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Prospects of PE: Round table with sister projects

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Discussion round 1

Diffusing PE all over H2020

- Which measures can be taken to mainstream PE in all the programmes of Horizon 2020, avoiding at the same time that PE loses relevance and momentum?
- How to use EC research funds for diffusing and consolidating PE practices in STEMs? How can they be used for favouring a change in the professional culture of European scientists?

Embedding PE in research institutions

- Is the institutional embedment of PE in research organisations a feasible, useful and desirable policy objective to pursue? In case, which strategies and tools may be adopted ?
- How to favour an appropriate use of PE in decision-making processes, avoiding the adoption of ideological or tokenistic approaches?
- Similarly, how to favour an appropriate application of PE in the research process in a way that can be really supportive for researchers and research institutions?

Discussion round 2

Promoting scientific citizenship

- Is the diffusion of PE within the society and the development of a scientific citizenship something realistic and useful? To what extent and under which circumstances a routinary engagement of the public and stakeholders in decision-making and the research process is desirable and effective?
- Which strategies or tools may be devised for creating more permanent places, procedures and mechanisms allowing stakeholders and the public to get engaged with science and technology? Are there examples and cases which can be inspirational?
- Which role may be played by the different actors (e.g., research organisations, government, media, European institutions, NGOs, industries, etc.) to favour a stable participation of the public in science and technology?

**Thank you for your
attention!**

