



CONFERENCE: *'Unlocking the Potential of Working in Partnership for Innovation'*

27 September – 1 October 2021

Join the LIAISON team in wrapping up our project's activities and presenting our key findings, insights and take-ways – with a specific focus on the **practical aspects** of optimising interactive innovation and the potential of working in partnership for co-creation.

Our VIRTUAL conference is organised with a flexible format of 9 diverse sessions that will run from Monday afternoon (27th September) until Friday morning (1st October).

The programme is below – please register your name and email address [HERE](#) and indicate what sessions you would like to join.

We look forward to seeing you online. We will circulate more details and the necessary links to all registered participants.

Day / Date	Time (CET)	Session
Monday, 27 September	14:00 – 15:00	Ice-breaker – Liaise with LIAISON! Meet the LIAISON partners online
	15:00 – 16:00	Opening Session: Overview of the LIAISON Journey Engaging overview of the project's journey showcasing key processes, memorable highlights and outputs
Tuesday, 28 September	10:00 – 12:00	Digging deeper into the LIAISON Case Studies An interactive live panel chat from Flanders about the key findings from the LIAISON case study work
	14:00 – 16:00	Co-learning from our Own Experiences Our own practical lessons from working in partnership in a Horizon 2020 multi-actor project
Wednesday, 29 September	10:00 – 12:00	Online inquiry through story-telling: an innovative way to validate our findings Introduction to LIAISON's use of an online inquiry tool for validating our project findings
	14:00 – 15:00	The challenge of integrating evaluation into the co-creation process Overview of our Impact Assessment Handbook and the 37 'practice-ready' evaluation and impact assessment tools it contains

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Wednesday, 29 September	15:00 – 16:00	Joint webinar with FAO on Monitoring and Evaluation for Learning (MEL) An exchange of experiences on Monitoring & Evaluation for Learning in the context of international agricultural innovation development projects
Thursday, 30 September	10:00 – 12:00	Introducing the LIAISON 'How to Guides' Showcasing our new 'How to Guides' for innovation practitioners, with the opportunity for feedback on their usability and relevance
	14:00 – 16:00	WORKSHOP: Identifying and Curing the Symptoms of an 'Unhealthy' Partnership for Co-innovation Practical discussion and sharing of experience about the soft skills needed to keep partnerships for innovation on the right track
Friday, 1 October	10:00 – 12:00	Closing Plenary: Unlocking the potential of working in partnership for innovation Lively closing discussion with short keynote presentations and responses from members of the LIAISON team



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