BY-COVID impact event -
Open science for pandemic preparedness

Date: 6 December 2023 | Venue: The Hotel, Brussels, Belgium

Time	Agenda
9:30-10:00	Registration
10:00-11:00	**Welcome to the event** ● Andy Smith | Head of External Relations, ELIXIR **Introduction to BY-COVID project** ● Niklas Blomberg | Director, ELIXIR & BY-COVID coordinator **Keynote talk** ● Kostas Repanas | Open Science Unit, DG RTD, European Commission
11:00-12:00	**Panel discussion: Open science for effective policy-making** Moderator: Corinne Martin | BY-COVID Work Package 6 Co-lead ● Kostas Repanas | Open Science Unit, DG RTD, European Commission ● Frederic Sgard | OECD ● TBC
12:00-13:00	Lunch break
13:00-13:30	**Keynote talk** Wolfgang Phillip | Deputy Head, Health Emergency Preparedness Authority (HERA)
13:30-14:30	**Open science for innovation and industry** Chair: Despoina Sousoni | BY-COVID Work Package 7 Co-lead ● Katharina Lauer | Airfinity ● Cédric Mahé | Foundation for Influenza Epidemiology ● Ruben Soares | APLEX Bio
14:30-15:00	Coffee break
15:00-16:00	**Panel discussion: The promises and challenges of open data in research** Moderator: Elaine Harrison | BY-COVID Work Package 7 Co-lead ● Guy Cochrane | European COVID-19 Data Platform ● Aitana Neves | Swiss Institute of Bioinformatics ● Phil Gribbon | Fraunhofer Institute of Translational Medicine and Pharmacology ● Jonathan Ewbank | ERINHA
16:00-16:10	Wrap up of the day ● Andy Smith | Head of External Relations, ELIXIR
16:10-17:00	Networking