

8:30	Coffee and Registration	
9:00	Opening Remarks	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>EURAXESS North America Team</i> 	
9:05	Welcome Remarks	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Martine Lagacé, Associate Vice-President, Research, Promotion and Development, University of Ottawa 	
9:10	KEYNOTE: Rita R. Colwell	
	<p><i>Distinguished university professor at the University of Maryland College Park and at the Johns Hopkins University Bloomberg School of Public Health, senior advisor and chairman emeritus at Canon U.S. Life Sciences, Inc., and founder and chairman at CosmosID, Inc.</i></p>	
9:30	Panel: Funding opportunities for international research collaboration	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Luigi Scarpa de Masellis, Advisor, Economic and Commercial Affairs, Delegation of the European Union to Canada • Viktoria Bodnarova, Regional Representative, EURAXESS North America • David Krasa, Head of Sector for Physical Sciences and Mathematics, European Research Council Executive Agency • Noel Burns, Deputy Director, Policy and International Relations, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada • Brian Kalakula, International Relations Officer, Mitacs • Claire Chen, Co-coordinator, BILAT USA 4.0 	
11:15	COFFEE	
	Parallel sessions	
11:30	<p>Transatlantic Research for Impact: Featuring best practices of scientific collaboration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catherine Podeszinski, Director, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada • Karin Björklund, Chalmers University of Technology, Gothenburg, Sweden • Nancy Edwards, School of Nursing, University of Ottawa • Stan Matwin, MSCA RISE MASTER Project, Dalhousie University 	<p>Science Communication for Impact</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gemima Philippe, Communication Associate, American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS)



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12:30	<p>Research Administration and Management: Your guide to successful collaboration & researcher mobility.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Deborah Watt, Research Development Officer, University of British Columbia • Claire Chen, Manager, National Council of University Research Administrators (NCURA) Global 	<p>EURAXESS: Your Access to the European Research Area</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Viktoria Bodnarova, Regional Representative, EURAXESS North America
13:30	LUNCH	
Parallel sessions		
14:30	<p>How to structure your research proposal for successful European Research Council (ERC) grant applications</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Krasa, Head of Sector, Physical Sciences and Engineering Unit, ERC Executive Agency 	<p>The Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) Journey: reflections and interactions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Viktoria Bodnarova, Regional Representative, EURAXESS North America • Gerry Alons, MSCA Fellow at Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands • Cristina Florea, MSCA Global Fellow at Massachusetts Institute of Technology • Martijn Wokke, MSCA Global Fellow at City University of New York • Roy van der Meel, MSCA Global Fellow at the University of British Columbia • Mouhamed Abdulla, MSCA European Fellow, Chalmers University of Technology, Gothenburg, Sweden
17:30	<p style="text-align: center;">KEYNOTE: Ted Hewitt</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>President of the Social Sciences and Humanities Council; Chair of the Canada Research Coordinating Committee and signatory of the Implementing Arrangement between the European Commission and the Canadian Tri-agency Institutional Programs Secretariat for Canadian researchers hosted by the European Research Council grantees in Europe.</i></p>	
18:00 – 20:00	NETWORKING RECEPTION	
18:30 – 19:30	<p style="text-align: center;">Science Cocktail Fusion</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Five researchers of all career stages and nationalities will get 3 minutes to pitch their research project to an audience of non-experts in a fun and interactive way.</i></p>	

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