



**The Prospects of Brain Research within Horizon 2020:
responding efficiently to Europe's societal needs**

Under the patronage of Prof. Teresa Riera Madurell, MEP

Thursday, 30 May 2013
*European Parliament, Rue Wiertz 60
Room A5G305*

11:00 – 11:15 **Welcome and introduction**

Teresa Riera Madurell, MEP

Monica Di Luca, EBC Vice-president & FENS President-elect

11:15 – 11:30 **Keynote address**

Philippe Cupers, European Commission – DG Research & Innovation

Head Sector Neuroscience of Unit F2 Medical Research

11:30 – 11:45 **ESF strategic Report and its conclusions**

Daniel David, ESF Steering Committee for the Strategic Report

11:45- 13:15 **Prospects/opportunities of brain research within Horizon 2020**

Chair & Moderator: O. Quintana Trias

✓ **European Commission**

Philippe Cupers

✓ **Scientific Community**

Monica di Luca – President-elect FENS

✓ **Societal Needs**

Alistair Newton – Treasurer EBC

✓ **European Science Foundation**

*Josef Syka – Scientific Review Group for
the Biomedical Sciences*

13.15 – 13.30 **Recommendations and Conclusions: Teresa Riera Madurell, MEP and
Monica di Luca, EBC Vice-president & FENS President-elect**

** The event will be followed by a standing lunch.*



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