International Consortium of Research Staff Associations
WHO ARE OUR MEMBERS?
18 Consortium participants

• **11 National research staff associations**
  • **Europe**: Ireland, UK, France, Spain, Portugal, Hungary, Ukraine, Italy
  • USA, Canada,
  • South Africa, Australia.

• **2 International research associations**
  • WAYS
  • WFSW

• **2 Research Centres RSA**
  • EMBL
  • Max Plank (to be confirmed)

• **1 research career development association**
  • Vitae UK

Individual members
• Università di Bari
• CNR
• CREIS
• MUSE
• ITWIIN
• To be confirmed – Università di Torino, Politecnico di Torino, Università di Genova, Università del Salento, Marie Curie Alumni Association Italy Chapter, …
• Individual researchers
What does ICoRSA represent?

• Early stage researchers, post-docs to senior researchers. (not PhD candidates)
• Contract and permanent
• Academic and industry
  • Researchers located in their own country
  • Diaspora Researchers
What is our vision?

• To provide a “voice” for researchers internationally on policy.
  • Researcher careers
    • Short term contracts
    • Precarious careers
  • Mobility
    • International
    • Intersectoral
  • Gender Equality and Diversity
Fruitful past collaborations

• MOU between ICoRSA and Eurodoc; Joint H2020 application
• ICoRSA and NPA: NPA is a subcontract partner for the RRING project
• ECN-NoN co-funded joint forum event on RRI of sustainable sciences
• ICoRSA and GYA joint session submission at WSF 2016
• ICoRSA, GYA, YASS and UNESCO joint session at WSF 2019
• ICoRSA and MCFA joint H2020 submission
What we do...

• Experts in Responsible Research and Innovation RRI- through RRING and GRRIP projects
• Experts in the UNESCO Sustainable Development Goals SDGs
• Experts in Quadruple Helix, members platforms and engagement
• Experts in the creation of networks: lead partner in the creation of RRING network
• Experts in workshop organisation and training.
• BRING RRI TO THE WORLD
  
  • The overall RRING project aim is to bring Responsible Research and Innovation (RRI) into the linked up global world to promote mutual learning and collaboration in RRI. This will be achieved by the formation of the global RRING community network and by the development and mobilisation of a global Open Access Responsible Research & Innovation knowledge base.

• ICoRSA role:
  
  • Creation of the RRING RRI community network;
  • SoA
  • Surveys interviews
  • Business model canvas
  • Members and invitations
GRRIP

- GRRIP will embed sustainable RRI practices in 4 research performing organisations (RPO) and 1 dual function RPO and research funding organisation (RPO/RFO) (total 5 RPO&RFO) in the marine and maritime sectors to achieve institutional and cultural change.

- ICoRSA role
  - State of the State of Quadruple helix in European projects
  - Compilation of quadruple helix for 5 case studies
  - Creation of the QH platform
MUSICA

• ICoRSA Role in MUSICA
  • Set up the quadruple helix contacts and platforms in Inousses and Chios
  • Organise the public engagement workshops
  • Organise the researcher workshop
  • Ensure the RRI and SDGs are relevant and incorporated in to the project.
  • Cooperate in dissemination and communication, using the RRING and ICoRSA networks.
GEMS/GEDI WG
Gender Equality for Mobile Researchers in Science

Gianna Avellis, Chair of GEMS WG
Chair of Task Force 5 on Projects Of GEDI WG

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Activities

1. Participation to Wis Conferences
2. Workshop at University of Bari, Italy
3. ESOF2016 session, Manchester, UK
4. Gender Summit Europe, Cape Town, Berlin and Brussels
5. Survey on Gender Equality
6. Exploitation and Dissemination of GEMS/GEDI WG results
7. Communication
8. GEMS/GEDI AGA meeting
Results: Gender Summit Africa and Europe
PROMUOVERE LA LEADERSHIP FEMMINILE ATTRAVERSO I ROLE MODELS NEL CAMPO DELLA RICERCA, INDUSTRIA E BUSINESS.
Preside Università degli Studi di Bari “Aldo Moro” Centro per l’Innovazione, via Cesare Battisti 1, Bari (Italy)

14 MAGGIO 2016
ORE 9:00 - 13:00

ORGANIZZATORE
Università degli Studi di Bari “Aldo Moro” – Italian Women Innovators and Investors Network (ITWIN) – Marie Curie Fellowship Association (MCFA) – Marie Curie Alumni Association (MCAA) – BPN (Business Professional Women)

PROGRAMMA

10:00 - 10:30  Introduzione Maria Grazia Pietrosante, Rector of the University of Bari
10:30 - 10:45  Atto di Apertura Maria Grazia Pietrosante, Rector of the University of Bari
10:45 - 11:30  Sessioni Plenaria: Role Models in the Field of Research, Industry and Business
11:30 - 11:45  Pausa Rio
11:45 - 12:30  Sessioni Plenaria: Role Models in the Field of Research, Industry and Business
12:30 - 13:30  Pranzo

SUMMARY OF LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT IN THE FIELD OF RESEARCH, INDUSTRY AND BUSINESS

1. Role Models in the Field of Research, Industry and Business
2. Networking and Mentorship
3. Leadership Development Programs
4. Women in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)
5. Women in Business

Maria Grazia Pietrosante, Rector of the University of Bari

Results: Workshop at University of Bari
HORIZON 2020

- Horizon 2020 Call for promoting gender equality in research innovation GERI-4-2015 Support to research organisations to implement gender equality plans
- FELIA- Female Life in Academia
- ViaGEP – Viable Gender Equality Plans
- Horizon Call for Science Education outside the classroom- SwafS-11-2017 - NETSCI-EDU: NETworking for Citizen’s SClence EDUcation

Brokerage event in Science with and for Society, Brussels, 10 March 2017
ESOF 2016

• European Science Open Forum
  Manchester 23-27 July 2016

• Leading by examples?
The mobility of women in science

• Session winner – Gianna Avellis
• 7 speakers from GEMS WG of MCAA (Olga Efremova, Antonella Di Trapani, Theodota Lagouri, Wuraola Akande, Gianna Avellis, Olatz Lopez Fernandez, Magdalini Theodoridou)
• Exploit the work done in the ebook on Role Models
• Attract more MCAA women to GEMS WG
• Supported by European Commission
ITWIIN Awards 2016

Italian Women Innovators and Inventors Network
Exhibition, Conference and Awards www.iitwiin.org

Bologna CNR, November 2016

Two winners of MCAA:

Angela Bellia – “Exceptionally Creative Women”

Eleonora Leucci – “Best Italian Women abroad”

Interview on the MCAA Newsletter, January 2017
EGU 2017

1. European Geoscience Union Conference and General Assembly
2. 23-28 April 2017
3. GEMS WG session on Women in geosciences
4. Maria Bostenaru, Gianna Avellis, Ira Didenkulova, Magda Theodoridou, Riia Chmielowski
5. Networking and Mobility support of women in science
6. The Role Models of Women in geosciences
Developing Contacts

EPWS - European Platform of Women in Science
GENPORT project
ELSEVIER – To submit a paper on Promoting Women Leadership
PORTIA – Elisabeth Pollitzer chair of Gender Summit conferences
VITAE – H2020 project
University of Wolvehampton, UK – H2020 project
GENER A project
GENOVATE project
GEAR project
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Promotion of ebook on Role Models

- Portal of Role Models [http://therolemodels.net](http://therolemodels.net)
- Frauke Kersten – Dissemination activities in Germany and Andalusia
- Future actions: to exploit and disseminate the ebook in the schools and/or universities through workshops
Thank you for your attention

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