

Intensive School for Scientific Communication

Program

(time zone of the program is "Rome UTC + 1")

15/11/21 - Day 1

3:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Welcome and Introduction

From communication to cognition: the impact on decision making

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Prof. Dominique Brossard - University of Wisconsin- Madison

"The science of science communication"

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Prof. Sergio Della Sala - University of Edinburgh

"The banana skin of scientific evidence"

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Prof. Patrick Haggard - University College London

"Making decisions: some problems for brains and for societies"

7:00 pm - 7:45 pm

Q&A - Moderator: Prof: Gabriella Bottini - University of Pavia

16/11/21 - Day 2

The role of institutions in fostering science and democracy

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Dr. Vitalba Crivello- European Science - Media Hub, STOA, Ahead of DG
EPRS

*"The European Science - Media Hub: Communicating knowledge-based
science"*

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Prof. Stephan Lewandowsky - University of Bristol

"Public's understanding of science and antiscientific beliefs"

6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Q&A - Moderator: Prof. Daniela Ovadia - University of Pavia

17/11/21 - Day 3

Infodemics: The role of machine learning and AI to track the information spread

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Dr. Manuel Ottaviano - Universidad Politecnica de Madrid

"Understanding human factors and digital technologies. Towards a new concept of trust in digital media services and AI"

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Prof. Niels Peek - University of Manchester

6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Q&A - Moderator: Prof. Silvana Quaglini - University of Pavia

18/11/21 - Day 4

Fostering scientific citizenship: the role of scientists and the role of journalists

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Dr. Roberta Villa - Science Journalist

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Prof. Alexandra Borissova - ITMO University

“Citizen science: getting help. Engaging and building a better future”

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Dr. Angela Simone - Fondazione Bassetti

“Responsible governance of science and innovation through policy co-design with citizens”

7:00 pm - 7:45 pm

Q&A - Moderator: Prof. Daniela Ovadia - University of Pavia

19/11/21 - Day 5

Science communication and risk perception from journalism to policy

4:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Prof. Deborah Blum - Massachusetts Institute of Technology

“Ten lessons about risk-reporting from the Covid-19 pandemic”

5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Prof. Amedeo Santosuosso - University of Pavia; Prof. Oliver Goodenough - Vermont Law School

6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

Q&A - Moderator: Dr. Fabio Turone - Center for Ethics in science and journalism