

29 Sept - 01 Oct 2014 Bologna - Italy

Programme of the conference

29 September 2014

11.30 - 12.00	Open Coffee
12.00 - 14.00	Registration
14.00 - 16.30	Opening Plenary session A speech on the European Union trends and future potential scenarios will open the first plenary session. It will be the driver and set the tone for the following speeches from the high-level European and Italian policymakers that will be officially opening the conference. Burning questions will be put on the table becoming the leit motiv of all the sessions.
16.30 - 17.30	Plenary session "A vision toward a new Renaissance" Three different perspectives will be brought to the audience: an expert in Renaissance history, an Academic Researcher and an Entrepreneur. They will demonstrate how a new European Renaissance is already happening today and how to put a vision toward a new Renaissance into practice.
17.30 18.30	Networking & Cultural event
18.30 - 19.30	Welcome cocktail















08.00 - 09.00	Registration						
09.00 - 10.30	Innovative products for wellbeing	New models for governing research and/to innovation	Future of modelling: materials and industrial processes	Well trained professionals in science and engineering 10,20,30 years from now	New Industrial networks based on cross-cutting technologies		
10.30 - 11.00	Coffee break						
11.00 - 12.30	End-of-life as a new industry for a sustainable society	International cooperation in NMBP research and innovation	From science to market through FET, KET and more	Sustainable and healthy food production	SMEs Policies		
12.30 - 14.00	Lunch						
14.00 - 15.30	Regional Instruments	Advanced Materials at the cutting edge innovation	Cultural Heritage: a future from the past				
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break						
16.00 - 17.30	Design-driven innovation and frontier materials technologies	Factories for Humans	Financing Renaissance				
20.00 - 24.00			Gala dinner				

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08.00 - 09.00	Registration						
09.00 - 10.30	"The language of research" Workshop for High school students	Advanced technologies for a healthy future	Additive Manufacturing	Urban Manufacturing	Research Infrastructures		
10.30 - 11.00		Coffee break					
11.00 - 12.30		Integration of KETS for a sustainable society	New Paradigms for high performance sustainable production	Nano and Converging Technologies – Opening new Paradigms	High Quality Job Creation		
12.30 - 14.00		Networking Lunch					
14.00 - 16.00	Closing Plenary session The debate of the 2 previous days will converge into the final plenary session, where a political declaration will be presented as the result of the three days of discussion to the European Union representatives.						

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