

## Community of user's engagement supporting the green transition: the e-shape project

15 June 2022 15h15-17h00CET The International Auditorium, Bruxelles, Belgium Hybrid event

e-shape, the EU-funded H2020 flagship project, promotes and upscale EO solutions in Europe and beyond supporting the sustainable delivery of EO-based benefits to users. Three years into the project, this workshop seeks to capitalise the knowledge and the value gathered, by unifying the community of users and discuss the expansion and the sustainability of the eshape pilots across the 7 e-shape thematic, with a focus on the energy and water resources sector.

## The e-shape workshop will:

- Introduce EO-based applications developed through the project within the e-shape 7 thematic showcases: Agriculture, Health, Energy, Ecosystem, Water resources, Disaster Resilience, Climate
- Brings together research, end users and civil society that want to benefit from the understanding and entering the EuroGEO initiative
- Informs the participants about what the pilot's service will grant access to in terms of Copernicus data and user's benefit with examples on e-shape pilots support from a co-design, uptake, and sustainability approach (added values and solutions)
- What's next? Developing the EuroGEO vision.

The e-shape workshop will try to address the following questions:

- What are the challenges for a convincing user / market uptake strategy?
- How to develop relations among EO and non- EO communities that will drive the sustainability of the EO service
- How the public, research and private sector can strengthen EUROGEO and Copernicus and contribute to GEO/GEOSS.

## **Agenda**

15h15-15h20 - Annalisa Donati, Secretary General, EURISY: Welcome and setting by the moderator

15h20-15h25 - Jean Dusart, DG RTD: Introduction and EuroGEO vision

15h25-15h40 - Mr. Inga Hemetsberger, Secretary General, SolarEurope

15h40-15h45 - Q&A

15h45-15h50 - Mr. Ivan Pineda, Director of Innovation, WindEurope

15h50-15h55 - Q&A

15h55-16h05 - Mr. Dorian Groll, European & International Business Manager, Space Climate Observatory

16h05-16h10 - Q&A

16h10-16h20 - Dr. Ilias Fountoulakis, National Observatory of Athens (NOA), "nextSENSE: solar energy nowcasting and short-term forecasting system"

16h20-16h30 - Dr. Merete Badger, Denmark Technical University (DTU), "Merging offshore wind products"

## 16h30-16h40

• Dr. Peter Walker, Plymouth Marine Laboratory, "Diver Information on Visibility in Europe"

16h40-17h10 - Q&A/ round table by Dayre Boyle (Evenflow)

- Sustainability of the Earth Observation solutions
- Global value of the project and support
- What's next? the EuroGEO vision