

Canada-Europe Partnership Forum

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Time	Activity
07:30	Registration and Networking Breakfast
08:30 – 08:40	Welcoming Remarks
08:40 – 09:15	Keynote Setting the Stage for Canada and Europe Keynote speakers will address the current political, social, and economic drivers behind the imperative and opportunities for enhanced higher education collaboration between Canada and Europe.
09:15 – 10:30	Session 1 European Perspectives on Partnerships with Canada This moderated panel discussion will offer perspectives from European academic and government agencies on the opportunities for deeper, multi-sectoral Canada-EU engagement in higher education. Contributors will provide, from a European vantage point, reflections on the alignment between Canadian and European priorities and strengths in research, applied research, education and training.
10:30 – 11:00	Networking Health Break
11:00 – 12:00	Session 2 Strategic Considerations for Canada (Part A - International research collaboration) This moderated panel discussion will focus on strategic considerations for Canada to innovatively position and organize research endeavours that address global issues and enhance impact through international collaboration. Special attention will be given to strategic positioning considerations for Canadian institutions wishing to deepen engagement through Horizon Europe.
12:00 – 13:00	Session 2 Strategic Considerations for Canada (Part B - Applied research & industry collaboration) This moderated panel discussion will focus on how applied research and industry collaboration, led by Canadian colleges and institutes, can be uniquely positioned and leveraged with European partners within the Horizon Europe framework. The untapped potential, opportunities and challenges for Canada-Europe applied research collaboration will be explored.
13:00 – 13:45	Networking Buffet Lunch
13:45 – 14:45	Session 3 Horizon Europe: Case Studies This moderated panel discussion will focus on practical lessons learned from academic collaborations and industry partnerships with successfully funded projects through Horizon Europe. Canadian and European institutional partners from the university and college sector will share their experiences and strategies for successfully attracting Horizon Europe funding.
14:45 – 15:00	Networking Health Break
15:00 – 16:15	Session 4 Canada-Europe Partnership Opportunities This final moderated panel discussion will showcase good practices and innovation emerging from Canadian and European institutional partnership models across the university and college sectors. The discussion will highlight recommendations on how best to support student and faculty mobility, joint program development, teaching and learning practice.
16:15 – 16:30	Closing Remarks