

Joint Research Centre of the European Commission: Activities and opportunities for collaboration

Date: June 9-10, 2016

Venue: The Czech Academy of Sciences, Národní 3, Prague 1

Language: English (interpretation is not arranged)

We cordially invite you to attend the JRC Info Day which aims to inform the Czech R&D administration and scientific community about the recent activities of the Joint Research Centre of the European Commission (JRC), to discuss possibilities for cooperation at governmental and institutional level and to inform about opportunities for Czech researchers in the JRC. Target audience are researchers, government officials and policy makers.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 2016

9.00 – 9.30	Welcome coffee & Registration
	JRC ACTIVITIES AND POSSIBILITIES FOR COLLABORATION
9.30 – 9.40	Welcome speech by the Czech Academy of Sciences (<i>Jiří Drahoš, President of the CAS</i>)
9.40 – 9.50	Opening speech by the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports (<i>Robert Plaga, Vice Minister, MEYS, tbc.</i>)
9.50 – 10.00	Opening speech by the Technology Centre of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic (<i>Karel Klusáček, Director, TC ASCR, tbc.</i>)
10.00 – 10.45	Presentation of the JRC and opportunities for co-operation with the Czech Republic (<i>Vladimír Šucha, Director General of the JRC</i>)
10.45 – 11.00	Coffee
11.00 – 11.20	Participation of Czech organizations with JRC in Horizon 2020 (<i>Daniel Frank, TC ASCR,</i>)
11.20 – 11.50	Questions and Answers
12.00 – 13.00	Working lunch & Networking

THEMATIC SESSIONS (Followed by bilateral meetings)

13.00 – 14.15	Nuclear Safety & Security
14.15 – 15.30	Food Security
15.30 – 16.45	Behavioural sciences and their role in decision making
16.45 – 17.15	Final Q&A
17:15 – 17:30	Closing remarks (Ulla Engelmann, JRC Head of International, Inter-institutional and Stakeholders Relations Unit)

FRIDAY, JUNE 10, 2016

9.00 – 9.30	<i>Welcome coffee & Registration</i>
	OPPORTUNITIES FOR CZECH RESEARCHERS IN THE JRC
9.30 – 9.45	Introduction
9.45 – 11.00	Opportunities for Czech researchers in the JRC (job opportunities, trainings, internships, unpaid visits, grant holders)
11.00 – 12.00	Sharing experiences from previous and ongoing co-operation (including Czech scientists' experience in JRC)
12.00 – 12.30	Q&A and Closing remarks (Karel Aim, Member of Academy Council, CAS)
12.30 – 14.00	<i>Working lunch & Networking</i>

Please note that spaces are limited and are subject to availability. To attend the event, please use the registration form on: <http://geform.tc.cz/INFO DAY - JRC>