

**EU-Singapore
Research and Innovation Community
Meeting**

Monday, 11 November 2024, 18:30 - 20:30
in conjunction with



Overview & Programme

Background

The cooperation in research and innovation between Singapore and the European Union (EU), along with individual EU member states, is both dynamic and diverse. Partnerships thrive on a foundation of bilateral agreements and joint initiatives and drive forward collaborative research efforts across various fields. Open Science transforms the way research is conducted by fostering transparency, efficiency, and accessibility. Open Science makes research more responsive to societal needs and policy demands. Therefore, Open Science is at the heart of European research policy and a priority of its key research funding framework Horizon Europe. As Singapore and Europe deepen their research cooperation, embracing Open Science is crucial. This approach not only enhances the quality and impact of research but also accelerates the development of innovative solutions to global challenges, including Climate Change and the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals.

The EU-Singapore Research and Innovation Community Meeting on “Open Science” is part of an event series hosted by EURAXESS in cooperation with university and R&D partners to encourage interdisciplinary dialogue between researchers and innovators from Singapore, Southeast Asia and Europe. The Meeting will take place in conjunction with the [Singapore Open Research Conference 2024](#) on 12 November and welcomes researchers, academics, PhD students, innovators, business representatives and policy makers and professionals from various disciplines with expertise and/or strong interest in the topic of Open Science.

Details

When: Monday, 11 November 2024, 18:30 - 20:30

Where: [Shaw Foundation Alumni House](#), Kent Ridge Drive, National University of Singapore, 119244 Singapore

Dress code: Business Casual

Programme

The Networking Session will include Opening Remarks by European and Singaporean representatives from the academia and government, as well as an introduction to Europe's Open Science approach in policy and research practice and its large-scale research funding and collaboration framework Horizon Europe.

Time	Agenda
18:00 – 18:30	Arrival of Guests and Registration
18:30	Opening - EU-Singapore Research and Innovation Community Meeting
18:35 – 18:45	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Her Excellency Dr Iwona Piórko Ambassador of the European Union to Singapore</p>
18:45- 18:55	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Professor Liu Bin Deputy President (Research and Technology) National University of Singapore (NUS)</p>
18:55 – 19:05	<p>Opening Remarks</p> <p>Professor Lim Kah Leong Associate Vice President (Biomedical & Life Sciences) President's Chair in Translational Neuroscience; Professor, Lee Kong Chian School of Medicine Nanyang Technological University (NTU)</p>
19:05 – 19:10	<p><i>The Future of Research: Open Science as a European Research Policy Priority</i></p> <p>Mr Michael Arentoft, Head of Unit for Open Science and Research Infrastructures, European Commission, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation (DG RTD), Video Message</p>
19:10 – 19:20	<p><i>Current and Future Prospects for Research Collaboration between Europe and Singapore: Horizon Europe</i></p> <p>Mr Benoit Sauveroche, Science Counsellor, European Union Delegation to Singapore</p>
19:20 – 19:25	<p><i>EURAXESS Worldwide: Connecting Researchers and Institutions</i></p> <p>Ms Cristina Gomez-Corchete, Coordinator, EURAXESS Worldwide</p>
19:25	Closing, follow by Reception

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