

**GRANT AGREEMENT
NUMBER – 778398 – CatChain
H2020-MSCA-RISE-2017**

**Catching–Up along the Global Value Chain: Models, Determinants and Policy
Implications in the Era of the Fourth Industrial Revolution**

**Mid Term Meeting
Bocconi University, Milan (Italy)
21st – 22nd October 2019
Grafton Building - 4th Floor - Room C4-SR02**

21st October 2019

13.30 – 14.00 Registration

14.00 – 14.15 Coordinator Welcome address (Prof. Franco Malerba)

14.15– 14.30 Round the table Introduction

14.30 – 15.00 Coordinator’s Report – General status of the project and the WP implementation

- Short presentation of the main research objectives of the network
- Presentation of the scientific progress based on the Annex I of the Grant agreement
- Deviations from the initial work plan
- Scientific breakthrough and success achieved

15.00 – 15.30 Coordinator’s Report – Training, Transfer of Knowledge & Networking

- Secondment implementation vs Gantt chart planning
- Secondments - new knowledge acquisition, training activities, new soft skills acquisition and career development opportunities
- Built-in return mechanism for knowledge sharing and long-term collaboration
- Events organised within the network and beyond

15.30 – 15.45 Coffee break

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15.45 – 16.15 Coordinator’s Report – Management

- Financial aspects
- Proposed re-orientations of the networks' activities
- Open access obligation for publications
- Ethics
- Issues related to the management and the implementation of the project

16.15 – 16.45 Coordinator’s Report – Impact

- Dissemination of results and publications
- Communication activities to reach the general public

16.45 – 17.00 Q&A and Conclusions 1st day

22nd October 2019

10.00 – 11.00 Meeting between seconded staff members and the REA Representative

11.00 – 11.15 Coffee break

11.15 – 12.15 Open discussion

12.15 – 12.30 Conclusions

12.30 Lunch

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