



Workshop on Research Management

Date : 28th November 2017
Venue : Hotel Galadari, Colombo, Sri Lanka

- 08.30 ~ 09.00 am **Registration of Participants**
- 09.00 ~ 09.10 am **Opening Ceremony**
- Lighting of the traditional oil lamp
 - National Anthem
- 09.10 ~ 09.20 am **Welcome Address & Introduction**
Prof. Sirimali Fernando, Chairperson/NSF
- 09.20 ~ 09.30 am **Address by Dr. B. Mario Pinto**, Chair, GRC Governing Board and President, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC)
- 09.30 ~ 09.40 am **Address by Hon. Susil Premajayantha**
Minister of Science Technology and Research, Sri Lanka
- 09.40 ~ 10.15 am 

Session 1

Co-chaired by Prof. Samantha Hettiarachchi,
Faculty of Engineering, University of Moratuwa &
Mr Michael Bright,

Associate Director -International, Research Councils UK (RCUK), Executive Secretary of GRC

- 10.15 ~ 10.45 am **Concept of funding good scientific research from a Japanese perspective**
Ms Atsuko Nakatsuka, Head, International Policy Planning Division, Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS)
- 10.45 ~ 11.00 am **Discussion**
- 11.00 ~ 11.30 am **How to Cope with Research Misconduct: NSFC's Perspective and Practice**
Dr Feng Feng, National Natural Science Foundation, China (NSFC)
- 11.30 ~ 11.45 am **Discussion**



11.45 ~	12.15	Research Integrity and Research Results Evaluation: RFBR Experience Dr Sharov Alexander Nikolayevich , Russian Foundation for Basic Research
12.15 ~	12.30 pm	Discussion
12.30 ~	01.15 pm	
01.15 ~	01.45 pm	Ethics in Science and Research Management Dr Robert Felstead , Executive Directorate, Research Councils UK
01.45 ~	02.00 pm	Discussion

Session 2

Co-chaired by Prof. M J S Wijeyaratne,
Chairman of the NSF Research Advisory Board &
Dr Prudence Williams,

General Manager, Science System Investment and Performance, Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE)

02.00 ~	02.30 pm	The Importance of Collaborative Research Dr Jörg Schneider , Head of International Affairs, German Research Foundation(DFG),Co-Chair of Executive Support Group of GRC
02.30 ~	02.45 pm	Discussion
02.45 ~	03.15 pm	Managing research collaboration through Networks of Centres of Excellence Dr. B. Mario Pinto , Chair, GRC Governing Board and President, Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC)
03.15 ~	03.30 pm	Discussion
03.30 ~	04.00 pm	Challenges of a young research funding organization Dr Payam Parsizadeh , Head, Office of International Affairs, Iran National Science Foundation, Iran
04.00	04.15 pm	Discussion



- 04.15 04.45 pm **Panel Discussion on Identification of priority areas of interest**
Moderated by **Dr Jörg Schneider**, Head of International Affairs,
German Research Foundation (DFG), Co-Chair of Executive Support
Group of GRC
- 04.45 ~ 05.00 pm **Vote of Thanks**
Dr. Jayantha Wattewidanage, Acting Director General, NSF

- TEA AND END OF THE WORKSHOP -

