

CSP TECHNOLOGY DAY

EUSEW 2021 – 25 to 29 October

Location: ONLINE ([Registration Link](#)); Date: 21 October 2021 (9:00-13:30 CEST)

09:00 – 09:15	Welcome and Presentation of Participants – All participants
09:15 – 10:00	Role and targets of CSP technology <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. European policy objectives of the CSP technology, by Piero De Bonis (DG RTD, Clean Energy Transition)2. The current European perspective of CSP, by Marcel Bial (Secretary General ESTELA)
10:00 – 10:15	COFFE BREAK
10:15 – 11:30	Round table: SOCRATCES & Challenges of CSP – Moderator: Ricardo Chacartegui (H2020 SOCRATCES project coordinator); Participants: Eduardo Zarza (Head of CSP Research Unit at PSA, CIEMAT), Dr. George Karagiannakis (Principal Researcher at CPERI, CERTH), Prof. Manuel Silva (University of Sevilla), Michael Geyer, P.h.D. (Senior Technology Advisor to German Aerospace Centre DLR and to Malta Inc on the development and deployment of Long Duration Energy Storage) and Luis A. Pérez-Maqueda (Research professor and group leader at Materials Science Institute of Seville, CSIC) <p>General overview of the CSP technology and H2020 SOCRATCES project, followed by 3 main expert blocks (15 minutes each):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Challenges to increase performance and reduce costs in CSP and solar technologies2. New materials challenges3. Energy storage challenges <p>Q&A</p>
11:30 – 11:40	BREAK
11:40 – 12:30	Funding opportunities of the CSP Technology <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Introduction to Horizon Europe CSP related topics, by Cristina Garrido (CDTI, NCP CL5 Energy Spain)



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2. **CSP ERANET Additional Call Promotion** by Rachel Tully (CSP ERANET project coordinator) and Julio Marchamalo & Irene Carlos (Communication Office of CSP ERANET); participation of CSP funded projects coordinators and representatives of funding agencies

Overview of the CSP ERANET and 1st Call results and funded projects.

Presentation of the call: scope and topics, participating countries, funding eligibility criteria and national requirements.

12:30 – 13:15

BROKERAGE EVENT ([Brokerage event registration link](#))

12:30 – 13:15

CSP Brokerage Event (CSP topics in HE, CETP & CSP ERANET)– Moderator: H2020 SOCRATCES and CSP ERANET representatives

Brokerage Event. Participants are encouraged to express their interest in upcoming CSP (HE and/or CSP ERANET) topics, present their project ideas and search for partners.

13:15 – 13:30

Next Steps and Conclusions

If you have any questions or require further information on the meeting, please contact the organizers through eranet-csp@fecyt.es or the project coordinator through their Energy Agency: csperanet@agenex.net



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