

PROGRAMME

"Space policy: Strategic and European Issues. Franco-Hungarian Perspectives".

Wednesday 27 March 2024

Simultaneous translation into French, Hungarian and English

8:30	Arrival of participants and guests
9:00	Welcome by Dr. Pier Paolo PIGOZZI , Vice-Rector for international affairs – Ludovika University of Public Service (NKE)
9:05	Welcome by Mrs Claire LEGRAS , French Ambassador to Hungary
9:10	Opening speech by Mr Péter SZTÁRAY , State Secretary for Security Policy and Energy Security – Hungarian Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade
9:20	Opening speech by Mr Hervé DERREY , Chairman and CEO of Thalès Alenia Space
9:30	<p>Key-note speech by Mr Xavier PASCO, Director of the Foundation for Strategic Research; Associate Research Fellow at the <i>Space Policy Institute</i> at George Washington University (Washington D.C., USA); European Editor of the international academic review <i>Space Policy</i> (Elsevier Science); Expert at the European Economic and Social Council; elected full member of the <i>International Academy of Astronautics</i> and member of the Advisory Committee of the <i>Secure World Foundation</i> (USA):</p> <p>“The space activities in the next decade: drivers of change and new challenges for Europe”</p>
10:00	<p>Speech by Dr. Orsolya FERENCZ, Ministerial Commissioner for Space Research - Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Head of the Hungarian ESA Delegation, Member of Parliament (Fidesz):</p> <p>“Current trends of the Hungarian space policy”</p>
10:15	Coffee break

Round Table 1: « Conflictuality in space: offensive and defensive issues »	
<i>Chaired by: Brigadier General László KOVÁCS Ph.D., Vice-Rector for Academic Affairs, Ludovika University of Public Service (NKE)</i>	
10:40	Introduction : Brigadier Général Dr. László KOVÁCS
10:45	Mr Laurent MARTHINET , Deputy Director of Litigation, Legal Affairs Department (DAJ) of the French Ministry of the Armed Forces: "Adapting the French law on space operations."
11:00	Colonel Sylvain DEBARRE , Director - NATO <i>Space Centre of Excellence</i> : "Operationalizing Space: the necessity of partnerships"
11:15	Mr István SÁRHEGYI , Chief of Staff to the Chairman of 4iG, Acting CEO - 4iG Space & Technology Plc.: „4iG space and technology ambitions. What’s under the hood?”
11:30	Lieutenant Colonel Attila HORVÁTH , Head of the Space Operations Capabilities Branch - Hungarian Defence Forces: "The need for spacecraft protection"
11:45	Discussion and questions from the audience
12:15	Lunch break

Round Table 2: « European space cooperation: coordinating efforts »	
<p><i>Chaired by : Dr. Orsolya FERENCZ, Ministerial Commissioner for Space Research - Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Head of the Hungarian Delegation to the ESA, Member of Parliament (Fidesz)</i></p>	
13:30	Introduction : Dr. Orsolya FERENCZ
13:35	<p>Key-note speech by Mr Jean-François RAPIN, Senator for Pas-de-Calais region, Chairman of the European Affairs Committee since 2020, Member of the Space Monitoring Group, author of the information report: "Space policy 2021-2027: Europe on the launch pad" (2019):</p> <p>"Space control, the keystone of European sovereignty"</p>
13:55	<p>Mr Szabolcs SZOLNOKI, Deputy State Secretary for Technology - Hungarian Ministry for National Economy: "Government efforts to position Hungary in the international space industry market"</p>
14:10	<p>Mr Bernard LUCIANI, Deputy Director Europe and International - Centre national d'études spatiales (CNES): "Space issues at stake in Europe : a French perspective"</p>
14:25	<p>Dr. Balázs BARTOKI-GÖNCZY, Associate professor of law, Vice-Dean of Academic Affairs at the Faculty of Public Governance and International Studies, Director of the Institute of Space Law and Policy - Ludovika University of Public Service (NKE): "Remain competitive in the new space race: challenges for Europe"</p>
14:40	<p>Mr Mathieu BATAILLE, Research Fellow and Lead on Security and Defence – European Space Policy Institute: "The growing EU dimension of space security and defence"</p>
14:55	Discussion and questions from the audience
15:25	Coffee break

Round Table 3: « Training for careers in the space industry »	
<p><i>Chaired by: Dr. Balázs BARTOKI-GÖNCZY, Associate professor of law, Vice-Dean of Academic Affairs at the Faculty of Public Governance and International Studies, Director of the Institute of Space Law and Policy - Ludovika University of Public Service (NKE)</i></p>	
15:45	Introduction : Dr. Balázs BARTOKI-GÖNCZY
15:50	Dr. Bianka HORVÁTH , Director of the UniSpace programme: "UniSpace - Interdisciplinary Space Science Education Programme in Hungary."
16:05	Dr László CSURGAI- HORVÁTH , Associate professor, Chairman of the education committee of Space Engineering MSc program, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Informatics - Budapest University of Technology and Economics (BME): "Space Engineering education at Budapest University of Technology and Economics"
16:20	Prof/Dr. Philippe ACHILLEAS , Associate Professor of Public Law, Director of the Institute of Space and Telecommunications Law, Head of the Master's degree in "Space and Telecommunications Law" - Université Paris-Saclay: "Teaching and research in space law: the experience of the University of Paris-Saclay".
16:35	Prof/Dr. Emmanuel ZENOU , Head of the International office - ISAE-SUPAERO, President of the PEGASUS network and UNIVERSEH Coordinator - University of Toulouse
16:50	Discussion and questions from the audience
17:20	End of the conference