

Meeting of the 24th National Ethics Councils (NEC) Forum

Iasi, Romania, 4-5 April, 2019

Thursday, 4 April 2019

- 08.45 – 09.15 Registration and administrative support
- Daniela COJOCARIU, Iasi, College of Physicians
 - Edyta SIKORSKA, the Ethics and Research Integrity Sector, DG RTD, European Commission
- 09.15 – 09.40 Welcome messages
- Mihai CHIRICA, Mayor of Iasi, Romania
 - Mitică DRĂGUȘIN, President of the Romanian Ethics Council of Scientific Research, Technology Development and Innovation
 - Ciprian-Ion Preda, State Secretary, Ministry of Research and Innovation, Vice-president of the Board of Ethics and Management University (CEMU)
 - Liviu OPREA, President of Iasi College of Physicians, Romania
 - Johannes KLUMPERS, Head of Scientific Advice Mechanism Unit, DG Research and Innovation, European Commission
- 09.40 – 12.30 Values, ethics and policy**
- **Chair – József MANDL, Medical Research Council, Hungary**
- 09.40 – 10.20 Values landscapes across borders in a historical perspective: Romanian intellectuals and Europe (19th-20th century)
- Alexandru Florin PLATON, Faculty of History, A.I.Cuza University, Iasi, Romania
- 10.20 – 10.40 *Coffee break and administrative support*
- 10.40 – 11.20 Exploring uncharted ethical terrain: Value landscapes as terra incognita for research
- Matthias KAISER, Director of The Centre for the Study of the Sciences and the Humanities (SVT), University of Bergen, Norway
- 11.20 – 12.00 Standard Operating procedures for Research Integrity
- Niels MEJLGAARD, Aarhus Universitet, Denmark
- 12.00 – 12.30 The Scientific Advice Mechanism and the interplay with Ethics,
- Johannes KLUMPERS, Head of Scientific Advice Mechanism Unit, DG Research and Innovation, European Commission

12.30 – 13.30

Lunch break

13.30 – 16.00

Vulnerability and migration

- **Chair - Teodora MANEA HAUSKELLER, University of Exeter, United Kingdom**

13.30 – 14.10

Research with vulnerable populations

- Ron IPHOFEN, FAcSS, Independent Research Consultant

14.10 – 14.50

Multilevel Governance of Mass Migration in Europe and Beyond

- Öner Andreas CETREZ, Member of the Ethics Committee, Uppsala University, Sweden, Coordinator of H2020 Project RESPOND
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14.50 – 15.30

Vulnerability in the Romanian medical law and medical practice

- Liviu OPREA, University of Medicine and Pharmacy "Grigore T. Popa", Iasi, Romania

15.30 – 16.00

Discussion

16.00 – 16.20

Coffee break and administrative support

16.20 – 18.00

From theory to practice in research ethics and integrity

- **Chair - Eleni RETHIMIOTAKI, Hellenic National Bioethics Commission**

16.20 – 17.00

The Future of Ethics Review

- Will C. van den HOONAARD, Department of Sociology, University of New Brunswick, Canada

17:00 – 17:30

Principles of evidence-based medicine, research methodology and research integrity

- Vedran KATAVIĆ, University of Zagreb, School of Medicine, Croatia

17:30 – 18:00

Discussion

Friday, 5 April 2019

09:00 – 10.10

National and international updates

- **Chair - Lotta ERIKSSON, Head of the secretariat, The Swedish Council on Medical Ethics**

09:00 – 09:40

Nuclear techniques and technologies – social and ethical impact, threats, vulnerabilities and risks

- Mitică DRĂGUȘIN, President of Romanian Ethics Council of Scientific Research, Technology Development and Innovation

09.40 – 10.10

Council of Europe activities in Bioethics: current and prospective work

- Laurence LWOFF, Head of the Bioethics Unit, Council of Europe

10.40– 10.40

Coffee break and administrative support

10.40 – 12.30

Preparation for the Breakout sessions

- **Chair – Cristina GAVRILOVICI**, Romanian Ethics Council of Scientific Research, Technology Development and Innovation
- **Isidoros KARATZAS**, Head of the Ethics and Research Integrity Sector, DG RTD, the European Commission

Session 1 – Vulnerability and Informed Consent

- Rapporteur – Ron IPHOFEN

Session 2 – Citizens Consultation and Research Ethics

- Rapporteur – Gilles ADDA, National Consultative Ethics Committee, France

12.30 – 13.45

Results from Brakeout sessions and updates for the next NEC forum and closing of the meeting

Session 1 – Ron IPHOFEN (15 minutes)

Session 2 – Gilles ADDA (15 minutes)

13.45 – 14.00

Closing remarks and future NEC activities - Cristina GAVRILOVICI and Isidoros KARATZAS