

24th Management Board of the NERIS Platform

Thursday 4th May 2017

9.30 – 11.30

Minutes

Participants:

T. Duranova, S. Andronopoulos, E. Gallego, D. Oughton, W. Raskob, T. Schneider

NERIS Secretariat: M. Maître

Excused:

C. Murith, J. Camps, F. Gering, O. Isnard

1. Review of the 23rd Management Board meeting

Thierry Schneider reminds that, thanks to prefinancing travel costs from CONCERT, NERIS members can ask for financial support if they wish to participate to NERIS upcoming events.

2. CONCERT

Proposals submitted for the 2nd CALL

Thierry Schneider informs that at least two projects related to the NERIS activities have been submitted to the 2nd CONCERT Call:

- ▶ ENGAGE project (lead: SCK-CEN, Catrinel Turcanu). This project aims to analyse different types of stakeholder engagements in the framework of different RP situations as such as post-accidental situations, medical & radon exposures, etc.
- ▶ SHAMISEN-SINGS (lead: ISGlobal, Elisabeth Cardis). This project aims to continue the work engaged within SHAMISEN project and, more precisely to enhance Citizen Participation in preparedness for and recovery from a radiation accident through novel tools and APPs to support data collection on radiation measurements, health and well-being indicators.

The results of the evaluation of this 2nd CONCERT Call will be discussed at the end of July 2017 during the CONCERT MB meeting.

CONCERT WP5 Stakeholder Group – NERIS participants

Management Board members agree to propose the following stakeholders to be part of the CONCERT WP5 Stakeholder Group:

- ▶ Eduardo Gallego (UPM)
- ▶ Yves Lheureux (ANCCLI)
- ▶ Dominique Rauber (FOPH)

3. NERIS R&D Committee

In the absence of Johan Camps, Thierry Schneider informs the NERIS Management Board that a WP2-WP3 CONCERT meeting is scheduled at the end of May. To prepare this meeting, there is a strong need to have a clear view of the update of the NERIS SRA as well as the preparation of NERIS roadmap and scenarios.

- ⇒ Contact Johan Camps and send information to NERIS MB & NERIS R&D Committee about the progress of NERIS SRA, Roadmap and Scenarios (**T. Schneider**)

E. Gallego also indicates that the subject dedicated on terroristic attack and mentioned on the CONCERT Scenarios is not included in the EURATOM Scope.

- ⇒ Share the preliminary draft programme Euratom H2020 2018 with the sections related to Radiation Protection (**E. Gallego**)

4. NERIS Workshop 2017

Progress of the Workshop preparation

Mélanie Maître informs NERIS Management Board that Portuguese hosts ask for free registration. As more than 10 Portuguese participants are expected for this workshop, NERIS Management Board members agree to limit the free registrations to 1 or 2 participants and to propose to the others reduced prices (payment of the meals only).

NERIS General Assembly

Thierry Schneider informs the NERIS Management Board members that the NERIS Annual Report is on progress and will be sent to them by the 12th May.

5. European Radiation Protection Week 2017 and ICRP Symposium

Preparation of the session with ICRP

Thierry Schneider informs that the joint session between ICRP and NERIS will be held during 12th October morning. This joint session will be focused on Post-Accidental Recovery and co-chairs will be: J. Lochard and C. Murith. For now, 2 presentations have already been set:

- ▶ Presentation of ICRP updated publications 109 & 111 – **M. Kai (ICRP)**
- ▶ Feedback from Japanese post-accidental situations & role of FMU – **K. Tanigawa (FMU)**

2 additional oral presentations will be proposed but there is no clear visibility on it for now.

Preparation of the sessions of the ERPW

Concerning the joint sessions with European Platforms during the Radiation Protection Week, two topics have been proposed:

- ▶ Session 1: Ethics in radiation protection.
Chairs: G. Meskens (SCK-CEN) & M-C Cantone (UMIL)

- ▶ Session 2: Management of emergency and post-accident situations: how to optimize population evacuation zones and related decision making processes?
Chairs: F. Gering (BfS). For this session, an invited lecture to draw the lessons from Fukushima management will be proposed to N. Ban (NRA) or T. Homma (NRA).

Thierry reminds Management Board members that there is a need to submit papers to contribute to these sessions.

Organisation of the NERIS satellite meetings

During the ICRP Symposium/ERPW 2017, the following satellite meetings have been proposed

- ▶ NERIS R&D Committee – 11th October (morning)
- ▶ NERIS Management Board – 11th October (afternoon)
- ▶ CONFIDENCE WP3 – 11th October (all day)
- ▶ CONFIDENCE WP4 – 11th October (2-4 pm)
- ▶ CONFIDENCE WP5 – 11th October (4-6 pm)

⇒ If necessary, ask for additional meeting rooms for satellite meetings **(all)**

Support of the ERPW 17

Thierry specifies to the NERIS Management Board that if NERIS offers financial support for the organisation of the ERPW 17, there will be no need to pay extra charges or at least reduced price for meeting rooms booking.

For now, the NERIS Management Board members agree to offer 2000 € to the ERPW 17. In case this support is not enough to obtain free meeting rooms, the NERIS Management Board will think to increase this financial support.

6. Other issues

ALLIANCE Working Group – Sunday 3rd September 2017 in Berlin

NERIS has received an invitation to participate to the ALLIANCE Working Group on the 3rd September in Berlin.

⇒ Ask to R&D Committee members if they are interested in participate to this event **(M. Maître)**

Elaboration of a joint Radiation Protection Research Strategic Paper

NERIS Management Board members agree to say that there is a strong need to develop an agreement with other European Platforms to establish the research priorities for the future and try to develop new EJP as CONCERT.

⇒ Thierry Schneider will closely work with the other platforms and will inform the NERIS Management Board members.

Next Management Board meeting

The 25th NERIS Management Board is scheduled the 12th June 2017, 14:30-16:30. This meeting will be organising through Skype.