



## CONFERENCE

### RESEARCH COOPERATION BETWEEN THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION'S JOINT RESEARCH CENTRE AND CROATIA

5 JUNE 2013

Hotel Westin

Zagreb, Croatia

### DRAFT PROGRAMME

**09.30 – 10.00** *Registration and welcome coffee*

**10.00 – 10.40** **OPENING SESSION**

**Saša Zelenika, Assistant Minister, Ministry of Science, Education and Sports**

**Krzysztof Maruszewski, Director, Institute for Health and Consumer Protection, Joint Research Centre, European Commission**

**10.40 – 12.30** **SESSION I**

**Chairperson: Krzysztof Maruszewski, Director, Institute for Health and Consumer Protection, Joint Research Centre, European Commission**

**How the JRC works with EU Member States and Research Laboratories, Ulla Engelmann, Joint Research Centre, European Commission**

**Croatian priorities in the Area of Science and Innovation, Hrvoje Meštrić, Director, Business Innovation Agency of the Republic of Croatia**

**Cooperation between the Joint Research Centre and Croatia, Zdenko Franić, Deputy Director, Institute for Medical Research and Occupational Health, Croatian Member of the JRC Board of Governors & Joint Research Centre, European Commission**

**12.30 – 13.30** *Networking lunch*

## 13.30 – 16.00 THEMATIC WORKSHOPS

### ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

**Chairperson:**

**Speakers:**

- Peter Part, Institute for Environment and Sustainability, Joint Research Centre, European Commission
- Vladimir Jelavić, EKONERG - Energy and Environmental Protection Institute, Department Manager - Environmental Protection and Sustainable Development Department
- Peter Haehner, Head of Unit, Institute for Energy and Transport, Joint Research Centre, European Commission
- Damir Pešut, Deputy Director, Energy Institute Hrvoje Požar

**Discussion**

### FOOD AND CONSUMER PROTECTION

**Chairperson: Donatella Verbanac, University of Zagreb, School of Medicine**

**Speakers:**

- Maria Pilar Aguar Fernandez, Head of Unit, Institute for Health and Consumer Protection, Joint Research Centre, European Commission
- Zorica Jurković, Director, Croatian Food Agency
- Jörg Stroka, Institute for Reference Materials and Measurements, Joint Research Centre, European Commission
- Davor Zvizdić, Director, Croatian Metrology Institute

**Discussion**

## 16.00 – 16.15 CLOSING SPEECHES

Ulla Engelmann, Head of Unit, Joint Research Centre, European Commission  
Zdenko Franić, Deputy Director, Institute for Medical Research and Occupational Health, Croatian Member of the JRC Board of Governors

## 16.15 – 17.15 WORKSHOP FOR YOUNG CROATIAN SCIENTISTS ON JOBS AND COOPERATION OPPORTUNITIES WITH THE JRC

- How to cooperate with the JRC
- Overview of large research infrastructures at the JRC
- Opportunities for assistance from the JRC Croatian National Contact Point
- Job opportunities and current openings at the Joint Research Centre
- Working at the JRC - personal experience: success stories of Croatian researchers in the JRC

Milena Raykovska, Interinstitutional and Stakeholder Relations, Joint Research Centre, European Commission

Lana Žutelija, Associate, FP7 National Contact Point & Programme Committee Member, Business Innovation Croatian Agency