



Strengthening Technology, Research and Innovation Cooperation between Europe and South Africa (ESASTAP Plus)

*The workshop is organised by the ESASTAP Plus consortium. It will provide an overview of Horizon 2020 and will in particular highlight the potential for African participation.*

<p><b>Workshop: Horizon 2020 - The new EU framework programme</b></p> <p><b>Monday 7 October 2013</b></p> <p><b>President Hotel, Cape Town</b></p> <p><b>10h00-16h00</b></p> <p><b>Agenda</b></p>
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**First session facilitator:** Mamohloding Tlhagale, Director: Strategic Partnerships  
Department of Science and Technology (DST)

09h30-10h00	Arrival and Registration
10h00-10h15	Welcoming remarks  Michelle Mulder President of Southern African Research & Innovation Management Association (SARIMA)
10h15-10h45	Setting the scene  Daan du Toit Chief Director: International Resources and Minister's Counsellor (Science and Technology): South African Mission to the European Union, DST
10h45- 11h15	EU Horizon 2020 Framework Programme for research and innovation  Stéphane Hogan Minister-Counsellor (Research & Innovation) Delegation of the European Union to the African Union
11h15-11h45	Presentation of ESASTAP Plus  Cristina Pinto (Chief Director: Innovation Planning and Instruments, DST)
11h45-12h15	DST / ESASTAP Plus funding instruments supporting participation in Horizon 2020  Mamohloding Tlhagale DST

12h15-13h00	Discussions
13h00-14h00	Lunch
<b>Session 2: 14h00-16h00</b>	
<b>Panel discussion: <i>advice on strategic preparations for the first Horizon 2020 call for proposals planned for December 2013</i></b>	
<b>Second session facilitator:</b> Dorothy Ngila, Academy of Science of South Africa (ASSAf)	
14h00- 14h30	<b>Industrial Leadership thematic area:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Leadership in enabling and industrial technologies</i></li> <li>• <i>Access to risk finance</i></li> <li>• <i>Innovation in SMEs</i></li> <li>• <i>Discussions</i></li> </ul>
14h30-15h30	<b>Societal challenges thematic area:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Health, demographic change and well-being</i></li> <li>• <i>Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research and the bio-economy</i></li> <li>• <i>Secure, clean and efficient energy</i></li> <li>• <i>Smart, green and integrated transport</i></li> <li>• <i>Climate action, resource efficiency and raw material</i></li> <li>• <i>Secure societies: protect Europe and European citizens' liberty and security</i></li> <li>• <i>Inclusive, innovative and secure societies</i></li> <li>• <i>Discussions</i></li> </ul>
15h30-16h00	<b>Excellence science thematic area:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>European Research Council (ERC)</i></li> <li>• <i>Future and Emerging Technologies (FET)</i></li> <li>• <i>Marie Curie Actions</i></li> <li>• <i>Research Infrastructure</i></li> <li>• <i>Discussions</i></li> </ul>
16h00	Closing Remarks  Cristina Pinto Chief Director: Innovation Planning and Instruments, DST
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