

European Innovation Council Info Day Agenda









6 NOVEMBER 2023, ATHENS, GREECE NCSR DEMOKRITOS (PATR. GREGORIOU E & 27 NEAPOLEOS STR, 15341 AGIA PARASKEVI)

09:00 – 09:30 Registration & welcome coffe

09:30 – 10:00 **Opening Remarks**

Mr Maximos SENETAKIS, Deputy minister for Development, in charge of Research, Technology and Innovation

Dr. Maria Christoula, Director, Directorate of International Scientific and Technological Cooperation, General Secretariat for Research and Innovation (GSRI)

Mr Georgios NOUNESIS, Director & Chairman of the Board of NCSR "Demokritos"

Anna PANAGOPOULOU, Director ERA & Innovation, DG RTD, European Commission

Dr. Konstantinos Vavekis, Director, FORTH / PRAXI Network

10:00 – 10:20 The European Innovation Council: Support for Deep-tech Innovators and Researchers

Keith SEQUEIRA, Head of EIC Unit, DG RTD, European Commission

10:20 – 10:30	PhosPrint and their EIC journey
	Prof. Ioanna ZERGIOTI, CEO, PhosPrint PC
10:30 – 10:50	EIC Accelerator: How to apply?
	Konstantinos MICHOS, Project Adviser, EISMEA
10:50 – 11:10	EIC Fund: How investment decisions are taken?
	Jussi HÄTÖNEN, Head of the EIC Division, European Investment Bank (EIB)
11:10 – 11:30	Q&A
11:30 – 12:00	Coffee break
12:00 – 12:30	Synergies with national innovation programmes: Plug in & Seal of Excellence
	Speaker: Mrs. Stavroula Poulou, PhD - MIA Research & Innovation, Ministry of Development
12:30 – 13:30	Tips and Tricks on How to Become Successful Applicant of the EIC Accelerator Funding Opportunities (testimonials from EIC Beneficiaries, applicants and experts) Nick KANOPOULOS, CEO, BriteSolar; Prof. Ioanna ZERGIOTI, CEO, PhosPrint PC; Sotiris KOKKINOS, CEO, FEAC Engineering, Dr. Theologos PROKOPIOU, EIC Jury Member, Christina APOSTOLAKI, project manager at the European Commission Moderator: Despina MAGIRI-SKOULOUDI, EIC NCP, FORTH / PRAXI Network
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch break
14:30 – 15:30	Panel discussion: EIC Fund and local strategies for complementary funding
	Short introduction by Michiel SCHEFFER, President of the EIC Board

	Speakers: Michiel SCHEFFER, President of the EIC Board, DG RTD European Commission, Jussi HÄTÖNEN, Head of the EIC Division, European Investment Bank (EIB); Panagiotis PAPAGEORGIOU. Innovation Director at Hellenic Development Bank SA, Aristos DOXIADIS, Partner, Big Pi Ventures, Ms Myrto PAPATHANOU, Partner, Metavallon VC Moderator: Vicky KEFALAS, EIC Board member
15:30 – 15:50	Support to EIC Accelerator applicants by the Enterprise Europe Network: EEN2EIC project Dr. Ioannis Kortidis, technology transfer consultant, PRAXI Network Access2EIC: the EIC NCP network and its services towards EIC applicants Despina Magiri-Skouloudi, EIC NCP, PRAXI Network
15:50 – 16:15	Q&A
16:15 – 17:00	Networking drink

Working language of the event: English

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