



Invitation

Opening of EUSCEA 2WAYS Science Festival
Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences · 29 November · 19:30–21:30

Plenary session of the first Young Europeans Science Parliament
European Parliament · 1 December · 10:00–17:00

Final Ceremony and Reception
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2WAYS is a groundbreaking science communication project to increase the dialogue and public knowledge regarding European life science research.

EUSCEA 2WAYS SCIENCE FESTIVAL Teams of events and research institutions have created 17 presentations of European life science research projects. More than 60 universities, research centres and science event organisers have participated.

YOUNG EUROPEANS SCIENCE PARLIAMENT Science parliaments for young students have been organised in 29 cities around Europe. From each parliament, two students have been elected to come to the first Young Europeans Science Parliament in Brussels, to discuss the use of stem cells, access to genetic information and personalised medicine

IMPACT STUDY 6,500 visitors to science events have answered an impact study survey, partly based on the same questions as the Eurobarometer.

BRUSSELS is the logical venue of the final event and activities. The project is funded by the European Union, most of the research projects too. The Young Europeans Science Parliament's resolutions will be handed over to the European Parliament.

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The 2WAYS project, funded by the European Union under FP7, has successfully created 17 new and interactive life science presentations, organised 29 local Science Parliaments, and carried out an extensive impact study – all of which designed to increase dialogue and two-ways communication between scientists, the public and other stakeholders.

It is a privilege and our great pleasure to invite you to the 2WAYS Final Event:

- Opening of the Presentations Exhibition
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- Plenary session of the Young Europeans Science Parliament
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We look forward to welcoming you in Brussels!

Best regards



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R.S.V.P. at www.twoways.eu/finalevent or by mail to office@euscea.org before 25 November

EUSCEA, European Science Events Association, represents a hundred science festivals and other science events, science centres, museums and universities all over Europe.

STOA, Science and Technology Options Assessment, an official body of the European Parliament, carries out expert, independent assessments of the impact of new technologies and identifies long-term, strategic policy options useful to the Parliament's committees in their policy-making role.

The Royal Belgian Institute of Natural Sciences carries out research, especially within evolution, diversity and ecosystems. The museum is its key instrument for dissemination of scientific knowledge.

The European Commission, through the Science in Society part of the Seventh Framework Programme, promotes a better understanding of the role of science in modern societies and stimulates a public debate about research related issues.



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