

STOA WORKSHOP

BRAIN AWARENESS WEEK 2016

THE IMPORTANCE OF RESEARCH IN NEUROSCIENCE

15 March 2016, 13:30-16:00, Paul Henri-Spaak building, Yehudi Menuhin space
European Parliament, Brussels

Chair: Paul Rübige MEP, STOA Chair

Moderator: Marina Bentivoglio, University of Verona, Italy

WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION

13.30 Welcome and introductory remarks

Paul Rübige MEP, STOA Chair

KEYNOTE SPEECH

13.40 Research on neuroscience in Europe: where we are, where we should go

Richard Morris, University of Edinburgh, UK

PRESENTATIONS

14.00 The REWARD movement action for the European brain research

Niall Boyce, The Lancet Psychiatry, UK

14.20 The importance of brain diseases in elderly population in Europe: presentation of the Dementia Commission Paper on Alzheimer's disease

Bengt Winbald, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden

Angel Cedazo-Minguez, Karolinska Institutet, Sweden

14.45 The importance of brain disorders in childhood in Europe

Bernard Dan, European Academy of Childhood Disability, Belgium

15.05 Mental health and mental disorder in Europe: shifting paradigms through neuroscience research

Mara Dierssen, Centre for Genomic Regulation, Spain

QUESTION AND ANSWERS

15.25 Q&A from the audience

CONCLUSIONS

15.55 Closing remarks

Paul Rübige MEP, STOA Chair