



58th European Space Sciences Committee Plenary Meeting

1-3 October 2019
Académie Royale de Belgique
1 Rue Ducale, 1000 Brussels - Belgium

Wednesday 2nd October 2019

- 9:30** Meeting Opening by the Chair – Tour de table (*A. Coustenis*)
- 9:45** Welcome by the Research Foundation – Flanders (FWO) (*O. Boehme - Coordinator Strategy and Policy Cell, FWO*)
- 10:00** Presentation of the Fund for Scientific Research (FNRS) (*N.Ricaud – FNRS*)
- 10:15** Presentation of the Belgian Science Policy (BELSPO) (*W. Verschueren – BELSPO*)
- 10:35** Luxembourg Space Agency (LSA) Update – Presentation and Discussion (*B. Lamboray – Policy Officer, LSA*)
- 10:55 Coffee Break*
- 11:15** European Commission H2020 and Outlook on Horizon Europe (*R.Denos – Policy Officer in Energy Technologies, EC*)
- 12:00** Chair’s and Secretariat Report and Discussion (*A. Coustenis, N. Walter – ESSC*)
- 12:30** **Lunch**
- 13:45** ESA Human Spaceflight and Robotic Exploration Update – Presentation and Discussion (*D. Schmitt – Coordinator for Human and Robotic Exploration, ESA*)
- 14:30** ESA Mandatory Scientific Programme Update – Presentation and Discussion (*G. Hasinger – Director of Science, ESA-SCI*)
- 15:15** Discussion
- 16:00 Coffee Break*
- 16:30** US Space Studies Board Update – Presentation and Discussion (*C. Hartman – SSB/ASEB Board Director, SSB – by Webex*)

17:15 *Discussion*

18:00 *Committee and Guests Cocktail (Académie Royale de Belgique – Salle Léopold Ier); followed by Dinner (20:00) at the restaurant Aux Armes de Bruxelles (Rue des Bouchers 13, 1000 Brussels)*

Thursday 3rd October 2019

09:30 *COSPAR Update (J-L. Fellous – Executive Director, COSPAR)*

10:00 *European Research Council Executive Agency (ERCEA) Update – Presentation and Discussion (D. Krása – Head of Sector Physical Sciences & Mathematics, ERCEA)*

10:30 *European Space Research Establishments (ESRE) Update – Presentation and Discussion (N. Peter – Head of DLR International Relations and Chair of the ESRE Strategic Executive Committee, DLR)*

11:00 *Coffee Break*

11:30 *ESA Earth Observation – Presentation and Discussion (M. Borgeaud – Head of ESA Earth Observation Department ‘Science, Applications and Climate’, EOP-S)*

12:15 *Discussion on ‘European Space Research Landscape’ (ERCEA, ESRE)*

12:45 *Lunch*