

“Awareness Seminar on H2020”

Jointly organised by European Commission & COMSATS

Venue: Kehkashan Hall- 1 Serena Hotel, 7 May 2018

Islamabad, Pakistan

Programme

10:00 – 10.30 am	Registration
10:30 – 10:45 am	Introduction about the programme H2020 and structure of the Event
10:45 – 11:00 am	Welcome words by Anne Marchal Minister, Deputy Head of Mission, Delegation of the European Union to Pakistan
11:00 – 12:00 am	Horizon 2020 – Open to the world & opportunities for participation in Horizon 2020 calls, followed by Questions & answers session. This session covers an introduction on Horizon 2020 and the identification of suitable open and upcoming calls – the new work programme 2018-2020 – and the benefits of participation for researchers from Pakistan and the South East Asian region Presenter: George Panagopoulos
12:00 – 012:10 pm	Group Photo
12:10 – 01:00 pm	Lunch break
01:00– 2:00pm	Training session: Sources of information on Horizon 2020 and other R&I programmes & Networking, followed by Questions & answers session. This session covers the introduction to the Participant Portal and getting to know the different documents that are needed for

application and other sources of information and consultancy. Additionally this session will cover how to build a consortium and how to find partners.

Presenter: George Panagopoulos

02:00 – 03:00 pm

Training session: Proposal preparation and submission I, followed by Questions & answers session.

This session includes all details on how to decode a call text, how to prepare and submit a competitive proposal, and how to avoid common pitfalls.

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03:00 – 03:30 pm

Coffee Break

Testimonials (followed by Questions & answers session)

03:30 – 03:45 pm

Dr. Syed Habib Bukhari – Biosciences Department- COMSATS

Project: MeTABLE–Advanced Bioinformatics for Genome and Metagenome and Discovery of Novel Biocatalist from Extremophiles: Implications for Improving Industrial Processes

03:45 – 04:00 pm

Dr. Aminah Khan – The Initiatives

Project: “Tobacco cessation within TB programmes: A ‘real world’ solution for countries with dual burden of disease”.

04:00 – 04:30 pm

Final discussion, wrap up by George Panagopoulos

04:30 – 04:45 pm

Closing Remarks by Dr. S. M. Junaid Zaidi, Executive Director COMSATS