

# **FUTURAGE: A Road Map for Ageing Research**

*A high-level stakeholder workshop to define and discuss the priorities for European ageing research*

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> May, European Quarter, Brussels

## **MORNING PROGRAMME**

<b>Contributing to the development of the Road Map</b>	
Renaissance Hotel, Rue du Parnasse 19, Brussels 1050	
The morning session will provide an opportunity for a review of FUTURAGE research priorities. Presentations will be made from the first round of national consultations and scientific priority setting workshops. Breakout sessions will follow to allow debate on the issues raised.	
Chair: <i>Professor Emanuele Scafato, Istituto Superiore Di Sanita</i>	
8.30	<b>Registration &amp; refreshments</b>
9.00	<b>Opening</b> Welcome and Introduction - <i>Chair</i>
9.10	<b>FUTURAGE: aims and aspirations</b> <i>Professor Alan Walker</i>
9.30	<b>Emerging Research Themes and Issues</b> Biogerontology – <i>Dr Efstathios Gonos, National Hellenic Research Foundation</i> Social & Economic Resources – <i>Dr Giovanni Lamura, INRCA</i> Environments of Ageing – <i>Professor Hans-Werner Wahl, University of Heidelberg</i> Healthy Ageing – <i>Professor Carol Jagger, Newcastle University</i> The User Perspective – <i>Professor James Goodwin, Age UK</i>
11.00	<b>Refreshments will be served at 11.00.</b>  <b>Break out group discussions on the four scientific themes above</b> Biogerontology – <i>Chair: Dr Mikael Fogelholm, Academy of Finland</i> Social & Economic Resources – <i>Chair: Dr Aurelia Curaj, UEFISCSU</i> Environments of Ageing - <i>Chair: Professor Kenneth Abrahamsson, FAS</i> Healthy Ageing – <i>Chair: Professor Carol Jagger, Newcastle University</i>
12.30	<b>Buffet lunch</b> - Cafe Parnasse
13.30	<b>Leave for European Parliament</b>



### AFTERNOON PROGRAMME

<p><b>European Parliament, STOA Committee</b>          Room ASP 5G-3, Altiero Spinelli Building, rue Wiertz, B-1047 Brussels</p> <p>The afternoon session is hosted by the STOA Committee and to address the importance of ageing research for public policy in Europe.</p> <p>Co-Chairs:  <i>Mr Paul Rübig, MEP – STOA Chairman</i>  <i>Mr António Fernando Correria de Campos, MEP STOA Vice-Chair</i></p>	
14.30	<p><b>Welcome</b>  <i>Mr Paul Rübig, MEP – STOA Chairman</i></p>
14.45	<p><b>ERA-AGE 2 and FUTURAGE – Shaping the Future of Ageing Research</b>  <i>Professor Alan Walker, University of Sheffield</i></p>
15.00	<p><b>Keynote: The New Science of Ageing</b>  <i>Professor Kaare Christensen - Institute of Public Health – Epidemiology/ Danish Aging Research Center, University of Southern Denmark</i></p>
15.20	<p><b>Keynote: Ageing research in the Research Framework Programmes</b>  <i>Mr Pēteris Zilgalvis, Head of Unit Infectious Diseases - Directorate Health DG Research, European Commission</i></p>
15.40	<p><b>Room for research on a new integrated care system for aged people</b>  <i>Dr Ines Guerreiro, Portuguese Ministry of Health</i></p>
16.00	<p><b>The Essential Elements of the Road Map</b>          Biogerontology – <i>Dr Efstathios Gonos, National Hellenic Research Foundation</i>          Social &amp; Economic Resources – <i>Dr Giovanni Lamura, INRCA</i>          Environments of Ageing – <i>Professor Hans-Werner Wahl, University of Heidelberg</i>          Healthy Ageing – <i>Professor Carol Jagger, Newcastle University</i>          The User Perspective – <i>Professor James Goodwin, Age UK</i></p>
17:45	<p><b>Discussion</b>  <i>Chaired by Mr António Fernando Correria de Campos, MEP STOA Vice-Chair</i></p>
18:30	<p><b>Cocktail buffet</b></p>
20.00	<p><b>Close</b></p>

