

European Commission-OECD event

Launch of OECD Science, Technology and Innovation Outlook 2016

Brussels, 8 December 2016

(EC Covent Garden, Auditorium Nowotny, Place Charles Rogier 16, 1210 Brussels)

AGENDA

09h00 **Introduction** by Kurt Vandenberghe, Director for 'Policy Development and Coordination', DG Research & Innovation, European Commission

09h10 **Presentation of the OECD STI Outlook 2016** by Andrew Wyckoff, Director STI, OECD

09h30 *Questions and answers*

10h00 **Panel 1 – Foresight based STI policy making: megatrends, technologies and R&D systems**

Moderator: Dominique Guellec (Head of Science and Technology Division, STI, OECD)

Mathias Weber (Austrian Institute of Technology, Head of Business Unit)
Luis Sanz (Spanish Research Council, CSTP member and former CSTP Chair)
Michael Keenan (OECD, Senior analyst, STI)
Nikolaos Kastrinos (European Commission, Team Leader 'Foresight, DG RTD)

10h45 **Coffee break**

11h00 **Panel 2 – The future of country-based policy analysis**

Moderator: Román Arjona (Chief Economist, DG RTD, EC)

Reinhilde Veugelers (Bruegel, Senior Fellow)
Ward Ziarko (Belgian Science Policy, Director)
Sandrine Kergrach (OECD, STI Outlook coordinator, STI)
Daria Ciriaci (EC, Europe 2020-Semester Officer in Italy Representation, DG COMM)

11h45 **Closing remarks**, by Keith Sequeira, Senior adviser of the Cabinet of the European Commissioner for Research, Science and Innovation, Carlos Moedas

12h00 **End of the event**

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