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UNICA RECTORS SEMINAR

Academic Leadership for Open Science

**Université
libre de Bruxelles**
Friday, 14 September 2018

Venue: Solvay Library, Leopoldpark, Rue Belliard 137, Brussels

More information at:

<http://www.unica-network.eu/event/rectors-seminar-academic-leadership-open>

Description of the Seminar

The UNICA Rectors Seminar will address the role of Academic Leadership on Open Science policies and will offer a unique opportunity to discuss different Open Science strategies and the financial and strategic impact on the Universities, the Academic Community and society at large.

Participants

The Seminar is meant for Rectors/Presidents, Vice-Rectors/Vice-Presidents, Deans, other representatives of Academic Leadership

Venues

Rectors Seminar: Solvay Library, Leopoldpark, Rue Belliard 137 - 1040 Brussels

ULB Academic Opening ceremony: Building of the European Parliament

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In the **afternoon of 14 September**, all the participants of the Rectors Seminar are invited to attend the ULB Academic Opening ceremony which will be held **at the European Parliament** on the theme **"The Europe of knowledge"**, with the **confirmed participation of Carlos Moedas, European Commissioner for Research, Science and Innovation**.

The **Rectors and Vice-Rectors are invited to wear their academic gowns** during the ceremony at the European Parliament.




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PROGRAMME

Venue: Solvay Library, Leopoldpark, Rue Belliard 137

	08:30 –09:00	Registration and welcome coffee
	09:00 - 09:15	<p>Welcome and opening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Yvon ENGLERT, Rector of the Université libre de Bruxelles • Prof. Luciano SASO, President of UNICA
	Session 1: Open Science strategies across Europe	

Chair: Prof. Dr. Caroline PAUWELS, Rector, Vrije Universiteit Brussel

	09:15-09:35	<i>Academic leadership and the transition to Open Science</i> , by Prof. Dr. Frank MIEDEMA , Professor of immunology, Dean and Vice-Chairman of the Board, University Medical Centre Utrecht, Utrecht University
	09:35-09:55	<i>Secrets of the “Big Deal”: Curiouser and Curiouser</i> , by Prof. Ted BERGSTROM , Professor of Economics, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA
	09:55-10:15	<i>The DEAL Project in Germany</i> , by Prof. Dr. Horst HIPPLER , Former President of the German Rectors’ Conference
	10:15-10:35	<i>Recommendations of the Open Science Policy Platform and the Open Science Action Plan in Finland</i> , by Kristiina HORMIA-POUTANEN , Director of National Network Services at the National Library of Finland; Member of the EC Open Science Policy Platform; former President of LIBER (Association of European Research Libraries)
	10:35-11:00	Panel discussion
	11:00-11:30	Coffee break



Session 2: Open Science: time for responsible choices

Chair: Prof. Bernard RENTIER, Rector Emeritus and Emeritus Professor of Virology and Immunology, University of Liège

	11:30-12:30	Panel discussion followed by Q&A <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Jean CHAMBAZ, President, Sorbonne University • Prof. Astrid SÖDERBERGH WIDDING, President, Stockholm University • Prof. Jean-Pierre FINANCE, Professor Emeritus, University of Lorraine; former President, Henri Poincaré University, Nancy; Chair of the EUA Expert Group on Open Science
	12:30-13:00	<i>Open Science: making science more reliable, efficient and responsive to society</i> , by Mr Kurt VANDENBERGHE , Director for Policy Development and Coordination, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission
	13:00 – 13:20	Closing Remarks Prof. Yvon ENGLERT , Rector of the Université libre de Bruxelles
	13:20 – 13:30	Practical information for the participants from ULB representative
	13:30-14:30	Lunch

	17:00 – 19:00	 ULB Academic Opening Ceremony at the European Parliament <p>Participants who will attend the ULB Academic Opening are kindly invited to fill out the form at http://www.ulb.ac.be/documents/formulaires/rentree.html before 7 September 2018 to be registered as visitors at the European Parliament.</p>
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