Funding Policies and Research Values: Strategies & Needs, Risks & Prospects

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Programme

9:00 am Welcome address by Maurizio Fermeglia, Rector of the University of Trieste
Opening remarks by Genoveva Marti, Director of the Barcelona Knowledge Hub
Introductory remarks by Cinzia Ferrini, Convenor, Department of Humanities

9:30 Session 1A - Strategies
Chair: Michele Pipan Rector’s delegate for scientific and technological research
Speaker: Donald Bruce Dingwell 3rd European Research Council Secretary General
Preparing for the unexpected: why tomorrow’s greatest research will be individual, bottom-up, and global
10:00 - Discussion

10:15 Session 1B - Needs
Chair: Giacomo Todeschini Rector’s delegate for research in the Humanities and Social Sciences
Speaker: Jürgen Mittelstraß Director of the Constance Science Forum, Why supporting the Humanities matters: the need of new models of research funding Genoveva Marti will present the paper and provide comments
10:45 - Discussion
11:00 - Coffee Break

11:30 Session 2A - Risks
Chair: Marina Sbisà Head of the Department of Humanities
Speaker: Carolyn Dooley Gianturco President of the National Edition of Alessandro Stradella’s Opera Omnia
Humanities at risk: Italy’s support of its musical heritage in comparison with other European countries
12:00 - Discussion

12:15 Session 2B - Prospects
Chair: Renato Gennaro Vice-Rector
Speaker: Maurizio Brunori President of the Euro Mediterranean Academic Network/EMAN
The additional value of the network model for multidisciplinary research projects: mediterranean cultures in dialogue
12:45 - Closing Discussion

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