

A decade of innovation

SYMPOSIUM 2023

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ANNIVERSARY
OF CERFA



FRIDAY

22nd September

18:00 OPENING CEREMONY

Mr Ricardo Martínez Vázquez, Spanish ambassador in Germany
Mr Guillermo Pérez-Hernández, CERFA president
Mr Raimundo Pérez-Hernández y Torra, director of Ramon Areces foundation. Video intervention
Mrs Imma Aguilar, general director of FECYT. Video intervention

18:20 INTERVIEW & DISCUSSION MODERATED BY CERFA

Dr Belén Garijo, chair of the Executive Board and CEO of Merck

19:30 WELCOME DRINKS AMBASSADOR

SATURDAY

23rd September

08:30 REGISTRATIONS

09:00 WELCOME

Dr Guillermo Pérez Hernández, CERFA president
Mr Juan Manuel Vilaplana, former councillor for cultural and scientific affairs of the Embassy of Spain in Germany

09:10 FEICYT SPANISH FOUNDATION FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

Moderated by CERFA member Dr Celia Escudero Hernández

09:25 HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Discussion table Moderated by CERFA member Mireia Paulo Noguera
Miquel Salvadó Gracia, Alliance for Research on East Asia (AREA) Ruhr, University of Duisburg-Essen
Dr Izaskun Zuazu-Bermejo, Institute for Socio-Economics, University of Duisburg-Essen
Vicent Plana Aranda, Institute of East Asian Studies, University of Duisburg-Essen

Miguel Rodríguez Andreu, balkan studies, Institute IGADI, Spain
Dr Begoña Gonzalez Otero, Max Planck Institute for Innovation and Competition, Munich

10:35 RED DE ASOCIACIONES DE INVESTIGADORES Y CIENTÍFICOS ESPAÑOLES EN EL EXTERIOR (RAICEX).

Moderated by Dr Celia Escudero Hernández
Prof. Dr Francisco Vilaplana, president

10:50 GALICIAN ECOSYSTEM OF I+D+I and programs for attracting talent.

Moderated by Dr Maite Ogeta Gutierrez
Axencia Galega de Innovación

11:00 COFFEE BREAK and poster session.

Poster jury Dr Adela Calvente, Dr Tania Romacho, Dr Alejandra de Miguel

11:30 NATURAL SCIENCES IN ACADEMIA AND BEYOND

Moderated by CERFA member Dr Gema Martínez Méndez
Prof. Dr Olga García Mancheño, Organisch-Chemisches Institut, WWU Münster. Research path and experience in Germany
Dr Daniel Zapata, Physikalisch - Technische Bundesanstalt, Braunschweig. Environmental radioactivity
Dr Mar Fernández Méndez, Alfred-Wegener-Institute Helmholtz Zentrum für Polar-und Meeresforschung, Bremerhaven. From seaweed to products

12:15 INTERVIEW & DISCUSSION

Moderated by CERFA member Pamela Villar to Prof. Dr Beatriz Roldán Cuenya, director of the interface science department at the Fritz Haber Institute of the Max Planck society

12:45 LUNCH BREAK

14:00 LIFE SCIENCES

Moderated by CERFA members Anna Salameo-Boix and Dr Marta Méndez Couz
Dr Inmaculada Martínez Reyes, Max-Delbrück-Center for Molecular Medicine, Berlin. Metabolic nets in the tumoral microenvironment
Dr Silvia Vega Rubín de Celis, Universitätsklinikum Essen. Autophagy in cancer
Dr Livia de Hoz, Charité Berlin. Statistical learning in the hearing system
Prof. Dr Carlos Silvestre Roig, Zentrum für Molekularbiologie der Entzündung, Universität Münster. Neutrophils in chronic inflammatory diseases

15:00 ENGINEERING & AI

Moderated by CERFA members Dr Teresa Rincón Domínguez and Begoña Rojas López
Dr Miguel Molina Romero, CTO and co-founder of Orbem. Entrepreneurship in Germany
Dr Ing. José de Gea Fernández, Yardstick Robotics GmbH, Bremen. Robotics, artificial intelligence
Dr Pablo Lanillos, Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas CSIC Spain. Artificial intelligence and robotics inspired in neurosciences

16:00 COFFEE BREAK and poster session.

Poster jury Dr Adela Calvente, Dr Tania Romacho, Dr Alejandra de Miguel

17:00 INDUSTRY AND MANAGEMENT

Moderated by CERFA members Daniel García Rodríguez and Dr Maite Ogueta Gutierrez
Dr Verónica Torres Barthelemy, Bayer AG, Chemical and pharmaceutical development: from bench to bedside.
Dr Raquel Fiz, BASF SE
Dr Adela Calvente Arroyo, scientific officer at Life Sciences Switzerland LS2 Bern, Schweiz

18:00 CLOSING ROUND TABLE PERSPECTIVE ON 10 YEARS OF ASSOCIATIONISM

Moderated by Dr Almudena Gómez Román, former CERFA and Dr Alejandra de Miguel Catalina CERFA members

Dr Guillermo Pérez Hernández / Dr Elisa García / Dr Cristina Murcia / Dr José Gámez / Dr Raúl Delgado / Dr Sergio Acebrón / Irene Echeverría Altuna, PhD candidate, president CERU / SRUK / Dr Francisco Vilaplana, president RAICEX

18:45 CLOSING WORDS

Dr Marta Méndez Couz, CERFA vice-president

20:00 SYMPOSIUM DINNER

Upon registration, at own cost in Biergarten, bring pullover!

SUNDAY

24th September

09:00 YEARLY CERFA ASSEMBLY (Only for CERFA Members)

Report of year: activities, delegations, finances
Results photo competition, requests and questions

15:00 GUIDED VISIT TO THE EXHIBITION of drawings by Santiago Ramón in Cajal in the Natural History Museum in Berlin. Intro: Drs. Livia de Hoz and Marta Méndez-Couz CERFA members have preference in case of high demand