

Governance and Policy within Mining and Metallurgy EU Regions

15th January 2019

Conference Room

Parque Tecnológico de León, León (Spain)

Hosted by Fundación ICAMCYL

OBJECTIVES

- Discuss a European roadmap by exchanging best practices on how to foster sustainable mining through Smart Specialisation Strategy (RIS3).
- Set up a European-wide mirror of regions considering mining and metallurgy within their Smart Specialisation Strategy (RIS3).
- Create a large-scale demonstrator between EU regions boosting mining and metallurgy, covering everything from primary to end-user applications, to ensure the main industrial value chains' core of the economic engine.
- Cluster and interlink present EU initiatives on raw materials, mining and metallurgy at regional level.

AGENDA

8:30 - 9:00 **Registration and welcome to authorities**

9:00 - 9:30 **Welcome**

KEYNOTE SESSION

9:30 - 10:00 **TABLE: European view/perspective about fostering Raw Materials, mining across regions**

Representatives from EU Commission.

10:00 - 10:20 **European Regional innovation ecosystems.**

10:20 - 10:40 **Raw Materials Business approach**

Karen Hanghøj, Director of EIT KIC Raw Materials

10:40 - 11:00 **OECD Global mining regions network**

Lisanne Raderschall, Policy Analyst - Regional Development Policy Division, OECD

11:00 - 11:30 **Coffee break and poster exhibition**

ROUNDTABLE SESSION

- 11:30 - 12:15** **Roundtable 1: Reflections from the regions on European raw material policies**
Moderated by: Richard Tuffs (former ERRIN director)
Regions:
Mika Riipi, County Governor of Lapland, Finland
Ricardo Gonzalez Mantero, General Manager of Energy and Mines, Junta de Castilla y León, Spain
Jorge Pulido Valente, Vice President of Alentejo Regional Administration, Portugal
Maciej Zathey, Director of the Institute for Territorial Development, Lower Silesia, Poland
- 12:15 - 13:00** **Roundtable 2: Raw materials in mining and metallurgy and regional innovation drivers**
Moderated by: tbc
Regions:
Risto Poutiainen, Deputy North Karelia Region Mayor (Finland)
Konstantinos Bakogiannis, Governor of the region of Sterea Ellada (Greece)
Prof. Dr. Bernhard Cramer, President of the Supreme Mining Agency (Saxony, Germany)
Ing. Rastislav Trnka, President of the self-governing region of Kosice (Slovak Republic)
- 13:00 - 14:00** **Lunch**
- 14:00 - 14:45** **Roundtable 3: Barriers for the generation of growth and competitiveness in mining**
Moderated by: Corina Hebestreit (Director of Euromines)
Regions:
Region of Andalucia (Spain) – Authority TBC –
Region of Center of Portugal – Authority TBC –
Erik Bergkvist, President of the Regional Executive Committee of Västerbotten (Sweden)
- 14:45 - 15:45** **Workshop: Developing a common mining approach to raw materials in Europe**
By exchanging best practices, problems and barriers to overcome between high-level representatives of EU regions and work together to put forward recommendations for a future mining roadmap
Chaired by **Dr Santiago Cuesta-López**, General Manager of ICAMCYL

All MIREU regions involved, highlighting representatives from:

- Cornwall (United Kingdom) - **Ms Frances Wall**, Head of Cornwall's Camborne School of Mines, University of Exeter
- Aragón region (Spain). **Mr. Alfonso Gómez Gámez**, General Director of Energy and Mines.
- Maramures (Romania) - **Ms Corina Galca**, *Executive Manager of CONVERSMIN S.A.*
- Ireland – **Mr. Paul McDermott**, *Senior Geologist at Exploration & Mining Division of DCCA*

15:45 – 16:45 EU initiatives and EU projects in raw materials, mining and metallurgy – Roundtable brainstorming

- *S3P Industrial Modernisation platforms:*
 - Advanced Materials for Batteries for Electro-mobility and Stationary Energy Storage
 - Mining industry and global value chains
- *“Mineral Resources in Sustainable Land-Use Planning” (MINLAND).* **Luis Jordá Bordehore**, *Geological Survey of Spain (IGME)*
- *“Integrated Modular Plant and Containerised Tools for Selective, Low-impact Mining of Small High-grade Deposits” (IMP@CT)* **Guillaume Bertrand**. *Bureau de Recherches Géologiques et Minières (BRGM)*
- *“Smart and Green Mining Regions of EU” (REMIX).* **Ilari Havukainen**, *Regional Council of Lapland*
- *“The Regional Co-operation Networks for Industrial Modernisation Initiative” (ReConfirm).* **Nuria Fornés Sayas**, *Project Officer, EURADA*

16:45 – 17:15 Wrap up and Discussion

19:00 Reception at the City Council of Leon by local authorities

20:00 Networking Dinner

Registration:

Please register on the following address: <https://mireu.eu/events/governance-and-policy-within-mining-and-metallurgy-eu-regions-0>, before **January 8th, 2019**.

Venue: Conference Room, Edificio de Usos Múltiples, Parque Tecnológico de León
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