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**18 March 2016, 12.30 – 14.30**

University Foundation, Rue d'Egmont 11, Brussels



## Launch of the Consensus Statement on European Brain Research

The need to expand Brain Research in Europe

### Agenda

**12.00 – 12.30**

Welcome and Registration

**12.30 – 12.50**

**Introduction; Consensus Statement on European Brain Research – what's new**

Chair: Monica Di Luca, President, Federation of European Neuroscience Societies, European Brain Council Board Member

**12.50 – 13.05**

**Brain research - the most important field in biomedical science ?**

Wolfgang Oertel, European Academy of Neurology,  
European Brain Council Board Member

**13.05 – 13.20**

**Update on Horizon 2020 and its focus on the brain research**

Catherine Berens, Head of Neuroscience Sector, DG RTD, European Commission

**13.20 – 13.35**

**Role of the European Parliament in securing funds for R&D**

Philippe de Backer, ITRE Member, European Parliament

**13.35 – 14.15**

Discussion

**14.15 – 14.30**

Closing remarks

Monica Di Luca, President, FENS



# CONSENSUS STATEMENT ON EUROPEAN BRAIN RESEARCH

Launch Event

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