

## Finland's Statement on the First Draft of the Recommendation on Open Science

Dear ADG Nair-Bedouelle,

We thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback for the Draft Recommendation for Open Science. We also wish to thank the Open Science Advisory Committee for their excellent work on the Draft Recommendation.

We see this recommendation as one of the most important normative instruments Unesco has developed recently, and we see that it has a potential to influence and accelerate the transformation of scientific research globally. Finland is committed to this process and continues to contribute actively to developing this recommendation through intergovernmental negotiations, with the aim of adopting it at the General Conference next autumn.

Please find our statement on the first draft attached. The statement was prepared together with the Finnish academic community, via coordination by The Federation of Finnish Learned Societies.

With kind regards,

**Permanent Delegation of Finland to the OECD and UNESCO**