PEROSH strategy
2019-2023

Research cooperation to promote a healthy, productive and innovative workforce
Our mission
PEROSH creates and exchanges new knowledge and practice on occupational safety and health (OSH) and makes it accessible to policy makers, workplaces and other stakeholders in Europe.

Our vision
Policy makers, workplaces and other stakeholders across Europe are inspired by and use knowledge generated by PEROSH in their efforts to develop innovative and sustainable workplaces which are healthy and safe. PEROSH seeks impact and adds value through the exchange of knowledge and good practices across Europe to the benefit of all.

Our activities
We fulfil our mission and vision through the following activities:
• We pool resources and create new knowledge through joint activities.
• We disseminate, share and exchange knowledge on OSH issues between members and within Europe to all relevant stakeholders.
• We provide the evidence base that informs and underpins decisions by national and European policymakers on healthy and safe working lives
• We identify new research challenges in the field of OSH.

Our ambitions

PEROSH core
• The PEROSH joint research program. International cooperation in PEROSH adds value to achieving national research goals. PEROSH will steadily grow the PEROSH joint research programme. This programme will be continuously strengthened through new initiatives responding to current and emerging challenges, focusing on research topics, methods, monitoring, dissemination and impact. PEROSH members also aspire to use European funding opportunities to support our scientific cooperation, including through the EU as well as national funds.

• PEROSH Research conferences
PEROSH will organise a research conference series that brings together upcoming and senior researchers from its members. The conference will focus on exchange of knowledge, methods and results on selected key topics. The aim of these conferences will be to: promote knowledge exchange and networking within PEROSH; give our upcoming researchers an opportunity to develop and learn from both their peers and our international experts; and promote future PEROSH joint research projects.
• PERO SH Researcher Exchange Programme
  In order to promote intensive collaboration between the PERO SH institutes, we will further strengthen the PERO SH Researcher Exchange Programme. The aim is to enable and promote scientific networking and cooperation between researchers at different PERO SH institutes.

PEROSH outreach
• Outreach and visibility of PERO SH to European stakeholders
  PERO SH will take initiatives to reach out and contact on a regular base stakeholders in Europe. The ambition is to further raise the profile of our robust scientific evidence and foresight activities on important OSH issues in Europe.

• Visibility of PERO SH at the National level
  Each member will provide knowledge and experience to PERO SH and take home to its own national level the enriched knowledge produced by this partnership. The enrichment will be based on information from joint trend analyses, joint research projects and information sharing events, and joint identification of key research needs. All members have their specific national dissemination channels and will use these effectively.

• PERO SH in Europe
  PERO SH was founded because workplace challenges in a globalised world transcend national borders. Sharing of knowledge and joint research activities by PERO SH members realises significant benefits. Therefore, research institutes in other European countries will actively be offered membership if they have a national role and are willing to commit to our mission, vision, activities and ambitions.

• PERO SH in the world
  PERO SH is willing to share its knowledge, good practice and lessons-learned with similar OSH research organisations and networks across the globe. PERO SH maintains contacts with global players in the world of OSH research.

• PERO SH impact
  PERO SH will focus on the societal impact of its research results. The ambition is to demonstrate the added value of PERO SH research on occupational safety and health carried out by its members. PERO SH will endeavour to develop methodologies and share approaches to measure and evaluate the benefits of OSH research results for policy makers, workplaces, insurance systems, and other stakeholders.