

## **Strategic plan 2020-2023**

**Vision: Improving European citizens' lives through occupation centred research and science by having one strong voice for occupational therapy and occupational science research.**

**Overall Strategic Aim:** That knowledge from Occupational Therapy and Occupational Science research will be appropriately used to inform and shape European policy and practice, through the establishment of a strong European profile of Occupational Therapy and Occupational Science researchers, that both strengthens occupation-centred knowledge generation and supports access to this knowledge for the benefit for all Europeans.

### **Strategic aim 1: Establish occupation as powerful knowledge domain**

*To use current research and evidence, and supporting development of further research, by bringing together established researchers and encouraging a strong voice regarding Occupational Therapy research at all levels.*

### **Strategic aim 2: Use occupational therapy and occupational science research outcomes for advocacy and to influence policy development.**

*To develop research leaders confident in promoting the outcomes of Occupational Therapy, Occupational Science and interdisciplinary occupation-centred research as beneficial to the lives and occupational wellbeing of individuals and communities.*

### **Strategic aim 3: To build strong collaborations to achieve the ROTOS Foundation's vision.**

*To achieve a sustainable ROTOS Foundation and create a strong research community linking researchers to practitioners, educators and other researchers, through facilitating working across boundaries in the European context.*