



EARPA SPRING MEETING 2025

4-5 MARCH 2025

DoubleTree by Hilton Brussels City

Rue Gineste 3, 1210 Brussels

Draft Programme



**EUROPEAN AUTOMOTIVE
RESEARCH PARTNERS ASSOCIATION**

EARPA Spring Meeting 2025

4 - 5 March 2025



Day 1: Tuesday 4 March 2025

PROGRAMME



08:30 - 09:00: Welcome Coffee (*Lobby Area*) EARPA Members only



09:00 - 11:00

FORESIGHT GROUPS

EARPA Members only

Connectivity Automation
Safety (CAS)

(Sycamore Ballroom 1)

Powertrains and Energy
Systems (PES)

(Sycamore Ballroom 2)

Integrated Product
and Process
Development (IPPD)

(Chestnut Room - 1st floor)



11:00 - 11:30: Coffee Break (*Lobby Area*)



11:30 - 13:30

FORESIGHT GROUPS

EARPA Members only

Mobility for People and Goods (MPG)

(Sycamore Ballroom 1)

Collaboration and Project Management (CPM)

(Sycamore Ballroom 2)



13:30 - 14:30: Lunch (*Lobby Area*)



14:30 - 16:00

COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH GROUPS

EARPA Members only

Zero Emission Road Transport (ZERT)+
Renewable Energy (RES) + Impact of transport
on environment and human health (THE)

(Sycamore Ballroom 1)

Made in Europe (MiE)

(Sycamore Ballroom 2)



16:00 - 16:30: Coffee Break/Meet the Speakers (*Lobby Area*)



16:30 - 18:00

COLLABORATIVE RESEARCH GROUPS

EARPA Members only

Connected Cooperative Automated Mobility
(CCAM) + Safety (SAFE) + Multimodal and
Sustainable Transport Systems for passengers
and goods (MSTS)

(Sycamore Ballroom 1)

Batteries (BAT)

(Sycamore Ballroom 2)



18:30 - 21:00

NETWORKING RECEPTION (*LOBBY AREA*)

Open to all

Join us for an evening full of conversation, networking & fun



Day 2: Wednesday 5 March 2025

EARPA Members only

09:15 - 10:30

EARPA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

EARPA Member
Representatives only



10:30 - 11:00: Welcome Coffee (Lobby Area)

11:00 - 11:35

UPDATE ON THE POLICY INITIATIVES OF THE NEW
COMMISSION RELEVANT TO EU R&I FOR AUTOMOTIVE

EARPA Members only

Moderator: **Michele De Gennaro**, EARPA President

- **Andrea Gentili**, European Commission

11:35 - 12:30

VISION ON FP10 FROM
EUROPEAN PARTNERSHIPS

EARPA Members only

Moderator: **Michele De Gennaro**, EARPA President

- **Fabrice Stassin**, BEPA
- **Lucie Beaumel**, 2Zero
- **Marzena Jougounoux**, CCAM
- **Eleni Dritsakou**, EARTO

12:30 - 13:00

MEET THE SPEAKERS
FORESIGHT GROUP UPDATES

EARPA Members only

- **Margriet Van Schijndel**, Eindhoven University of Technology - Connectivity Automation Safety
- **Bernhard Brandstätter**, Virtual Vehicle - Powertrains and Energy Systems,
- **Thilo Bein**, Fraunhofer LBF / EMI / IWU - Integrated Product And Process Development,
- **Magnus Granstrom**, Chalmers - Mobility for People and Goods,
- **Verena Wagenhofer**, AVL - Collaboration and Project Management



13:00 - 14:00: Lunch (Lobby Area)

14:00 - 15:00

ROUND TABLE ON
TYRE AND BRAKE EMISSIONS

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Moderator: **Margriet van Schijndel**, Eindhoven University of Technology

- **Guido Perricone**, Brembo
- **Jean-Michel Dourrae**, Michelin
- **Juan Jesus Garcia**, IDIADA
- **Ulf Olofsson**, KTH

15:00 - 15:15

PLENARY WRAP UP & CLOSING WORDS

EARPA Members only

- Closing words from the EARPA President, **Michele De Gennaro**

15:30 - 16:30

EARPA EXTENDED BOARD MEETING (OAK ROOM) - 2ND FLOOR