CONFERENCE
European Innovation Policies for the Digital Shift
Brussels
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Room VML02 - rue Van Maerlant 2, Brussels, Belgium

8:30 - 9:30  Registration & Welcome Coffee

9:30 - 9:45  Welcome & Introduction
• Alessandro Annoni, JRC
• Pēteris Zilgalvis, DG CONNECT

9:45 - 10:05  Keynote address: Keith Bergelt, CEO, Open Invention Network

10:05 - 11:30 Panel I: Framework conditions for digital innovation and entrepreneurship
Moderator: Mehran Gul, Lead Digital Transformation of Industries
World Economic Forum
• Paul Hofheinz, President, Lisbon Council
• Jan Christian Saupe, CEO, Lunchio
• Ferdinand Pavel, Manager, DIW Econ
• Flora Coleman, Head of Government Relations, Transferwise
• Christopher Haley, Head of New Technology & Startup Research, Nesta
Open Q&A discussion with the panel and the audience

11:30 - 12:00  Coffee break

12:00 – 13:30 Panel II: The role of standards and intellectual property rights for ICT innovation
Moderator: Nikolaus Thumm, JRC
• Suzanne Munck, US Federal Trade Commission
• Monica Magnusson, VP of IPR Policy, Ericsson
• Robin Jacob, Professor University College London
• Bowman Heiden, Deputy Director CIP
• Giustino de Sanctis, CEO Vectis
• Keith Bergelt, CEO, Open Invention Network
Open Q&A discussion with the panel and the audience

13:30 – 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 – 16:00 Panel III: Financing of innovation in the digital age
Moderator: Daniel Nepelski, JRC
• Aljoscha Kaplan, Managing Director, German Media Pool
• Rodolphe Gelin, EVP Scientific Officer, SoftBank Robotics
• Louise Westerlind, Senior Industry and Policy Researcher, Cambridge Centre for Alternative Finance
• Paul van Dijk, LioniX
• Jan Christian Saupe, CEO, Lunchio
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16:00 – 16:15 Conference wrap-up and next steps
Paul Desruelle, JRC

16:15 End of the conference