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**HORIZON 2020 WEEK IN BELARUS – 2018**

Marie Sklodowska-Curie Actions Information Day

**February 21, 2018**

**‘BELARUS’ Hotel, Large Conference Room (Ground Fl.), 15 Storozhevskaja str., Minsk**

**AGENDA**

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| 9.00 – 10.00 | **Registration** |
| 10.00 – 10.1510.15 –10.45 | **Welcome notes, place and role of Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions in H2020***Olga MEEROVSKAYA, H2020 National Coordinator – MSCA NCP, Belarusian Institute of System Analysis and Information Support of Science and Technology* **EU policy for researchers’ mobility and opportunities for Belarusian organisations and individual researchers in MSCA**  |
| 10.45 – 11.0011.00 – 11.1511.15 – 11.4511.45 – 12.0012.00 – 12.1512.15 – 12.3012.30 – 12.4512.45 – 13.00 | *Martin MUEHLECK, Policy Officer,* European Commission, Directorate-General for Education, Youth, Sport and Culture**From MSCA to ERC: further opportunities for developing a research career** *Katia INSOGNA, Head of R&I Training and MSCA/ERC consultancy services, Innovative Technology & Science Ltd., UK***Q&A** **Coffee break****Overview of Belarus participation in MSCA. Benefits & challenges** *Alexey TRUKHANOV, MSCA NCP, Scientific and Practical Center of the National Academy of Sciences of Belarus for Materials Research***RISE story 1: PHOENIX – People for the European bioenergy mix** *Semjon KUNDAS, Anna KHRYPOVICH, Belarusian National Technical University* **RISE story 2: TRANSFERR - Transition metal oxides with metastable phases: a way towards superior ferroic properties***Dmitry KARPINSKY, Senior Researcher, Scientific and Practical Centre of the NAS Belarus for Materials Research***IF story: MICEPAS MIR-EC-QCL - Novel miniaturized photoacoustic cell integrated with compact mid-infrared widely-tunable laser for gas-detection applications***Vladimir STAROVOITOV, Senior Researcher, ‘Nit’ Ariadnu’ LLC***Q&A, wrap-up and closure** |

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