



European Regional Meeting of the GRC

HARWELL AND REMOTE

12–13 DECEMBER 2022

HOST AND CO-HOST

UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) and Science Europe (SE).

DATE AND TIME

Monday 12 December (half day with a possibility to join a tour of campus facilities in the afternoon) and Tuesday 13 December (full day).

VENUE

Harwell Campus. The exact address was communicated in the invitation email sent to all European GRC participants. If you can no longer find it, please do not hesitate to contact Mathilde Reumaux (mathilde.reumaux@scienceeurope.org) and Nia Glover (nia.glover@ukri.org).

TARGETED AUDIENCE

Representatives of European GRC participating organisations: Head of Research Councils and programme and international affairs managers.

THEMES

As announced in the 2022 GRC Annual Meeting, the topics for the 2023 GRC Annual Meeting are:

- Innovations in recognising and rewarding researchers
- The responsibilities and opportunities of research funders in addressing climate change

FORMAT

The meeting will take place physically; participants are warmly invited to join the meeting in Harwell. However, remote participation will also be accommodated. Participants who attend the meeting in person will also be invited to join tours of the campus facilities and to a dinner.

Preliminary Programme

DAY 1 – 12 DECEMBER 2022

Time (GMT)	Item
10.00–12.00 (TBC)	Tours of Campus Facilities (Optional) - TBC
12.00–13.00	Lunch Reception
13.00–13.20	Opening and Welcome by the co-hosts
13.20–13.45	GRC Executive Secretary Report
	TOPIC 1: Innovations in recognising and rewarding researchers
13.45–14.00	Presentation of the GRC discussion paper on the topic, and of the approach chosen by the Europe region
14.00–14.30	Keynote speech: Setting the scene and inspiration for the discussion
14.30–15.15	Presentation of case study examples
15.15–15.30	Break
15.30–16.15	Breakout discussions
16.15–16.45	Reporting from the breakout groups and plenary dialogue with participants
16.45	Close Day 1
16.45–17.45	Tours of Campus Facilities (Optional)
18.00–18.15	Depart for Hotel
19.00–22.00	Dinner Reception

DAY 2 – 13 DECEMBER 2022

Time (GMT)	Item
09.00–09.15	Welcome by the hosts and Opening speech by the Chair of the GRC Governing Board
	TOPIC 2: The responsibilities and opportunities of research funders in addressing climate change
09.15–09.30	Presentation of the GRC discussion paper on the topic, and of approach chosen by the Europe region
09.30–10.00	Keynote speech: Setting the scene and inspiration for the discussion
10.00–10.45	Panel discussion
10.45–11.00	Break
11.00–11.45	Breakout discussions
11.45–12.15	Reporting from the breakout groups and plenary dialogue with participants
12.15–12.45	Consolidation of European key messages to feed into GRC 2022 development
12.45–14.00	Lunch
14.00–15.00	Working Group Sessions
15.00–15.30	Multilateral Collaboration Session
15.30–16.00	Closing Remarks
16.00	Close European Regional Meeting 2022