**Horizon Europe Info Day Georgia**

**Date/time: 28 May 2021, 13.00 – 17.00 (Tbilisi time)**

**Virtual Event - Preliminary Agenda**

13:00 – 13.30 **Introduction**

* *Representative of the EC*
* *Ms. Maia Shukoshvili, NCP coordinator, Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia (tbc)*
* *Mr. Manfred Spiesberger & Mr. George Bonas, ISF Trainers*

13:30 – 14:15 **Horizon Europe – A general Introduction**

This Session will present the overall structure of Horizon Europe and explain the different funding schemes and participation possibilities.

*Presenters: Manfred Spiesberger & George Bonas\**

14.15 – 14.45 **Clusters and Missions (Pillar2)**
Global Challenges and Industrial Competitiveness. The clusters will be presented as well as the newly added missions (umbrella actions drawing from several clusters and/or other programme parts).

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14:45 – 15:30 ***Virtual Break***

15:30 – 16:15 **Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) & ERC Grants (Pillar 1)**
This Session will highlight different MSCA actions such as Innovative Training Networks (ITN), Individual Fellowships (IF), Research and Innovation Staff Exchanges (RISE) or Co-funding of regional, national and international programmes (COFUND). Moreover, the ERC Grants will be introduced.

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16:15 – 16:45 **Widening Programme**
The Widening Programme aims to assist member states and associated countries with less performing research systems to undertake reforms and to succeed in more Horizon Europe research grants.

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16:45 – 17:00 **Closing Session & Feedback**