



## OPERRA First Periodic Meeting

14-16 January 2015

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Wednesday 14 January 2015	
09:30-09:45	Welcome Address <i>T Jung, B Grosche (BfS)</i>
09:45-10:00	Welcome Address <i>A Jouve (EC)</i>
<b>WP1 Session</b>	
10:00-11:00	Administrative management of the project: background information on the project's objectives, first amendment of the DoW and status of the first periodic report <i>JR Jourdain (IRSN)</i>
11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-12:00	Financial management of the project <i>D Mestraletti (IRSN)</i>
12:00-12:30	Q&A and discussion
12:30-13:30	Lunch
<b>WP2 Session</b>	
13:30-13:45	Integration of national & EU research & training programs covering research in radiation protection – Introduction <i>T Jung (BfS)</i>
13:45-14:15	Task 2.1 – Identifying key partners involved in radiation protection research, as well as education & training, and joint programming of research activities in radiation protection: links between MELODI, ALLIANCE, NERIS, EUTERP, EURADOS & EURAMET <i>N Impens (SCK•CEN)</i>
14:15-14:30	Discussion
14:30-15:00	Task 2.2 – Determining joint funding mechanisms for national & EU Fission R&D programmes <i>B Grosche (BfS)</i>
15:00-15:15	Discussion
15:15-15:45	Coffee break
15:45-16:45	Task 2.3 – Identifying experiences and lessons learned from existing exposure situations, including Chernobyl, Fukushima, and the NORM industry <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Emergency situations – <i>F Gering (BfS)</i> – 20 minutes</li> <li>- Remediation – <i>J Tschiersch (HMGU)</i> – 20 minutes</li> <li>- Health impact – <i>E Cardis (CREAL)</i> – 20 minutes</li> </ul>
16:45-17:00	Discussion



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<b>Thursday 15 January 2015</b>	
10:00-11:00	Cooperation between MELODI, EURADOS and medical associations <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Memorandum of Understanding – <i>J Repussard (MELODI)</i> – 20 minutes</li> <li>- Task 2.4 – Exploring how to enhance radiation protection research activities related to the medical uses of ionising radiation – <i>C Hoeschen (HMGU), V Smyth (UniPv)</i> – 40 minutes</li> </ul>
11:00-11:15	Discussion
11:15-11:45	Coffee break
11:45-12:15	Task 2.5 – Preparing the migration from DoReMi, STAR & NERIS-TP <i>S Salomaa (STUK)</i>
12:15-12:30	Discussion
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30-14:15	Task 2.6 – Integrating knowledge from non-radiation research <i>E Cardis (CREAL)</i>
14:15-14:30	Discussion
<b>WP3 Session</b>	
14:30-15:00	Lessons learned from the first OPERRA call and organization of the second OPERRA call <i>JR Jourdain (IRSN)</i>
15:00-15:30	Q&A and discussion
15:30-16:00	Coffee break
16:00-16:15	Presentation of the SOPRANO project <i>M Atkinson (HMGU)</i>
16:15-16:30	Presentation of the EURALOC project <i>L Struelens (SCK•CEN)</i>
16:30-16:45	Presentation of the DIMITRA project <i>E Van de Castele (KUL)</i>
16:45-17:00	Presentation of the CONCERT proposal <i>T Jung (BfS)</i>
17:00-17:30	Discussion
17:30-19:30	OPERRA Management Board ( <i>Members of the OPERRA MB only</i> )
20:00-22:00	Reception dinner



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Friday 16 January 2015	
WP4 Session	
09:00-09:15	Reaching out to new Member States, academic & professional partners, stakeholders & authorities – Introduction <i>S Salomaa (STUK)</i>
09:15-10:05	Task 4.1 – Reaching out to universities & professional partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction – <i>F Zölzer (JU)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Coordinating, integrating and further expanding existing education and training programmes in radiation protection and on health risks and ecological effects after low-dose radiation exposure, in cooperation with Tasks 2.1, 2.2 and 2.4 – <i>V Smyth (UniPv)</i> – 15 minutes</li> <li>- Integrate basic and applied research carried out at universities that is of relevance for the field of low-dose radiation research and radioecology and attract new future research partners – <i>M Harms-Ringdahl (SU)</i> – 15 minutes</li> <li>- Develop ties with social and human sciences, identify issues and relevant institutions in the fields of risk communication, risk perception, and ethics of radiation protection – <i>F Zölzer (JU)</i> – 15 minutes</li> </ul>
10:05-10:30	Discussion
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-11:50	Task 4.2 – Reaching out to and integrating new Member States <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction – <i>G Sáfrány (OSSKI)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Identification of the resources available for low-dose risk research in the new Member States, uncovering barriers inhibiting their participation in EURATOM projects and assessing the needs for experimental and technical training – <i>F Zölzer (JU)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Coach the new Member States in EU project proposal preparation, evaluation and management to help the integration – <i>M Atkinson (HMGU)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Surveying the infrastructures in the new Member States and facilitating access to core radiobiology research facilities available in the old Member States – <i>W Hempel (CEA)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Explore strategies, e.g. creation of a centre for excellence or a regional partner facility, to enhance the involvement of new European Member States in low-dose risk research – <i>W Hempel (CEA)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Establish relationships with NEWLANCER project – <i>G Sáfrány (OSSKI)</i> – 15 minutes</li> </ul>
11:50-12:10	Discussion



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Friday 16 January 2015 (continued)	
WP4 Session (continued)	
12:10-13:00	Task 4.3 – Reaching out to major stakeholders & authorities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction – <i>S Bouffler (DH-PHE)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Develop a stakeholder management strategy for MELODI/OPERRA – <i>S Bouffler (DH-PHE)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Identifying national and international stakeholders (including, for example, WHO, ICRP, IAEA, HERCA, ESR amongst others), collecting stakeholder opinions and analyzing feedback on research priorities – <i>M Grigioni (ISS)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Conclusions of the e-survey on research priorities – <i>N Impens (SCK•CEN)</i> – 15 minutes</li> <li>- Organizing stakeholder sessions in annual workshops and a series of pilot national level – <i>S Salomaa (STUK)</i> – 10 minutes</li> </ul>
13:00-13:30	Discussion
13:30-14:30	Lunch
14:30-15:05	Task 4.4 – Interactions with ESFRI platforms & large EU consortia to support research in the field of radiation protection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction – <i>W Hempel (CEA)</i> – 5 minutes</li> <li>- Maximising access to Europe-wide resources within and outside the radiobiology/radioprotection field – <i>W Hempel (CEA)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Promotion of education and training in new technologies and the use of large European infrastructures – <i>E Giulotto (UniPv)</i> – 10 minutes</li> <li>- Develop quality standards for infrastructures for inclusion in H2020 calls and facilitate the creation of EU multiply funded trans-disciplinary projects around radiobiology and radiation protection – <i>JM Dolo (CEA)</i> – 10 minutes</li> </ul>
15:05-15:30	Discussion
15:30-15:45	Task 4.5 – Reaching out to the other technical platforms within EURATOM, e.g. SNE-TP & IDG-TP <i>N Impens (SCK•CEN)</i>
15:45-16:00	Discussion
16:00-16:30	Conclusions of the meeting <i>JR Jourdain (IRSN)</i>