



## **Agenda**

### **7<sup>th</sup> meeting of the High Level Group of Scientific Advisors 23/24 March 2017**

**Venues: 23 March 2017: DG RTD Orban building- Room 03/067 and 2.A066  
24 March 2017: Berlaymont building- Room 09/121**

#### **23 March 2017, 14:00 – 18:00**

**Chair:** Professor Rolf-Dieter Heuer

##### **0. Adoption of agenda**

##### **1. SAM HLG discussion on ongoing topics (14:15 – 17:45 with a coffee break at 16:00)**

**New techniques in Agricultural Biotechnology  
Scientific advice to support the forthcoming evaluation of pesticides legislations  
Food from the Oceans  
Cybersecurity**

##### **2. SAM HLG Activity planning (17:45 – 18:00)**

*(Dinner with SAPEA Board)*

#### **24 March 2017, 09:00 – 17:00**

**Chair:** Professor Rolf-Dieter Heuer a.m., Professor Pearl Dykstra p.m.

##### **3. Meeting with SAPEA Representatives**

Discussion on elements of collaboration, such as:  
quality assurance, own initiative topics, progress in topics New Techniques in Agricultural Biotechnology and Food from the Oceans, presence of SAPEA Board at forthcoming meetings, joint participation at international conferences, public engagement,  
*(Presence of the presidents of the five European Academy Networks: Günter Stock, Reinhard Hüttl, Sierd Cloetingh, Bernard Charpentier, Thierry Courvoisier and Rudolf Hielscher, SAPEA coordinator  
(09:00 – 10:30)*

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4. **Food from the Oceans** (*Commissioner Moedas, Commissioner Vella, András Inotai, Member of Cabinet Vella*)  
(10:30 – 11:15)
  5. **New Techniques in Agricultural Biotechnology and Scientific advice to support the forthcoming evaluation of pesticides legislations** (*Commissioner Moedas and Commissioner Andriukaitis, Nathalie Chaze, Member of Cabinet Andriukaitis*)  
(11:15 – 12:00)
  6. **Information about the extraordinary plenary meeting at CERN**  
(12:00 – 12:30)
  7. **Hand-over of the opinion Cybersecurity to Commissioner Moedas (photo session);**  
(12:30 – 13:00)  
  
*Lunch (13:00 – 14:30)*  
*with the participation of Günter Stock, President of ALLEA*
  8. **Discussion on the explanatory note on New Techniques in Agricultural Biotechnology, debrief by the sub-group to the plenary**  
(14:30 – 16:30)
  9. **AOB**  
(16:30 – 17:00)
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