



High-Level Kick-Off Ceremony for the Teaming for Excellence Project **PHAETHON**

Marking the launch towards the PHAETHON Centre of Excellence for Research and Innovation for Intelligent, Efficient and Sustainable Energy Solutions

Wednesday, 11 October 2023 | 09:00 – 14:00 EEST Amphitheatre B108, Council-Senate, Building "Anastasios G. Leventis"

University of Cyprus – New Campus

ACENDA

AGENDA		
09:00 – 10:00	Registration and Networking Coffee	
10:00 – 11:45	Joint High-Level Kick-Off	
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome and Opening Remarks Prof. Constantinos Christofides PHAETHON Project Coordinator, University of Cyprus	
	Mr. Patricio Ortiz de la Torre Head of Sector, Widening Participation Unit European Research Executive Agency	
10:15 – 10:25	Mr. Demetris Skourides Chief Scientist for Research, Innovation and Technology On behalf of the President of the Republic of Cyprus	
10:25 – 10:40	Ms. Karina Firkaviciute Policy Officer, Directorate-General for Research and Innovation European Commission	
10:40 – 10:50	Ms. Elke Merks-Schaapveld Ambassador of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to Cyprus Mr. Efthyvoulos Paraskevaides Honorary Consul General of Denmark to Cyprus	
10:50 – 11:05	Sir. Christopher A. Pissarides Professor of European Studies, University of Cyprus Nobel Laureate in Economics	
11:05 – 11:25	Mr. Patricio Ortiz de la Torre Head of Sector – Operational Dr. Maria Korda Project Adviser – Technical/Operational Widening Participation Unit, European Research Executive Agency	

11:25 – 11:45	Mr. Theodoros Loukaides Director General, Cyprus Research and Innovation Foundation On behalf of the Deputy Ministry of Research, Innovation and Digital Policy Prof. Tasos Christofides Rector, University of Cyprus
11:45 – 12:15	Coffee Break
12:15 – 13:45	Keynote Speeches
12:15 – 12:45	Prof. George E. Georghiou PHAETHON Project Coordinator, University of Cyprus
12:45 – 13:05	Ms. Maria Markidou Georgiadou Managing Director, Cyprus Seeds
13:05 – 13:25	Prof. Jacob Østergaard Head of Division, DTU Wind, Department of Wind & Energy Systems Mr. Mikkel Sørensen Director, DTU Skylab Technical University of Denmark
13:25 – 13:45	Prof. Klaus Hubacek Chair, Integrated Research on Energy, Environment & Society Prof. Aravind Purushothaman Vellayani Chair, Energy Conversion University of Groningen
13:45 – 14:00	Closing Remarks Prof. George E. Georghiou PHAETHON Project Coordinator, University of Cyprus
14:00	Networking Light Lunch

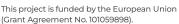














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