

MULTI-ACT Final Conference

“The MULTI-ACT Model: The Path Forward for Participatory Governance in Health Research and Innovation”

23 March 2021, 14:00-17:00 CET

Time	Topic	Speaker
Session 1	14.00 – 15.30	
14.00 – 14.05	Opening words	Master of Ceremony
14.05 – 14.10	 <p>Welcome and Introduction from MULTI-ACT Project Coordinator</p>	 <p>Paola Zaratin MULTI-ACT Project Coordinator Italian Multiple Sclerosis Society Foundation</p>
14.10 – 14.30	 <p>Keynote Speeches on Responsible Research and Innovation (RRI)</p>	 <p>René von Schomberg European Commission Guest Professor Technical University Darmstadt</p>  <p>Ralf Lindner Head of the Department Politics and Society and Coordinator for Technology Assessment and Governance Fraunhofer Institute for Systems and Innovation Research</p>
14.30 – 15.15	 <p>Panel discussion: ‘How relevant is the RRI approach in the health sector particularly in the context of emergencies such as the COVID-19 pandemic?’</p> <p>Moderated by:</p>  <p>Usman Khan Senior Advisor FIPRA</p>	 <p>Giovanni Leonardi Research Director Italian Health Ministry</p>  <p>Robert McBurney Research Lead iConquerMS Network</p>  <p>Elisabetta Verdun di Cantogno Senior Medical Director, Global Affairs & Neuroscience Merck Serono S.A.</p>
15.15 – 15.30	Panel discussion Q&A	
15:30 – 15:45	Coffee break	

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Session 2	15.45 – 17.00	
15.45 – 15.50	Opening words	Master of Ceremony
15.50 – 16.20	 The MULTI-ACT Framework Moderated by:  Usman Khan Senior Advisor FIPRA	 Michele Andreaus Full professor University of Trento  Dr. Sofia Tsekeridou Senior Research and Innovation Manager – Expert INTRASOFT International S.A.  Luca Molinari Senior Consultant EY Climate Change & Sustainability Services  Deborah Bertorello International Project Manager Italian Multiple Sclerosis Foundation  Valentina Tageo Director of the International Projects Unit ECHAlliance
16.20 – 16.30	Q&A on the MULTI-ACT Framework	
16.30 – 16.50	 Interviews with MULTI-ACT CRIF Adopters How can we exploit MULTI-ACT as an RRI tool to maximize the impact of health research and care for the benefit of people affected by brain conditions? Moderated by:  Usman Khan Senior Advisor FIPRA	 David Henshall Professor of Molecular Physiology & Neuroscience, Royal College of Surgeons Chair, EPICLUSTER (EBRA)  Graham McReynolds Associate Vice President, Global Initiatives International Progressive MS Alliance  Prof. Giancarlo Comi Chair European Charcot Foundation
16.50 – 17.00	 Closing Remarks	 René von Schomberg European Commission Guest Professor Technical University Darmstadt