



European Leadership through Disruptive Technologies

Future and Emerging Technologies towards 2030

European Parliament, Brussels (Room: A5E-2)

7th March 2018, 18.00-20.00

“The science of today is the technology of tomorrow” - Edward Teller

“The FET Programme has great potential for the future and represents a good tool for spreading innovative ideas and know-how at national and regional levels” -

European Parliament, Report on the assessment of Horizon 2020

CONCEPT

Presenting **Future and Emerging Technologies** as a catalyst for disruptive research and a basis for radical innovations, this policy workshop - organised by the **EFFECT** project, in cooperation with the European Parliament's ITRE Committee and European Commission - aims at making a wide variety of actors (researchers, industry, policy makers, civil society organisations, citizens) aware on how important the FET Programme is for the European society of tomorrow.

Taking place in a defining moment for the future of EU Research and Innovation policies, the event will trigger the debate on the relevance of breakthrough innovation and on related supporting measures capable to position Europe as a main player on the global scientific scene.

How to attend

Online registration is mandatory and can be completed [here](#). Seats are limited and early registration is advised. Registrations is open until the 27th of February. The participation is free of charge.

EFFECT project

European visionary thinking and scientific excellence: how will FET research impact on society? The **EFFECT** project, funded by the H2020 FET-Open Programme, provide answers to this question by developing easy-to-understand contents for the broad public accessible on the web, social and TV media and by fostering direct engagement and debate among society, policy makers and business community. To know more: www.fetfx.eu



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AGENDA

17.30 - 18.00

Registration of Participants

18.00- 18.15

Welcome Speech

Patrizia Toia, Vice-Chair ITRE Committee, European Parliament

Isabella De Monte, ITRE Committee, European Parliament

18.15 - 18.30

The benefits of FET's Programme for the European Leadership

Khalil Rouhana, Deputy Director General DG CONNECT, European Commission

18.30 - 18.45

Success Stories: The FET Programme's experience: disruptive and interdisciplinary research as the basis for radical innovation

Paul Lukowicz, Head of the Embedded Intelligence group at DFKI

Olivier Frey, Microphysiological Systems Project Manager, InSphero AG

18.45 - 19.40

Round Table - The FET Programme towards 2030

Moderated by **Daniela Corda**, Director, Institute of Protein Biochemistry, CNR

Thomas Skordas, Director Digital Excellence and Science Infrastructure, DG CONNECT, European Commission

Dermot Diamond, FET Advisory Group Co Chair, INSIGHT Centre, National Centre for Sensor Research

Jerzy Langer, Former FET Advisory Group Chair, Polish Academy of Sciences

Maria Chiara Carrozza, Interim Evaluation of Horizon 2020 FET Flagships Chair, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna di Pisa

Annika Thies, EARTO member, Helmholtz Association

Vincent Van der Leest, Director Business Development, Intrinsic ID

19.40 - 19.45

Closing remarks

Patrizia Toia, Vice-Chair ITRE Committee, European Parliament

Isabella De Monte, ITRE Committee, European Parliament

19.45

Networking cocktail