

International Best Practices and Lessons Learned on the Public Engagement of the Back End of Fuel-Cycle

A one day workshop to debate best practices and lesson learned from national and international experiences; it will be open by a presentation of the outcomes of the Horizon 2020 project “History of Nuclear Energy and Society” (HoNESt). The event is the occasion to debate this topic by the Italian stakeholders: SOGIN (Nuclear Plants Management Company), ENEA (Italian National Agency for New Technologies, Energy, and Sustainable Development), ISIN (National Inspectorate for Nuclear Security and Radioprotection).

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Rationale: The public engagement is a seminal aspect of the process of establishment of a repository of nuclear wastes. The workshop will discuss the topic in international and European perspectives, as the success story of the public engagement for the Swedish Spent Fuel Repository, the lessons learned by the experience of French low-level waste disposal site, the actions of the OECD Nuclear Energy Agency in this field. In conclusion, one roundtable with the Italian stakeholders and one on the translation of international best practices in a national frame. The workshop will be opened by a presentation of the outcomes of project HoNESt - granted by the European Commission in Horizon 2020 program - which contribute to share knowledge on success stories and criticalities among the stakeholders to improve the quality of public acceptance of nuclear energy management in the countries, both for those are exiting from nuclear and for those are investing in new plants.

Working Program

10.00 *Welcome:* Aldo Pizzuto (ENEA); *Opening remarks* Matteo Gerlini (Sapienza University of Rome)

10.15 *The History of Nuclear Energy and Society (HoNESt): What can we learn from the historical experience? Which lessons can we draw from a Social Science Perspective?*

Albert Presas i Puig (University Pompeu Fabra), Maria del Mar Rubio (University of Navarra), Josep Espluga (University Autònoma Barcelona)

Q&A

Chair: Giovanni Paoloni (Sapienza University of Rome)

11.30 *National experiences of public engagement: The French low-level waste disposal site “Centre de l’Aube” and the Swedish Spent Fuel Repository presentations by Valérie Renaud (Agence nationale pour la gestion des déchets radioactifs - ANDRA) and by Björn Dverstorp (Strålsäkerhetsmyndigheten/Swedish Radiation Safety Authority - SSM)*

Chair: Albert Presas i Puig (University Pompeu Fabra)

Q&A

12.30 lunch break

13.30 *The Italian path to the Back End of Fuel Cycle* Giuseppe Sedda (ISIN), Angelo Paratore (SOGIN), Paride Meloni (ENEA)

Chair: Matteo Gerlini (Sapienza University of Rome)

Q&A

14.45 End of the meeting.