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DIRECTORATE-GENERAL FOR RESEARCH & INNOVATION

Directorate A - Policy development and Coordination
A.4 - Analysis and monitoring of national research policies

**Mutual Learning Exercise on
National Practices on Widening Participation and Strengthening Synergies**

under the Horizon 2020 Policy Support Facility

**Approval of Final Report and Planning Meeting for a High-Level Discussion of Future
Options for Widening and Synergies**

Draft Final Agenda

11 September 2017, from 11h00 – 16h30
DG Research and Innovation, Square Frère Orbán 8, Room 04/A066
Brussels B - 1000

- 11:00 – 11:05** **Welcome from the Chair and Tour de Table**
Gonzalo Leon, Chair
- 11:05 – 11:20** **Welcome and Updates from the European Commission**
Magda Carli, Head of Unit B5 "Spreading Excellence and Widening Participation"
Marta Truco, Unit A4 "Analysis and monitoring of national research programmes"
- 11:25 - 11:25** **Roundtable Discussion of the Main Messages to Emerge from the
MLE for Future Policy and Practice**
- 12:25 - 12:30** **Formal Approval of the Draft Final Report**
- 12:30 – 13:00** **Outline of the Aims and Structure of the Proposed High-Level
Discussion**
Magda Carli, EC
Marta Truco, EC
- 13.00 – 14.00** **Lunch**
- 14:00 – 15:30** **Roundtable Discussion of Potential Topics and Speakers at the High-
Level Discussion**

- 15:30 – 16:00** **Discussion of Logistics concerning the High-Level Discussion (timing, venue, audience etc.)**
- 16:00 – 16:30** **Next Steps**
Gonzalo Leon, Chair
- 16:30** **Close of Meeting**

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