

PROGRAMME

Leading of the Conference:

Mr. Joan AMORÓS, Secretary General FERRMED and Executive Secretary General R+D+4i

11:30.- Registration of Attendants

12.00.- Networking lunch

13.00.- OPENING SESSION

- **Mr Melchior WATHELET** – Secretary of State, Federal Government of Belgium
- **Mr Jean-Eric PAQUET** – Director, European Mobility Network EC DG MOVE
- **Mr Brian SIMPSON** – President, EU Parliament Transportation Committee
- **Mr Ramon Luis VALCÁRCEL** – President, EU Committee of the Regions
- **Mr Gennady BESSONOV** – Secretary General, Coordination Council on Trans-Siberian Transportation
- **Mr Karel VINCK** – European Coordinator, ERTMS
- **Mr Noël COMTE** – Vice-President for France, FERRMED and **Mr Joan AMORÓS** – Secretary General, FERRMED

13.50.- FERRMED DECLARATION ON FULL FERRMED STANDARDS IMPLEMENTATION
IN EU KEY FREIGHT CORRIDORS

- **Mr Joan AMORÓS** – Secretary General, FERRMED

14.00.- KEY ISSUES REGARDING LONG AND HEAVY TRAINS

- * LOGISTICS AND ECONOMIC ADVANTAGES
 - **Mr Jérémie MARTIN-PUERTA** – Transport Engineer, SYSTRA
- * INFRASTRUCTURE ADAPTATION
 - **Mr Gerhard TROCHE** – Policy Officer, EC DG MOVE Single European Rail Area
 - RFF Representative (tbc)
- * ROLLING STOCK FITTING
 - **Mr Armand CARRILLO** – Engineer, TUB Berlin Institute of Technology
 - **Mr Augusto LOMBARDI** – Director Business Development, WABTEC EUROPE
- * PROJECTS
 - **Mr Armand TOUBOL** – Vice-President, NEW OPERA (MARATHON Project)
 - **Mr Massimo MARIANESCHI** – General Manager, UNIFE (SHIFT2RAIL Project)

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14.50.- STAKEHOLDERS OPINION

* MAIN PORTS

- **Mr Santiago GARCIA-MILÀ** – President, ESPO
- **Mr Eddy BRUYNINCKX** – CEO, Port of Antwerpen
- **Mr Sixte CAMBRA** – President, Port of Barcelona
- **Mrs Fabienne MARGAIL** – Head of Hinterland Unit, Port of Marseille-Fos
- **Mr Victor SCHOENMAKERS** – International Director, Port of Rotterdam
- **Mr Josep ANDREU** – President, Port of Tarragona
- **Mr Rafael AZNAR** – President, Port of Valencia

15.35.- COFFEE BREAK

16.00.- STAKEHOLDERS OPINION

* AGRO-FOOD SECTOR

- **Mr Ángel MARTÍNEZ** – , Sector representative

* KEY MANUFACTURING COMPANIES

- **Mr Juan Ramón RODRIGUEZ** – Director of External Production, SEAT (VOLKSWAGEN GROUP)
- **Mr Joan M. GARCÍA GIRONA** – Vice-President, BASF Española
- **Mr Gil PERROT** – Land and Logistics Director, ARCELOR-MITTAL
- **Mr Joaquim GAY DE MONTELLÀ** – Vice-President, CEOE / President, Foment del Treball

16.35.- STAKEHOLDERS OPINION

* LEADING RAILWAY OPERATORS

- **Mr Joachim FRIED** – Vice-President, DB
- **Mr Aleksander WOLOWIEC** – Management Board Member, PKP - Polish State Railways
- Russian Railways representative
- RENFE representative
- **Mr Alberto MAZZOLA** – Senior Vice-President for International Affairs, FERROVIE DELLO STATO ITALIANO
- **Mr Enric TICÓ** – President, FGC

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17.15.- STAKEHOLDERS OPINION

- * INFRASTRUCTURE MANAGERS AND RAILWAY/MULTIMODAL ASSOCIATIONS
 - **Mrs Ana MALHEIRO** – Manager for Legal and Regulatory Affairs, EIM
 - **Mr Bernhard SCHMIDT** – Senior Freight Advisor, UIC
 - **Mr Pierre TONON** – Secretary General, ERFA
 - **Mr Libor LOCHMAN** – Executive Director, CER

17.40.- STAKEHOLDERS OPINION

- * RAILWAY ROLLING STOCK MANUFACTURERS
 - **Mr Iñigo PARRA** – President, VOSSLOH ESPAÑA
 - **Mr Youssouf PATEL** – Freight Business Director, ALSTOM
 - **Mr João Pedro MACHADO** – Administrator, METAL SINES SA

18.00.- CONFERENCE REMARKS

- **Mr August MESKER** – President of Transport Working Group, Business Europe

18.10.- CLOSING SESSION

- **Mr Ramon TREMOSA** – European Parliament, TRAN and ECON Commissions Member
- **Mrs Isabel BONIG** – Minister of Infrastructure, Planning and Environment, Generalitat Valenciana

18.20.- END OF THE CONFERENCE

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