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Small Satellite Programmes for Sustainable Development
“Payloads for Small Satellite Programmes”**

Programme

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Tuesday, 21 September 2010

Morning

08:00 **Registration**

09:00 **Opening Ceremony**

Master of Ceremony: Willibald Riedler, Austrian Academy of Sciences

09:10 Welcome / Opening Remarks

- Wolfgang Baumjohann,
Austrian Academy of Sciences
- Chris De Cooker, European Space Agency
- Peter Piffl-Percevic, City of Graz
- State of Styria
- Roberto Thym, Austrian Federal Ministry
for European and International Affairs
- Mazlan Othman, United Nations Office for
Outer Space Affairs

10:00 **Keynote Addresses**

Chairperson: Mazlan Othman, United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs

10:00 Microsatellites – Moving from Research to Real *Martin Sweeting*
Operational Missions *Surrey Ltd., United Kingdom*

10:30 Experiences with Capacity Building in Small *Hyon Sock Chang*
Satellites *Satrecl, Republic of Korea*

11:00 *Coffee/Tea Break*

11:00-12:30 *Press Conference* *(by invitation)*

11:30 United Nations Basic Space Technology *Werner Balogh*
Initiative and Objectives of the 2010 Symposium *United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs*

12:00 *Lunch*

Afternoon

13:30 **Session 1: Small Satellite Programmes**

Chairperson: Johannes Ortner, EURISY, Austria

13:30 Small Satellite Payloads – An Introduction *Felix Boehringer*
Institut für Raumfahrtssysteme
Universität Stuttgart, Germany

14:15 Cubesats: Cost-Effective Science and *Kirk Woellert*
Technology Platforms for Emerging and *Space Policy Institute*
Developing Nations *George Washington University, United States*

15:05 Mission Idea Contest for Nano-satellite *Rei Kawashima*
Constellation *AXELSPACE Corporation, Japan*

15:25	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>	
15:45	Status of GENSO – Small Satellite Activities of the ESA Education Office	<i>Piero Galeone ESA</i>
16:05	Cooperation on Small-satellite activities in Africa: Towards an African Resource Management Constellation	<i>Matlou Mabokano Ministry of Science and Technology South Africa</i>
16:25	The Promise of Scientific CubeSat Missions: A new program at the US National Science Foundation	<i>Therese Moretto Jorgensen National Science Foundation United States</i>
	<i>Short presentations on national programmes</i>	
16:45	Small Satellite Activities in the United Arab Emirates	<i>Salem Al Marri EIAST, United Arab Emirates</i>
17:00	Canadian Small Satellite Activities	<i>David Kendall Canadian Space Agency</i>
17:15	COSPAR PEX – International Cubesat Programme / NASA Cubesat Activities	<i>Pascale Ehrenfreund Space Policy Institute George Washington University, United States</i>
17:30	<i>Transfer to the hotel</i>	
19:00	<i>Transfer from the hotel to the “Burgring” (center of Graz)</i>	
19:30	<i>Reception by the Governor of the State of Styria F. Voves (Weisser Saal at the Grazer Burg)</i>	

Wednesday, 22 September 2010

Morning

09:00 Session 2: Payloads for Small Satellites – State of the Art, Design, Integration

Chairperson: Rainer Sandau, International Academy of Astronautics, France

09:00	Networked Pico-Satellites: small satellites for an interesting performance	<i>Klaus Schilling Julius-Maximilians-Universität Würzburg Germany</i>
09:20	Innovative Satellite (InnoSAT)	<i>Aziz Yusoff ATSB, Malaysia</i>
09:40	Introduction of the Small Satellite System Development Architecture Innovation Activity in Japan and its Application for the Payload/Mission Development	<i>Koichi Ijichi Institute for Unmanned Space Experiment Free Flyer (USEF), Japan</i>

10:00	Proba Spacecraft Family: Small Mission Solutions for Earth Observation and Science Applications	<i>Jo Bermyn QinetiQ Space nv, Belgium</i>
10:20	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>	
10:40	Small Satellite Projects: Learning Opportunities for Satellite Systems Engineering Tools	<i>Danielle Wood Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) United States</i>
11:00	Concurrent design of small satellites: the experience of the ESA education office	<i>Piero Galeone European Space Agency</i>
11:20	SATEDU	<i>Esau Vicente Vivas UNAM, Mexico</i>
11:40	Presentations by Participants on their Small Satellite Activities (approx. 5 min each, 8 slots)	<i>Symposium Participants (a sign-up list will be made available at the Symposium)</i>
12:30	<i>Lunch</i>	
<i>Afternoon</i>		
13:30	<u>Session 3: Payloads for Small Satellites – Examples</u> <i>Chairperson: Otto Koudelka, Technical University of Graz, Austria</i>	
13:30	Payloads for CubeSat Satellite Platforms	<i>Jordi Puig-Suari Cal Poly, United States</i>
13:50	The HUMSAT Constellation	<i>Fernando Aguado Agelet University of Vigo, Spain</i>
14:10	The QB50 Mission	<i>Cem O. Asma von Karman Institute, Belgium</i>
14:30	Astronomical Payloads for BRITE	<i>Otto Koudelka, Technical University of Graz Werner Weiss, University of Vienna, Austria</i>
14:50	<i>Coffee/Tea Break</i>	
15:10	CANEUS Shared Small Satellites for Collective Safety, Security and Prosperity	<i>Milind Pimprikar CANEUS International, Canada</i>
15:30	Utilizing Miniaturized Satellite Formation Flying for Technology, Science and Education	<i>Jian Guo Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands</i>
15:50	Bringing Big Performance to Small Satellites	<i>Johan Leijtens TNO, The Netherlands</i>
16:10	Off-the-shelf Parts for CubeSat Platforms	<i>Ritchie Logan Clyde Space Limited, United Kingdom</i>
16:30	Presentations by Participants on their Small Satellite Activities (approx. 5 min each, 4 slots)	<i>Symposium Participants (a sign-up list will be made available at the Symposium)</i>

- 17:00 *Transfer from the hotel to the "Andreas-Hofer-Platz" (center of Graz)*
- 17:30 *Guided tour through the City*
- 19:00 *Reception by the Mayor of the City of Graz S. Nagl (Rathaus)*

Thursday, 23 September 2010

Morning

9:00 Session 4: Workshop/Working Group Session

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| <p>9:00 Parallel Session 1:
CubeSat Design Challenges - Workshop
<i>Aziz Yusoff</i>
<i>ATSB, Malaysia</i></p> | <p>Parallel Session 2:
HUMSAT: Nanosatellite Constellation Requirements and Development Solutions
<i>Fernando Aguado Agelet</i>
<i>University of Vigo, Spain</i></p> |
| <p>11:00 <i>Coffee/Tea Break</i></p> | |
| <p>11:30 Working Group Meetings or Presentations by Participants on their Small Satellite Activities</p> | |
| <p>12:30 <i>Lunch</i></p> | |

Afternoon

13:30 Session 5: Standardization and Regulatory Issues (Frequency, Debris, Registration, ...) *Chairperson: Jordi Puig-Suari, Cal Poly, United States*

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| <p>13:30 Workshop: Frequency Registration for Small Satellite Missions</p> | <p><i>Attila Matas</i>
<i>International Telecommunications Unions</i></p> |
| <p>14:30 Satellite Registration and Space Debris Mitigation Guidelines</p> | <p><i>Werner Balogh,</i>
<i>United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs</i></p> |
| <p>14:50 PW-Sat - Tests of New Concept for Deorbiting Satellites from the LEO</p> | <p><i>Maciej Urbanowicz</i>
<i>Warsaw University of Technology, Poland</i></p> |
| <p>15:10 <i>Coffee/Tea Break</i></p> | |
| <p>15:30 Review of Status of Launch Opportunities for Small Satellites</p> | <p><i>Freddy Pranajaya</i>
<i>University of Toronto</i>
<i>Institute of Aerospace Studies, Canada</i></p> |

15:50	NanoLauncher: An Affordable and Dedicated Air-Launch Transportation Service for Nanosatellites	A.C. Charania <i>SpaceWorks Commercial, United States</i>
16:10	Presentations by Participants on their Small Satellite Activities (approx. 5 min each, 12 slots)	<i>Symposium Participants (a sign-up list will be made available at the Symposium)</i>
17:30	<i>Transfer to the City of Graz</i>	
18:00	<i>Dinner at the "Landhauskeller"</i>	

Friday, 24 September 2010

Morning

9:00 Session 6: Working Group Session

Chairperson: United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs

9:00	Discussion on the observations and recommendations to be included in the report to the United Nations Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space	<i>All Symposium Participants</i>
	Presentations by Participants on their Small Satellite Activities (time permitting)	<i>Symposium Participants (a sign-up list will be made available at the Symposium)</i>

12:00 *Lunch*

Afternoon

13:30 Session 7: Wrap Up

13:30	Symposium Review and discussion of future activities of the United Nations Basic Space Technology Initiative	<i>All Symposium Participants</i>
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15:00 *Coffee/Tea Break*

15:30 Closing Session

Master of Ceremony: Willibald Riedler, Austrian Academy of Sciences

Distribution of Certificates and
Closing Remarks

- *Austrian Academy of Sciences*
- *Austrian Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs*
- *United Nations Office for Outer Space Affairs*

16.30 *Transfer to the hotel and end of the Symposium*