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## Air Science Policy Forum 15<sup>th</sup> April 2013, Dublin, Ireland.

### *Towards an EU Clean Air Policy Framework for 2020 and Beyond*

#### Module 1: Clean Air Ambitions

9.30am

**Chair: Laura Burke, Environmental Protection Agency, Ireland.**

##### *The future of clean air policy in the EU – A Presidency Perspective*

Minister Phil Hogan, Minister for Environment, Community and Local Government, Ireland.

##### *The future of clean air policy in the EU – The Commission Perspective*

Tom Verheye, DG Environment, European Commission

##### *Overview and Introduction to the sessions*

Professor Frank Convery, University College Dublin, Ireland.

*Tea/Coffee Break*

#### Module 2: Motivations for Action

10.45am

**Chair: Professor Luke Clancy, Tobacco Free Research Institute, Ireland.**

##### *Introduction to the Motivations for Action session*

Professor Luke Clancy, Tobacco Free Research Institute, Ireland.

##### *Recent developments in Air and Health*

Marie-Eve Héroux, WHO European Centre for Environment and Health.

##### *The US Perspective on addressing future air quality challenges*

Professor Arden Pope, Brigham Young University, USA.



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### *Innovation in Air Quality Monitoring – ISPEX Citizen-Science*

*Dr. Daan Swart, RIVM, Netherlands.*

### *Hemispheric Ozone and Cooperation*

*Dr. Frank Dentener JRC Europe and Co-Chair of the Task Force on Hemispheric Transport of Air Pollution*

### *Challenges and opportunities for nitrogen emission reduction strategies*

*Professor Mark Sutton, CEH and Chair of Task Force on Reactive Nitrogen.*

### *Synergies, co-benefits and tensions of clean air policies*

*Annika Markovic, Swedish Ambassador for the Environment*

### *The economics of air quality and associated policy responses (15mins)*

*Ton Manders, Deputy Head of Climate, Air and Energy, PBL Netherlands*

*Lunch with tea/coffee break*

## **Module 3: Emission Trends, Pressures and Policy Potential**

**1.45pm**

**Chair: John McCarthy (Department of Environment, Community and Local Government)**

### *Drivers, trends and pressures from emissions to air pollution*

*Professor Jacqueline McGlade, Executive Director, European Environment Agency*

### *Analysis of EU abatement Potential IIASA*

*Dr. Markus Amann, MAG Program Leader at IIASA*

### *Policy Action – National and International Success Stories*

*Dr. Rob Maas, RIVM, Netherlands & Chair Task Force on Integrated Assessment Modelling*



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**Module 4: Future Policy and Panel on Implementation and Progress**

**3pm**

**Chair: Prof Frank Convery, University College Dublin**

### *Long-Term Policy under the Convention on Long Range Transboundary Air Pollution*

*Professor Martin Williams, King's College London, Chair of Executive body for CLRTAP*

### *Evidence based policy for cleaner air across Europe*

*Tom Verheye, Air Quality Noise Unit, DG Environment, European Commission.*

*Tea/Coffee Break*

### *Panel Discussion - Summary & Conclusions*

*Rapporteur: Professor Frank Convery*

### *Panellists*

*Tom Verheye, Martin Williams, Jacqueline McGlade, Rob Maas, Markus Amann, Fintan Hurley*

*Professor Frank Convery will offer a round-up to close off the meeting.*

**End 5pm**