



Welcome!

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Reflection Group

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Thank you!

A big thanks to the local organisers!

The e-Infrastructure Reflection Group

Founded to *provide strategic advice and guidance on the development of a European e-infrastructure for science and research.*

- Delegates appointed by ministries – represents nations (EU member states and associated states + EC)
- Bylaws: www.e-irg.eu/images/stories/about-e-irg/e-irg_bylaws_120914-approved.pdf
- Vision: *an open and innovating e-Infrastructure that enables flexible cooperation and optimal use by international user communities of all electronically available resources.*

The e-Infrastructure Reflection Group

e-IRG Strategy (2012)

www.e-irg.eu/images/stories/publ/e-irg_strategy_a5.pdf

- establish e-IRG as the main advisory body on e-Infrastructures internationally
- develop e-IRG as the coordination platform for all components of European e-Infrastructures.

Roadmap 2012: Outlines Europe's need for a single “e-Infrastructure Commons” that is open and accessible and continuously adapts to the changing requirements of research.

White Paper 2013: Further discussion and recommendations

Dublin Workshop May 22-23 – issues in the WP discussed

- European services on data
- Coordination of e-Infrastructures

Public consultation phase of WP 2013

The draft White Paper 2013 is available for comments

www.e-irg.eu/publications/white-papers.html

Use this workshop to discuss!

Contents of White Paper 2013

Background: Researchers are often confused: Complex e-Infrastructure landscape in Europe – many actors, sustainability issues, interoperability issues, etc

Main concern of WP: **Integration of service for research communities and the interoperability and coordination of e-infrastructures.**

Follow-up issues: **Different aspects on data management and Open Science, cloud computing and legal issues arising from the commercial use of e-Infrastructures**

The Workshop – Wednesday

11:00 Sverker Holmgren *Welcome address*

11:15 Paul Uhler *Keynote - Legal Interoperability*

11:35 Alberto Michelini *Keynote - Ways to improve Global Data Sharing and Re-use*

11:55 Peter Wittenburg *Introductory address - An Eco-System of Services on Data - Introduction and selected services + Discussion*

12:55 Kostas Glinos *Introductory address - Infrastructures and the ERA*

13:15 *Lunch*

14:15 → **Track 1: Coordination of e-Infrastructures**

Track 2: Legal Interoperability - Open Access

19:00 *Dinner* (I guess we will get some beer...)

The Workshop – Thursday

9:00 Richard Kenway ***Keynote: e-Infrastructures and Customers***

9:30 **Report track 1 and discussion**

10:00 **Report track 2 and discussion**

10:30 Coffee/tea

11:00 **Panel on Data Interoperability**

12:30 Lunch

13:30 **Presentations of Data Services**

14:15 Peter Wittenburg ***Wrap Up and conclusions***

14:30 Sverker Holmgren ***Final Words***