



Horizon 2020 PSF: Expert Panel for the MLE in National Strategies and Roadmaps for International Cooperation in Research and Innovation



Gunnel Gustafsson (Chair)

Gunnel Gustafsson is professor emerita of political science at Umeå University in Sweden where she has also served as Pro-Vice Chancellor. Between 2005 and 2010 she was Deputy director general of the Swedish Research Council. During the Swedish Presidency of the European Union (spring 2009), she was the leader of a team responsible for the work which led to the Lund Declaration. After that she served as Director of NordForsk for eight years. NordForsk is an organization under the Nordic Council of Ministers, located in Oslo Norway, with the mandate to strengthen research and research infrastructure cooperation in the nordic region. She is a member of Academia Europaea and has broad experience regarding evaluation of research, including strategic cooperation between universities and across national, disciplinary and other borders.

Klaus Schuch (Rapporteur)

Klaus Schuch is expert on techno-globalisation, research and innovation policies, and evaluation in research and technology policy. He is currently scientific director and senior scientist at ZSI (Centre for Social Innovation), Austria. He has earned a PhD from the University of Vienna.

Klaus is and was engaged in a large number of national and international projects, many of which dealing with global challenges and international STI cooperation. He has published more than 50 papers and reports. In 2007 he was scientific expert of the CREST Working Group on internationalisation in science and technology and in 2012 he was member of the external expert group of the European Commission, DG Research and Innovation to advise on the new European RTI-internationalisation strategy. Klaus is also member of the Commission for Development Research at the Austrian Agency for International Cooperation in Education and Research (former Commission of the Austrian Academy of Sciences) and advisor to several Austrian agencies and ministries dealing with development cooperation, research, innovation and technology.

From 2006 to 2016 Klaus lectured at the Department of Development Studies at the University of Vienna (topics: "monitoring and evaluation" and "techno-globalisation"). From 2013 to 2016 he lectured "measuring innovation" at the Danube University Krems (Master for Social Innovation). In 2017 he was lecturing "evaluation" at the FH Campus Wien University of Applied Sciences. Previously he was teaching at the Vienna University of Economics and Business and at the University Linz. He is lecturer in several international summer schools and teaches 'evaluation' and 'research and innovation policies' in the postgraduate SOQUA-course addressing young social scientists.





Patries Boekholt (Expert)

Research and innovation policy have been at the heart of Patries Boekholt's work for over 25 years, at the interface of public research organisations, the private sector and government. Her consultancy activities include policy studies, policy design, strategy advice and evaluations. She is particularly interested in multi-governance research and innovation policy and the interaction between global, European, national and regional stakeholders. Her experience spans three decades, working with policy makers, research managers and innovation practitioners in various contexts ranging from 'high-tech' to emerging countries.

Patries founded Innovation Policy Matters in December 2017. From 2008 until December 2017 she was the Managing Director of the Technopolis Group (TG).

Before joining the Technopolis Group in 1996, Patries Boekholt worked at the TNO Centre for Technology and Policy Studies in The Netherlands (1989 until 1996). While working at TNO she completed her PhD on European science and technology policy at Aston Business School (UK) in 1995. She has an MA in Political Science from the Radboud University in Nijmegen (NL).

Totti Könnölä (Expert)

Dr. Totti Könnölä is the Managing Director of Insight Foresight Institute and an experienced executive, advisor and speaker in the realm of innovation, entrepreneurship and digitalisation to transform society towards sustainable pathways. He has coordinated many strategic foresight, appraisal, evaluation and decision-making processes together with industry management, research directors, policy-makers and other stakeholders.

He has attained experience in Europe and the Americas in the areas of management, research and policy advice especially in: i) the JRC-IPTS of the European Commission and the European Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT), ii) research and technology organisations and universities like IE Business School, Politechnical University of Madrid (UPM), VTT Technical Research Centre of Finland, Helsinki University of Technology, Aalto University, Comillas Pontifical University (ICAI) and ESERP Business School and iii) venture caps, consultancies and industries like eGauss Business Holding I+T, Insight Foresight Institute, Impetu Solutions, Gaia Group and Stora Enso.

He is an international advisor and board professional experienced in innovation practice, foresight methodologies and digital platforms for private sector, governments, European Commission and international organisations.

Könnölä is associate professor in business and engineering schools (UPM, ESERP, UNIR, etc.) and an accredited public university professor by the Ministry of Education of Spain. He holds Dr.Tech and Lic.Tech in Systems Analysis from Helsinki University of Technology and MSc in Environmental Economics from Helsinki University. He has also attended in Executive Education on Science and Innovation Policy Evaluation in the University of Manchester (MIoIR).

