

Conference

Gas Hydrate and Offshore Geohazard

22 June 2017, 13:00-15:00

European Parliament – Room ASP 3H1

Welcome Addresses

Mrs. **Gesine MEISSNER**, MEP, President of the Intergroup

Mr. **Ricardo SERRÃO SANTOS**, MEP, Vice-President of the Intergroup

Scientific Presentations

Dr. **Nabil SULTAN**, Ifremer, France (French Research Institute for Exploitation of the Sea)

Offshore gas hydrate decomposition: natural processes versus external influences.

Prof. **Jürgen MIENERT**, CAGE, Norway (Centre for Arctic Gas Hydrate, Environment and Climate)

Gas Hydrates - real time challenges for ocean industries and shipping

Prof. **Christian BERNDT**, GEOMAR, Germany (Helmholtz Centre for Ocean Research Kiel)

Hydrate generated overpressure causing submarine landslides

Dr. **Umberta TINIVELLA**, OGS, Italy (National Institute of Oceanography and Experimental Geophysics)

Offshore gas hydrate in Polar regions: a challenge to face oceanic warming

Discussions

Conclusive remarks

Mr. **Ricardo SERRÃO SANTOS**, MEP, Vice-Chair for Marine Knowledge

Participants are kindly requested to register as soon as possible [here](#) in order to guaranty and organize the access to the EP

*The day of the conference, Participants are kindly requested to present themselves between 12.15 and 12.30, in order to avoid delays – Registration at the **Info Point** of the European Parliament*