
EU H2020 MSCA ETN DEMETER Kick-off event – 1-3 February 2016

Location: Leuven



Agenda

Monday 1 February 2016 @ Novotel

08:30 Welcome Coffee

Kick off meeting – Part1

09:00 Introduction on project S/T and management/training/outreach [KU Leuven: KB/PTJ]

09:50 Administrative guidelines and reporting [KU Leuven: PTJ]

10:40 Coffee Break

Kick off meeting – Part 2

11:00 Pitch presentations by ESRs on their background, project, host institute (use provided template) [ESRs]

12:30 Lunch break

13:30 Lecture + Q&A by REE expert Prof. Koen Binnemans:

“Rare earths: essential elements for the transition to a low-carbon economy”

15:00 Coffee break

15:15 The role of Partner Organisations and secondments

15:30 Presentations by Partner Organisations on their background, project interaction

16:00 DEMETER Café: Interactive parallel discussions between ESRs and their receiving secondment hosts (incl. Partner Organisations) (discuss content, material flows, practicalities)

16:30 Planning next network wide event, summer school and conclusion of the meeting

19:00 Event Dinner

Tuesday 2 February 2016 @ Groot Begijnhof

9:00-16:00 Soft skills training: “Non-violent communication in the work place” by Godfrey Spencer

Wednesday 3 February 2016 @ Novotel

09:00-12:30 Soft skills training: IP training - general principles by Kristel Allewijn and Gunther Wuytens

12:30-13:30 Lunch