## Info day

## Marie Sklodovska- Curie Research and Innovation Staff Exchange (MCSA –RISE) Program and best practices

Riga, Academic Centre for Natural Sciences, University of Latvia, 1 Jelgavas street Nature Building, July 5, Room 335

9.30-10.00	Registration and coffee
10.00-10.30	Amanda-Jane OZIN-HOFSAESS EU Research Programme
	Administrator at European Commission -
	RISE projects, RISE Legal and Financial issues
10.30-10.50	Dr. Maksym Pogorielov National contact point Ukraine
	Ukraine best practices in RISE projects
10.50-11.30	Presentations of SME participants:
10.00 11.00	Dr. <b>Oleksiy Gogotsi</b> Senior researcher, MRC
	MRC has been specializing in the research and development of porous
	carbonaceous nanomaterials. Additionally, the company has been engaged
	in the research into the properties and applications of nano powders of
	transition metal oxides for solar panels and self-cleaning surfaces.
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	Anna Trzcionka-Szajna Osteoplant, Poland
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	Dr. Stefano Linari Senior researcher, Linari engineering
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	Dr. Simona Sbardelatti Researcher, Democenter-Sipe
	Democenter-Sipe is a foundation that brings together institutions, trade
	associations, banking foundations and more than 60 companies in the
	territory. TPM belongs to the biomedical division of Democenter together
	with the TPM CUBE incubator
11.35-11.50	Dr. Roman Viter
11.33-11.30	Best practices of University of Latvia in RISE projects
11.50-12.15	Other opportunities for cooperation:
11.30-12.13	Prof. <b>Pasquale Del Gaudio</b> Vice-Chair of Advanced Engineering and
	Research of aeroGels for Environment and Life Sciences COST Action.
	Science Communications Manager.
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	AEROGELS COST Action intends to bring together the knowledge on
	research and technology of aerogels at the European level from academia,
	industry and regulatory experts. Aerogels are a special class of
	mesoporous materials with very high porosity and tunable
	physicochemical properties.
12.15-13.00	Matchmaking, discussions, coffee
12.13-13.00	and after - excursion to Science Building
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