

## Doing Research in Tunisia

### International Launch of the 2025 Doing Research Assessment Tunisia Report

**Date:** December 15, 2025, 14:00 – 15:30, Tunis time | CET

**Link to Register on Zoom:** <https://zoom.us/meeting/register/IRCP88ojT1uy49XVQBxx3w>

#### 14:00 – 14:15 | Opening Remarks - Doing Research in Tunisia

Prof. Mourad Bellassoued, Chef of Cabinet, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Tunisia

Prof. Jean-Louis Arcand, President of GDN

#### 14:15 – 14:35 | Presenting the DRA in Tunisia - Main Results and Recommendations from the 2025 Doing Research Assessment Report

Prof. Abdelwahab Ben Hafaiedh, Forum of Applied Social Sciences and PI of the DRA in Tunisia team

#### 14:35 – 15:00 | Research Systems in the MENA Region and their Regional and International Dimensions

Prof. Abdelmajid Benamara, Secretary General of the Federation of Arab Scientific Research Councils (FASRC)

M. Lars Flocke Larsen, Directorate-General for the Middle East, North Africa and the Gulf, European Commission

Prof. Faisal Mohamed, Director General, Libyan Authority for Scientific Research

M. Alexis Ghosn, Chef du Projet, Savoirs Eco, Expertise France

#### 15:00 – 15:25 | Open Discussion

#### 15:25 – 15:30 | Concluding Remarks

Dr. Daniele Cantini, GDN Fellow (Knowledge Systems in the MENA Region)