrando

The role of publicly provided Big Data and Information and Technology services in the production function of science

Irakli Zarkua

International Transfer of Technologies and Possibilities of Economic Development for Small-Size Open Economies

12.00-13.00 Keynote speech Andreas Pyka (University of Hohenheim)

"Knowledge Exchange in Innovation Networks and Innovation Policy for Networks – An Example of Policy Informatics"

Chair: Giovanni Cerulli

13.00 Wrap up and conclusions

13.30 Lunch on site

## **Practical Information**

Venue: IRCRES CNR Via dei Taurini 19 00185 Roma (http://www.ircres.cnr.it)

Conference room "A" ground floor and Meeting room floor -1 are both located in Via dei Taurini 19 00185 Roma

Keynote speeches and round table will all take place in the Conference room "A" ground floor

Welcome Reception

Conference Dinner Restaurant "Al Chiostro" Via Paolina, 31 00184 Roma (http://www.alchiostro.com/)