



Eurodoc News



Save the date for the approaching Eurodoc Conference 2021. This year, the event will be held in a hybrid format in Prague on July 14–15 both online and in person. We will explore ways to develop European Higher Education even further and to improve career options for ECRs. Find more information about the conference [here](#), and keep your eyes on Eurodoc channels for registration during June: [website](#), [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), and [LinkedIn](#).

Eurodoc Special Article Series on Research Integrity

Research Integrity and ethics practices are pillars of science and academic scholarship. Eurodoc is fully committed to responsible, reproducible, and open research. With this series, we aim to raise awareness of key principles of Research Integrity among early-career researcher (ECR)s in Europe.



Noémie Aubert Bonn shares insights from her PhD work on the impact of how we define a “successful scientist” on research integrity and quality.

["The Failure of Success – What a PhD on success in science taught me about academia"](#)



Mathew Tata discusses the downfalls of the current practice of authorship lists and suggests that there are better ways to give researchers #CRediT.

["Authorship Lists Are Dead – Get the CRediT You Deserve"](#)



Stefano Salvia & Iryna Degtyarova dissect the fundamental principles of research integrity. [“Integrity, Transparency, Openness: Key Issues for European Research”](#)

Inspiring Researchers on the Use of Open Science in Their Research Projects



Eurodoc President Giulia Malaguarnera presented at the final event for the Horizon 2020 project [GRECO](#), which champions Open Access and Open Data policies. Giulia gave an overview of the advocacy work Eurodoc is doing to raise awareness, shape policies, and support ECRs in practicing Open Science.

Stakeholder & Partner News

cOAlition S Calls Researchers to Complete Plan S Impact Survey



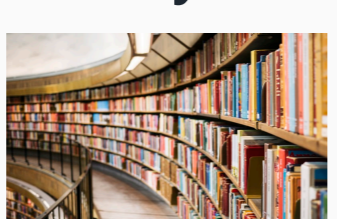
As the Open Science landscape continues to develop, [cOAlition S](#) seeks to gather feedback from the research community and their periodic surveys will assess the implementation of Plan S, publishing practices and their professional impact. The current survey will be open for responses until 23 June and can be completed in 10 minutes [here](#).

OECD Report on Reducing the Precarity of Academic Research Careers



There is an urgent need for systemic change in the way research careers are structured and supported. [The Organisation for Economic Cooperation and Development \(OECD\)](#) published a report detailing the challenges researchers face, with particular focus on fixed-term postdoctoral researcher positions with no security. The report, which Eurodoc contributed to, outlines a potential framework for policies and practices geared towards attracting and retaining more diverse talent and improving the quality of science. Read the report [here](#).

All Publishers Must Provide Researchers with Clarity and Transparency on Open Access



[European University Association \(EUA\)](#), [CESAER](#), and [Science Europe](#) released a joint statement calling for an end to the restrictions and embargoes attached to journal articles and urging academic publishers to respect researchers’ rights. Contrary to the principles of Open Access, publishers commonly require researchers to sign-off publishing rights and restrict the dissemination of their findings. The joint statement takes a strong stance against this system and urges adaptation to a more open model for the benefit of society. Read more [here](#).

The Role of Academic Institutions in Building Resilient and Sustainable Societies



The [League of European Research Universities \(LERU\)](#) released a statement on the role of research-intensive universities in creating societies that are resilient and sustainable in the face of challenges. The statement, penned and signed by LERU rectors, underlines key potential contributions through research, education, and in shaping public policy. LERU rectors also renewed their commitment “to confront current and yet-to-develop challenges at the European and global stage in the coming years”. Read the statement [here](#).

Open Calls

Submit Your Application to the PASIFIC Postdoctoral Fellowship Programme



Deadline: 30 June 2021, 12:00 CEST.

Deadline for the PASIFIC Fellowship application is approaching. The PASIFIC Programme offers an attractive opportunity to do postdoctoral research at the institutes of the Polish Academy of Sciences. A monthly allowance of approx. €2,500 for two years and up to €93,000 research project budget will be awarded to scholars from any research discipline. The next call is planned to open on 15 September 2021 with the same offer and requirements. Find more information at [www.pasific.pan.pl](#).

Upcoming Events

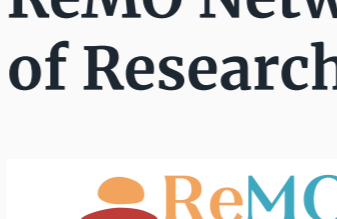
SciLink Workshop: Research Project Management



07 – 08 June 2021, 09:00–17:00 CEST

This workshop aims to help ECRs improve project management skills and apply their principles to academic research projects. Remember to select the ‘Eurodoc member’ option for the opportunity to get a discounted ticket. Register [here](#).

ReMO Network: “Transnational Impact in the field of Researcher Mental Health”



10 June 2021, 09:00–17:00 CET

Protecting the wellbeing and mental health of ECRs requires a multi-level action plan covering individual, institutional and policy aspects. The Researcher Mental Health Observatory COST Action will host a webinar outlining their interdisciplinary network focused on filling this gap. More information and a registration form can be found [here](#).

European Research and Innovation Days



23 – 24 June 2021

The European Commission's flagship event ‘R&I Days’ covers a wide range of R&I topics, and hosts forums for compelling discussions around EU priorities, including digitalisation and the post-COVID recovery. Check the programme [here](#) and register [here](#).

EuroScience Policy Forum on Sustainable Academia



29 – 30 June 2021

The 1st EuroScience Policy Forum will examine how academia can open new paths to knowledge while maintaining a good work environment for scholars. The forum is organised by EuroScience, The Stockholm Trio University Alliance, The Wellcome Trust and the University of Vienna together with the Vienna Science and Technology Fund (WWTF). Find the detailed programme [here](#) and register [here](#).



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