



## Hungarian – Norwegian Bilateral Cooperation Research Conference & Knowledge Exchange

### Agenda

15-16 February 2018, Budapest

#### 15 February

- 09:00**            **Registration, coffee**
- 09:30**            **Welcome**  
His Excellency Olav Berstad, Ambassador of Norway
- 09:40**            **Welcome & research system and areas of research excellence in Hungary**  
Professor József Pálinkás, President of National Research, Development and Innovation Office
- 10:10**            **Research system and areas of research excellence in Norway**  
Ms. Kristin Danielsen, International Director, Research Council of Norway
- 10:30**            **Keynote speech – evolutionary biology**  
Example of an existing collaboration and highlight of recent research results  
Professor Nils Christian Stenseth, University of Oslo  
Professor Eörs Szathmáry, Eötvös Loránd University
- 10:50**            **ELI-ALPS: Research infrastructure and research collaboration prospects**  
Professor Zsolt Fülöp, HAS Institute for Nuclear Research
- 11:10**            **ECCSEL: Research infrastructure and research collaboration prospects**  
Mr. Volker Röhling, ECCSEL secretariat
- 11:30**            **Future research collaboration funding opportunities**  
Update on bilateral and multilateral research funding opportunities (Norway Grants 2014-21, Horizon 2020)  
Ms. Szonja Csuzdi, Head of Department, National Research, Development and Innovation Office
- 12:00**            **Walking lunch & poster exhibition**



**Parallel sessions**

<b>13:30 – 17:00 (with Coffee break)</b>			
<b>A glimpse at the research landscapes of Hungary &amp; Norway: Excellence, research Infrastructures, and future challenges</b>			
<p><b>Health</b> Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Life sciences</li> <li>• Medical research</li> <li>• Clinical research</li> <li>• Safe food</li> <li>• Public health</li> </ul>	<p><b>Environment</b> Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Life sciences</li> <li>• Energy</li> <li>• Climate change effects &amp; adaptation</li> <li>• Sustainable food production</li> <li>• Bioeconomy</li> </ul>	<p><b>Society</b> Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demographics</li> <li>• Security</li> <li>• Governance &amp; public policy</li> <li>• Language &amp; communication</li> <li>• Culture</li> <li>• Behavioural science</li> </ul>	<p><b>Enabling Technologies</b> Including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Information and communication technologies</li> <li>• Nanotechnologies</li> <li>• Robotics &amp; artificial intelligence</li> <li>• Manufacturing</li> <li>• Laser technologies</li> </ul>
<p><b>Health in Hungary</b> Prof. Gábor L. Kovács, chair, Szentagothai Research Centre, University of Pécs</p>	<p><b>Environment in Hungary</b> Prof. László Buday, Director, Institute of Enzymology Research Centre of Natural Sciences</p>	<p><b>Society related research in Hungary</b> Prof. Zsolt Demetrovics, dean, Faculty of Education and Psychology, Eötvös Loránd University</p>	<p><b>Enabling Technologies in Hungary</b> Prof. Gábor Stépán Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Budapest University of Technology and Economics</p>
<p><b>Health in Norway</b> High level representative of research organisation</p>	<p><b>Environment in Norway</b> High level representative of research organisation</p>	<p><b>Society related research in Norway</b> High level representative of research organisation</p>	<p><b>Research and Technology Development in Norway</b> High level representative of research organisation</p>
<p><b>Success stories &amp; young talents</b></p>	<p><b>Success stories &amp; young talents</b></p>	<p><b>Success stories &amp; young talents</b></p>	<p><b>Success stories &amp; young talents</b></p>
<b>19.00 – 21.00 Networking dinner</b>			



NATIONAL RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT  
AND INNOVATION OFFICE  
HUNGARY



## Future Research Collaboration Conference

Agenda

16 February 2018

### Day 2

Site visits: approximately 10 parallel site visits will be organised to Hungarian research centers of excellence for demonstrations of current research activities and recent outputs, as well as discussion of collaboration opportunities.

*\* The agendas will be flexible, targeted according to the needs/interests/specificities of areas of research they address (eg. one addressing physical sciences may include a visit to several laboratories at a particular research institute to demonstrate key research activities. One addressing social sciences or humanities may be based on discussions between scientist of several research institutes and also sites of interest to the field.)*

The visits will have the following recommended elements:

- Introduction of participants
- Laboratory or other relevant site visits
- Discussion of current research priorities
- Discussion of future research challenges in the field
- Identification of areas of mutual interest
- Discussion of scope & timing of follow-up visit to Norway