



PERISCOPE Final Conference

Updated Agenda

From Data Science and Socio-Economic Research to Policy and Technology – Learning from COVID-19 to Build Better Health and Care in Europe

8 September 2023 | 09.30 – 19.00 (CET)

CEPS – Place du Congrès 1, Brussels | In-person & Online

09:30 – 10:00 **Reception**

10:00 – 10:05 **Welcome and introduction**

Professor Andrea Renda, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for European Policy Studies – Co-Coordinator, PERISCOPE

10:05 – 10:45 **Opening session: what have policymakers in the EU and Member States learnt from the COVID-19 pandemic?**

Maya Matthews, Acting Director of Digital, EU4Health and Health Systems Modernisation (SANTE.C), European Commission, DG SANTE

Professor Steven Van Gucht, Head of Viral Diseases, Sciensano (Belgium)

10:45 – 11:45 **Panel Session 1 – Research on mental health and behavioural science**

Effects of COVID-19 on mental health, Dr Pär Flodin (Karolinska Institute)

Behavioural Research on the COVID-19 Pandemic and Policy Implications to Enhance Preparedness for Future Pandemics, Professor Tim Büthe (TUM, Munich School of Politics and Public Policy)

Q&A

11:45 – 12:00 **Coffee break**

12:15 – 13:15 **Panel Session 2 - Policy learning from data and digital tools**

Building the PERISCOPE Data Atlas: lessons learned, Professor Manuel Ottaviano (Universidad Politécnica de Madrid)

Digital Technologies for public health policy, Professor Marco Brambilla (Politecnico di Milano)





Statistical models to measure the socio-economic impacts and risks of the pandemic, *Professor Paolo Giudici (University of Pavia)*

Q&A

13:15 – 14:30 **Networking Lunch**

14:30 – 15:15 **Panel Session 3 - Public health governance: towards greater resilience at all levels of government?**

How to increase health system resilience? Lessons from across Europe, *Dr Thomas Czypionka (Institute for Advanced Studies Vienna)*

Lessons learned for EU public health governance, *Dr Timothy Yeung (Centre for European Policy Studies)*

Q&A

15:15 – 15:45 **Panel Session 4 - Innovations in pandemic PPR**

Imagining next best practices: a comparison with past best practices and the role of AI, *Professor Roberto Verganti (Stockholm School of Economics)*, *Professor Mattia Bianchi (Stockholm School of Economics)*, and *Riccardo Masiero (Stockholm School of Economics)*

Q&A

15:45 – 16:00 **Coffee break**

16:00 – 17:00 **Discussion Panel - The future of EU public health: The next building blocks for an effective European Health Union**

Moderator: *Michele Calabrò (European Regional and Local Health Authorities)*

Panelists: *Professor George Griffin (Federation of European Academies of Medicines)*, *Claudia Louati (European Patients' Forum)*, *Fatima Awil (Mental Health Europe)*, *Marco Di Donato (European Regional and Local Health Authorities)*

17:00 – 17:10 **Closing Remarks**, *Professor Andrea Renda (Centre for European Policy Studies)*

17:10 – 19:00

Drinks reception

