



3 May 2023 (Day 1)
(All times in CEST)

Black Sea CONNECT General Assembly
Renaissance Brussels Hotel, Brussels & Hybrid¹

12:00 – 18:00

Meeting Room: Ballroom 2

(ALL)

- 12:00 – 13:00** **Lunch & Networking**
- 13:00 – 14:00** **Welcome and General Overview of CSA Achievements**
Barış Salihoğlu & Mustafa Yücel, METU
Wendy Bonne, DG RTD
Gonzalo Garcia-De-Arboleya, REA
- Interactive discussion on the next steps of the Black Sea SRIA Implementation Plan*
- 14:00 – 14:30** **WP2 Presentation and discussion (15 min presentation & 15 min Q&A)**
Nina Dzhembekova, IO-BAS
- 14:30 – 15:00** **WP3 Presentation and discussion (15 min presentation & 15 min Q&A)**
Adrian Stanica, GEOECOMAR
- 15:00 – 15:30** **Coffee Break**
- 15:30 – 16:00** **WP4 Presentation and discussion (15 min presentation & 15 min Q&A)**
Ezgi Şahin, METU
- 16:00 – 16:30** **WP1 Presentation and discussion (15 min presentation & 15 min Q&A)**
Pinar Uygurer, METU
- 16:30 – 17:00** **Next steps for final Reporting**
Pinar Uygurer, METU
- 17:00 – 18:00** **Final remarks**
Wendy Bonne, DG RTD
Gonzalo Garcia-De-Arboleya, REA
Barış Salihoğlu & Mustafa Yücel, METU

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4 May 2023 (Day 2)
(All times in CEST)

Operational Network of Funders Meeting
[Renaissance Brussels Hotel, Brussels & Hybrid²](#)

10:00 – 12:00

Meeting Room: Lisbon

(Only for ONF Members and Steering Committee)

09:30 – 10:00 Registration

10:00 – 10:10 Welcome

10:10 - 10:30 Update on EC initiatives (EC)

➤ Potential additional questions/comments (ALL)

10:30 - 11:30 Next Steps and way forward SRIA Implementation Beyond Black Sea
CONNECT CSA

➤ Tour de table (ALL)

11:30 – 12:00 A.O.B

12:00 End of meeting

12:00 – 13:00 Working Lunch

Launch of the Black Sea SRIA Implementation Plan
What is next for the Black Sea research and innovation cooperation?

13:15 – 16:00

[European Parliament](#), Brussels

Meeting Room: Room A3E-2

(ALL)

13:15 - 14:00 **Registration**

Details of the Programme TBC

15:50 - 16:00 **Closing of the event**

Reception

[Renaissance Brussels Hotel, Brussels](#)

16:30 – 20:00

Meeting Room: Lisbon+Madrid

(ALL)

16:30 - 20:00 **Reception hosted by METU IMS**

² Operational Network of Funders Meeting

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Practical Details for 3-4 May 2023

1. Renaissance Brussels Hotel

Rue du Parnasse 19, 1050 Bruxelles, Belgium

General Assembly on 3 May and Operational Network of Funders meeting (For SC Members only)
Reception on 4 May 2023 will take place in this hotel.

FLOOR PLAN





2. [European Parliament](#)

Rue Wiertz 60, 1047 Bruxelles, Belgium

The launch event will take place in the European Parliament. We will need to be in front of the EP entrance from Place du Luxembourg – Simone Veil at **13:15 CEST** as accessing the building takes time.

Please remember to bring your identification with you that used for registering the EP event. (There are 2 forms to be completed, one pre-registration and one asking for your ID details to ensure your access to the building).

