



Agenda

RI-PATHS workshop on RI impact assessment

Date	25 June 2019
Time	14:30 – 17:30
Location	Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation , Av. de Berna, 45A, 1067-001 Lisbon https://gulbenkian.pt/en/the-foundation/accessibility/
Hosted by	ESF
Key objective	Address issues related to the definition of impact pathways and the practical implementation of a socio-economic impact assessment.

Tuesday, 25 June 2019	
Start / Finish	Agenda item
14:30 - 15:00	Introduction: Current Approaches to Impact Assessment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Overview of current RI impact assessment initiatives (Speaker TBC)</i> <i>A perspective from the OECD working group on socio-economic impact of research infrastructures (OECD TBD)</i> <i>Outline of discussion topics</i>
15:00 - 15:45	Discussion in break-out groups <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Commonalities and differences in impact assessment needs: is there a common denominator for all RIs? Impact assessment and resources: what does it take to run an IA exercise in a large-mid-small-scale RI? Use of indicators and KPIs in the context of Open Science: what should/can be public information?
15:45 - 16:15	Coffee Break
16:15 - 17:30	Open discussion and wrap-up
18:00	Networking reception (TBC)



Background information to participants

WHAT: The [RI-PATHS project](#) (Research Infrastructure Impact Assessment Pathways) aims to develop comprehensive metrics for research infrastructures' socio-economic impact and related financial investments. The project outcomes are expected to give policy makers, funders and RI managers the tools to assess RI impact on the economy and contribution to society.

WHY: Taking the opportunity of the RI community gathering for the MERIL-2 final event, we would like to invite interested participants to join a session that will further address issues related to the definition of impact pathways and the practical implementation of a socio-economic impact assessment.

WHO: We welcome the participation of all interested stakeholders, and especially invite representatives from smaller or non-flagship RIs, as well as those from a broad spectrum of countries and scientific domains, to share their perspective.

HOW: We will pre-circulate any reading material and guiding questions about one month prior and would encourage participants to provide their input before the meeting.

<https://ri-paths.eu/events/workshop-on-ri-impact-assessment/>