

EU Symposium Brussels
23–25 March 2026

Navigating the European Research Council's Funding Schemes

Monday, 23 March 2026

- 08:15 Departure Frankfurt Hbf
- 11:35 Arrival Brüssel Midi
- 12:00 Check-in MotelOne
- 14:00 Introduction and networking
- 14:30 Introduction to EU & the Representative Office of the State of Hesse
Johannes Bade (Head of Unit Research Policy and the Arts)
- 15:30 Overview of EU Research Funding Structure, Collaborative Research Funding
and Policy Background
KoWi (European Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations)
- 19:00 Joint dinner

Tuesday, 24 March 2026

- 10:00 Call and Project Follow-up Coordination
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- 11:15 How EU Institutions use Scientific Expertise
Joint Research Centre (European Commission's Science and Knowledge Service)
- 13:30 Visit to the plenary chamber of the EU Parliament
- 16:00 EU Science Policy Processes
Helga Schmidt (WDR)
- 18:00 Joint dinner

Wednesday, 25 March 2026

- 10:00 Overview of Individual Research Funding
KoWi (European Liaison Office of the German Research Organisations)
- 11:45 Introduction to Goethe University Funding Support Structures
Elsa Müller, Emine Şahingöz, Katharina Welling (Goethe University)
- 12:30 Q&A session and lunch
- 14:25 Departure Brüssel Midi
- 17:40 Arrival Frankfurt am Main



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