

# Workshop on research collaboration with partners in EU Europe: Opportunities for funding and other support

The aim of this workshop is to create awareness on existing mechanisms for supporting research collaboration between European Universities and researchers at McMaster University, the University of Waterloo and Western University. The goal is to enhance and increase research engagement between researchers, graduate students and fellows at the three universities with European counterparts on individual and/or consortia basis.

February 3, 9 am - 1 pm EST via Zoom

## PROGRAM

### Opening Panel: 9:00 am - 9:30 am

Moderator: Andy Hrymak, President's Special Advisor on industry partnerships, the green economy and sustainability; and Deputy Director, Fraunhofer Institute, Western University

Panelists:

Charmaine Dean, Vice President Research and International, University of Waterloo

Karen Mossman, Vice President Research, McMaster University

### EU and Tri-Council Research Funding Opportunities

Moderator: Ruth Martin, Associate Vice-Provost, Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies, Western University

Presenters:

9:30 am - 10:00 am: Luigi Scarpa de Masellis, EU Trade and Economic Counsellor, Ottawa

10:00 am - 10:20 am: Kimberly Douglas, Director, New Frontiers in Research Fund, Ottawa

### Presentations on Canada-EU projects by Canadian and EU Researchers

10:20 am - 10:40 am: Geoffrey Fong, University of Waterloo and Constantine I. Vardavas, University of Crete, Greece: The International Tobacco Control Policy Evaluation Project (ITC Project) and collaborations in the European Union

10:40 am - 11:00 am: Bruce Gaulin, McMaster University and Jean-Pierre Landesman, Université de Rennes 1, France: Condensed Matter Physics

### 11:00 am - 11:10 am: Coffee Break

11:10 am - 11:30 am: Lars Rehmann, Western University and Lars Regestein, Leibniz Institute for Natural Product Research and Infection Biology, Germany: Microbial Mixed Cultures

11:30 am - 11:50 am: Q&A

### Germany and France Research Funding Opportunities

Moderator: Peter Mascher, Vice-Provost, International Affairs, McMaster University

11:50 am - 12:10 pm: German Research Foundation

12:10 pm - 12:30 pm: Xavier Grosmaître, Science and Higher Education Attaché, Embassy of France in Canada

12:30 pm - 12:45 pm: Q&A

**12:45 pm - 1:00 pm: Workshop Wrap-up:** Drew Knight, Director, Global Research and Strategic Alliances, University of Waterloo and Britta Baron, Vice Provost International, Western University



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