

# ALLEA General Assembly Madrid

## 16 – 18 April 2008

Host: *Instituto d'España*

Venue: Instituto d'España / Institute of Spain,  
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### PROGRAMME

#### *Wednesday, 16 April 2008*

20.00 - 21.30 Welcome Reception/Bufferet

#### *Thursday, 17 April 2008*

09.00 Registration / Coffee

##### **Opening Session**

Chair: *Jüri Engelbrecht*

09.30 Words of Welcome

- H.M. Queen Sofia of Spain
- Salustiano del Campo, President of Institute of Spain
- Janez Potočnik, EC Commissioner for Research, Technology and Development (RTD), video message
- Jüri Engelbrecht, ALLEA President: Presidential address

10.30 Coffee break

##### **First Academic Session: History, Culture and Environment**

11.00 Chair: *Salustiano del Campo*

- Pedro Schwartz
- Antonio García Bellido

13.00 Lunch

##### **Second Academic Session: ALLEA and the European Research Area**

14.30 Chair: *Jüri Engelbrecht*

- Reidun Sirevag
- Uwe Sleytr

16.00 Tea break

**Third Academic Session: The Contribution of Humanities and Social Sciences to the ERA**

16.30 Chair: *Nicholas Mann*  
- Margit Sutrop  
- Gretty Mirdal  
- Albrecht Riethmüller

18.00 Closure

Dinner

***Friday 18 April 2008***

**Fourth Academic Session: The Research Potential of Senior Scholars & Scientists**

09.30 Chair: *Johannes Schroots*  
- Henk Becker

10.15 Coffee break

**10.45 Reports from Standing Committees**

Chair: *Jüri Engelbrecht*  
- Roger Elliott, Intellectual Property Rights,  
- Pieter Drenth, Science & Ethics

**11.30 Business Meeting**

Chair: *Jüri Engelbrecht*

**13.15 Closure**

13.30 Lunch

*Museum Excursion: Prado*

***Saturday 19 April 2008***

*City Excursion Toledo (full day, including lunch)*