



MCAA **BRAZIL-EUROPE** **WORKSHOP**

SEPTEMBER 27 to 29, 2017 · São Luís·MA

**SCIENTIFIC
PROGRAM**

Wednesday, 27th September

8h00 to 9h00 **REGISTRATION**

9h00 to 10h00 **OPENING CEREMONY**

10h00 to 10h30 **COFFEE BREAK**

10h30 to 12h00 **ROUND TABLE:**
The Marie Skłodowska Curie Actions as a catalyst for Brazil-Europe exchange
Moderator: Charlotte Grawitz (EURAXESS Brazil)

10h30 **"MSCA opportunities for cooperation and exchange"**
10h50 Elisa Natola (MSCA NCP and INCOBRA)

10h50 **"Research on Sports and Health in Brazil, the importance of international collaborations"**
11h10 Elaine Cristina Vieira (UCB)

11h10 **"Materials science and engineering for energy technologies and a sustainable development"**
11h30 Daphiny Pottmaier (UFSC)

11h30 **Discussion**
12h00

12h00 to 14h00 **LUNCH**

14h00 to 16h00 **ROUND TABLE:**
Internationalization as a strategy to strengthen research and education: BR-EU strategies and success cases
Moderator: Dr. Alex de Oliveira Souza (FAPEMA)

14h00 **Alejandro Zurita (EU STI Chief Delegation)**
14h30

14h30 **Jhonatan Almada (Secretary of science, technology and innovation of Maranhão)**
15h00

15h00 **Cyntia Sandes Oliveira (CAPES)**
15h30

15h30 **Discussion**
16h00

16h00 to 17h30

COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER PRESENTATION

17h30 to 18h30

CONFERENCE:

"Soil biodiversity footprints in human-modified landscapes: The case of the Amazonian Dark Earths"

Luis Neves da Cunha (Cardiff University)

18h30 to 19h30

CULTURAL ACTIVITY



Thursday, 28th September

8h00 to 9h00

REGISTRATION

8h30 to 10h30

ROUND TABLE:

Industry-University cooperation through R&I (Research and Innovation): funding of strategic sectors common to BR-EU

Moderator: Daniel Praeg (Geoazur/PUC RS)

08h30 **"The Technological Vale Institute as an example of private investment in R&I"**

09h00 Luiz Eugênio Araújo de Moraes Mello (ITV)

09h00 **"Increasing International STI Cooperation between Brazil and the European Union"**

09h30 Elisa Natola (MSCA NCP and INCOBRA)

09h30 **"Novel collaborative approaches boosting R&D for neglected tropical diseases – the case of DNDi"**

10h00 Jadel Kratz (DNDI)

10h00 **Discussion**
10h30

10h30 to 11h00

COFFEE BREAK

11h00 to 11h30

CONFERENCE:

"School of the Environment Invites: teaching elementary school students about the Brazilian savannah (cerrado) animals".

Elizabeth M. S. Schmidt (UNESP)

11h30 to 12h00

CONFERENCE:

"Translational research: crossing the valley of death"

Jochen Junker (FIOCRUZ)

12h00 to 14h00

LUNCH

14h00 to 14h30

CONFERENCE:

"Waste Prevention - Challenges and Perspectives for Future Environmental Policies"

Ana Paula Bortoleto (UNICAMP)

14h30 to 15h00

CONFERENCE:

"Submarine gas hydrates in relation to seafloor seepage of gas"

Daniel Praeg (Geoazur/PUC RS)

15h00 to 15h30

CONFERENCE:
To be defined.
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15h30 to 17h00

COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER PRESENTATION

17h00 to 18h00

CONFERENCE:
"Microplastics and persistent pollutants - a double threat to marine life".
Maria Paula de Oliveira Sobral (UNL)



Friday, 29th September

8h30 to 10h30

TOUR OF BRAZIL: : "Ongoing and future European-Brazilian partnerships related to the use of natural products"

ROUND TABLE

"How can EU funding and tools support cooperation on natural products with Brazil"

Charlotte Grawitz, Country representative (EURAXESS Brazil)

"Collaboration opportunities between Belgium and Brazil, the case of natural products valorization"

Julie Dumont, Scientific Liaison Officer (Wallonie-Bruxelles International, Belgium)

10h30 to 11h00

COFFEE BREAK

11h00 to 12h00

TOUR OF BRAZIL ROUND TABLE - 2nd part

"The Amazon Rainforest Genome Ontology"

Thomas Sicheritz-Ponten, Head of Metagenomics group (DTU Bioinformatics)

"Natural compounds against tropical neglected diseases: an overview of network research".

Fernando Batista da Costa (School of Pharmaceutical Sciences of Ribeirao Preto, USP)

12h00 to 14h00

LUNCH



14h00 to 14h30

CONFERENCE:

"The State Foundation's role in strengthening international cooperation"

Maria Zaira Turchi (CONFAP)

14h30 to 15h00

CONFERENCE:

"Process Analytical Technology: opportunities & challenges for the brazilian pharmaceutical industry"

Gledson Emidio (INCTAA/University of Strathclyde)

15h00 to 15h30

CONFERENCE:

"to be defined"

waiting confirmation

15h30 to 17h00

COFFEE BREAK AND POSTER PRESENTATION and MCAA Brazil Chapter Board Meeting

17h00 to 18h00

CLOSING CONFERENCE :

"Sustainability applications with cyanobacteria".

Klaas Hellingwerf (Universiteit van Amsterdam)





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