

**Draft Agenda**

**Moderator: Ian Busuttil Naudi**

09:30 Registration and welcome coffee

10:00 Welcome Address - Dr Jeffrey Pullicino Orlando, Executive Chairman, MCST

10:10 Introductory speech - Elena Grech, Head of European Commission Representation

10:20 Introduction, what is Horizon 2020? Why an EU Framework Programme? – Anthea Fabri, Director, Horizon 2020 Unit, MCST

10:45 Panel discussion ‘Tips and tricks for a good proposal’

* *Mario Balzan, MCAST -ReNature and Esmeralda projects*
* *Claire de Marco, University of Malta – VENTuRE project (tbc)*
* *Jenny Casingena Harper, MCST - evaluator*
* *Helen Grech, University of Malta - evaluator*
* *Philip Farrugia, University of Malta – PRIME-VR2 project*
* *Tamás Bardócz, AquaBioTech Group – iFishIENCi project*

11:45 The role of EEN in Horizon 2020 – Steven Frigerio, Horizon 2020 NCP Executive, MCST

12:10 What’s next? The new Framework Programme - Horizon Europe - Matthew Lowell, Strategy and Policy Executive, MCST

12:30 Networking lunch

13:30 Parallel sessions round 1 – information on upcoming calls

*Room 1: European Innovation Council, Research Infrastructures   
Room 2: European Research Council, Marie Curie Actions, Widening   
Room 3: Social Sciences and Humanities, Secure Societies*

14:30 Parallel sessions round 2 – information on upcoming calls

*Room 1: Bio-economy, Food, Health   
Room 2: Space, ICT, NMBP   
Room 3: Climate, Energy, Transport*

15.30 ‘Science of Cocktail’ networking supported by EEN

16.30 End of event