



Stanford CISAC Center for International Security and Cooperation

AGENDA: Reset of U.S. Nuclear Waste Management Strategy and Policy, Feb. 17-18

Tuesday, February 17, 2015 CISAC Central Conference Room (Second Floor), Encina Hall 616 Serra Street, Stanford, CA 94305				
Car service will be provided between the hotel and Stanford.	Introduction to meeting and goals Rod Ewing Stanford University			
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST 8:00-8:30	Welcome to Stanford Michael McFaul Stanford University			
INTRODUCTION 8:30 - 9:00 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A				
9:00 - 9:45 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A	Chair of morning sessions: Rod Ewing The management of radioactive waste as a socio-technical challenge Dan Metlay Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board			
9:45 – 10:00	Coffee break			
10:00 -10:50 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A	U.S. experience with WIPP Peter Davies Sandia National Laboratories			
10:55 - 11:45 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A	U.S. experience with Yucca Mountain Mark Peters Argonne National Laboratory			
11:45 - 13:00	Lunch			
Chair of afternoon sessions: Dan Metlay				
13:00 - 13:50 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A	The Swedish program in granite Saida Laârouchi Engström SKB, Sweden			

13:55 - 14:45 35 mins - presentation 15 mins – Q&A	The French program in clay Christophe Poinssot French Atomic and Alternatives Energy Commission (CEA) National Institute of Nuclear Science and Technology (INSTN)
14:45 - 15:00	Coffee break
15:00 - 15:50 35 mins - presentation 15 mins - Q&A	Nuclear waste disposal – safety and public debate in France Bernd Grambow Ecole des Mines de Nantes and SUBATECH Laboratory
15:50 - 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 17:00	Open discussion

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CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST					
8:30 - 9:00					
OVERVIEW					
9:00 - 9:15					
	Chair for morning sessions: Mark Peters				
9:15 - 10:00	Impact of different fuel cycle options on disposal options				
30 mins - presentation	Christophe Poinssot French Atomic and Alternatives Energy Commission (CEA)				
15 mins – Q&A	National Institute of Nuclear Science and Technology (INSTN)				
10:00 – 10:45 30 mins - presentation 15 mins – Q&A	Role of national laboratories in the U.S. program Sally Benson Stanford University				
10:45 - 11:00	Coffee break				
11:00 - 11:45 30 mins - presentation 15 mins – Q&A	Role of review bodies, such as the NAS, EEG, NEA and NWTRB, in the U.S. waste management program Chris Whipple ENVIRON				
11:45 - 13:00	Lunch				
13:00 -14:30	Roundtable discussion: What does "safe" mean? Bernd Grambow, Ecole des Mines de Nantes, SUBATECH Laboratory Jason Reinhardt, Stanford University Peter Swift, Sandia National Laboratories Chair: Rod Ewing				
14:30 - 14:45	Coffee break				
14:45 – 16:45	Roundtable discussion: Issues that need to be addressed in the U.S. nuclear waste program Chair: Dan Metlay				

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