

# ANNUAL EVENT N°1

## Preliminary Agenda

**Date:** September 9 – 11, 2025

**Venue:** Bologna, Italy

### Tuesday 09 September

Introduction			
08.30-09.00	Welcoming	Seifallah Ben-Hadj-Hassine (European Commission) Louise Théodon (Andra)	Felsina room
09.00-09.15	Views of the EAB	External Advisory Board	Felsina room
Plenary Session			
09.00-10.30	Expectations by Member States representatives	SIMS representative (EC group) SURAO (Czech Republic) Olivia Roth (SSM, Sweden) TBC (Belgium) TBC (Germany) TBC (France)	Felsina room
10.30-11.00	Coffee break		
11.00-12.30	Knowledge Management	WP Leader	Felsina room
12.30-14.00	Lunch break		
14.00-15.30	Students' session – open to the whole Consortium		Felsina room
15.30-16.00	Coffee break		
16.00-17.30	Italian end-users panel session	Anna Francesca Mariani (SOGIN) Valeria Anzellotti (ISIN) Alessandro Dodaro (ENEA) Massimo Morichi (CAEN) TBC Italian Ministry	Felsina room
17.30-18.30	Drop-in and hang-out: open session for next generation / newcomers		Felsina room



**Wednesday 10 September**

Parallel breakout sessions – Cross cutting work in EURAD-2			
09.00-12.30	How can Civil Society drive engagement, disseminate results and establish connections with R&D and broader networks? – Session 1	TBD	Room 1
	How should data be managed, shared and made accessible? - Session 2	TBD	Room 2
	How can EURAD-2 impact be maximised through improved dissemination and stronger links with external communities? - Session 3	TBD	Room 3
	Enhancing collaboration between EURAD-2 and Small Inventory Member States: bridging gaps for mutual benefit – Session 4	TBD	Room 4
12.30-14.00	Lunch break		
Parallel sessions – Technical results / projects			
14.00-16.00	Pre-disposal (ICARUS, STREAM and L’OPERA) - Topical session 1	WP Leaders	Room 1
	Predictive modelling of RN behaviour and thermodynamic databases (RAMPEC and DITUSC) – Topical session 2	WP Leaders	Room 2
	Digital transformation (DITOCO2030 and HERMES) – Topical session 3	WP Leaders	Room 3
	Near-surface disposal and climate change (CLIMATE and SUDOKU) – Topical session 4	WP Leaders	Room 4
16.00-16.30	Coffee break		
16.30-18.30	Future-proofing nuclear waste management (ASTRA and FORSAFF) – Topical session 5	WP Leaders	Room 1
	Optimisation routes of DGR concepts for safety and robustness: base materials, engineered barriers and design methods (InCoManD, OPTI and ANCHORS) - Topical session 6	WP Leaders	Room 2
	Ensuring safe final disposal (SAREC and CSFD) – Topical session 7	WP Leaders	Room 3

**Thursday 11 September**

Plenary Session			
08.30-10.00	Navigating the second wave: from process to purpose with key stakeholders (Colleges, SIMS and Civil Society)	Valéry Dettileux (Bureau) Seifallah Ben-Hadj-Hassine (European Commission) Marcus Altmaier (EURADScience) Tiina Jalonen (IGD-TP) Alexis Geisler-Roblin (NTW)	Felsina room
10.00-10.30	Coffee break		
10.30-11.15	Concluding session of the breakouts – including Q&A	Rapporteurs	Felsina room
11.15-12.00	Concluding session of the topical sessions – including Q&A	Rapporteurs	Felsina room
12.00-12.30	Closing remarks	Chief Scientific Officers Seifallah Ben-Hadj-Hassine (European Commission)	Felsina room