Informal videoconference of the members of the GPC

Monday 25 May 2020

from 10.30 to 13.00 (Brussels time)

Agenda

1. Welcome by the Chair (5')

2. Presentation of priorities of the upcoming German Presidency (*tbc*) (10')

The upcoming German Presidency will present a brief overview of the priorities in R&I during its term in the second half of 2020.

3. Follow-up to the Final report on openness/transparency (30')

The <u>Report by the GPC task force on Openness and transparency of networks</u> was endorsed by the GPC on 18 March 2020, and forwarded to ERAC. The GPC Vice-Chair, who led the task force, will elaborate on the follow-up to the Report.

4. Continuation of the work on impact of Joint Programming (30')

The Chair will present the state of play of the work on the impact of JP at national level, following the presentation made at the last GPC plenary of 10 December 2019 of the preliminary findings of the survey on JP at national level (document WK 14146/2019).

5. Monitoring of the ERA Priority 2a (20')

The Vice-Chair will update on the state of play of the ongoing exercise for the monitoring of Priority 2a.

6. Recent developments within other ERA-related groups (10')

The Chair will debrief on the outcome of the last ERAC Steering Board meeting of 29 April and preparations for the informal ERAC meeting planned on 4 June 2020.

7. Update on the preparation of European Partnerships and the transitional Forum for Partnerships (30')

The Commission will give an update on the current status of preparation and next steps on European Partnerships, and will inform delegation on the ongoing work of the transitional Forum for Partnerships.

8. Chairmanship of the GPC (15')

Following the message sent by the Chair, on 7 May 2020, to the GPC delegations announcing that he will have to step down from his post as Chair of the GPC, the GPC members will be invited to consider the current Vice-Chair of the GPC, to ensure the chairmanship as Acting Chair of the GPC until the end of 2020.

9. Any Other Business
