

EU Innovation Centre for Industrial Transformation and Emissions – INCITE

INCITE, the EU Innovation Centre for Industrial Transformation and Emissions, will be based in Seville, Spain, at the heart of the EU's Joint Research Centre. Its launch will be a unique opportunity for innovators, industry, Member States and the investment community to get together and shape INCITE to become one of the engines supporting European industry's competitiveness and green transition.

Launch event– Friday 21 June 2024 at 11.00. Seville (Spain)

MORNING

Opening

Bernard Magenmann

(Acting) Director-General, Joint Research Centre (JRC).
European Commission

DIALOGUE 1

INCITE means TRANSFORMATION

Jordi Hereu Boher

Minister of Industry and Tourism of Spain

Florika Fink-Hooijer

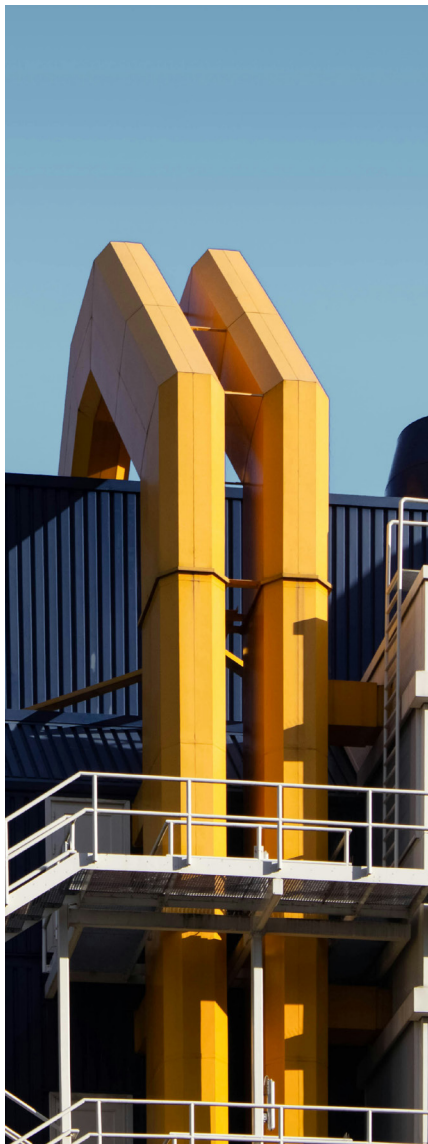
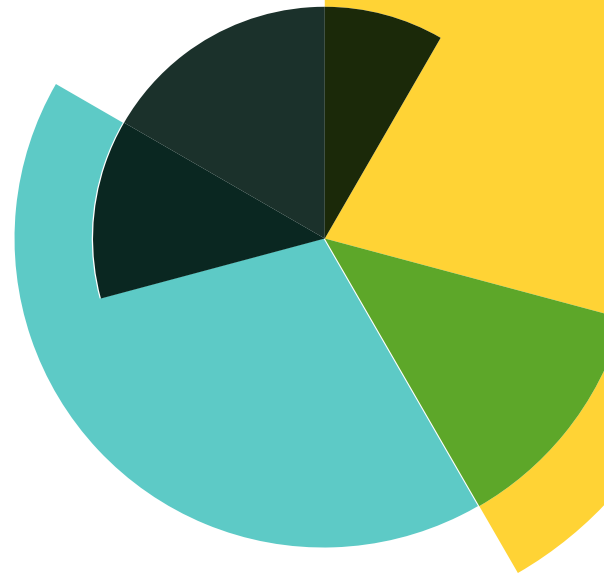
Director-General of DG Environment. European Commission

Henrik Adam

President of the European Steel Association (EUROFER)

Maive Rute

Deputy Director-General of DG for Internal Market, Industry, Entrepreneurship and SMEs. European Commission



DIALOGUE 2

INCITE means INNOVATION

Daniel Witthaut

Executive Director for Innovation, European Chemical Industry Council

Jorge Paradela

Andalusian Regional Minister of Industry, Energy and Mines

Muriel Attané

Secretary General of the European Association of Research and Technology Organisations (EARTO)

Maria Cristina Russo

Director of Directorate E - Prosperity of DG Research and Innovation. European Commission

DIALOGUE 3

INCITE means RESOURCES

Salla Saastamoinen

Deputy Director-General, Joint Research Centre (JRC). European Commission

Sean Kidney

CEO of Climate Bonds Initiative

Felicitas Riedl

Director of the Innovation and Competitiveness Department. European Investment Bank

Closing

Mikel Landabaso

Director of Directorate B - Fair and Sustainable Economy, Joint Research Centre (JRC). European Commission

BREAK AND COCKTAIL LUNCH

AFTERNOON (FROM 14:30 TO 17:40)

INTERACTIVE SESSIONS

INCITE means COOPERATION

Opening

Caroline Lambert

Head of Circular Economy and Sustainable Industry Unit, Joint Research Centre (JRC). European Commission

SESSION 1 (14:35 - 15:35)

Governance and legislative aspects

Topics covered

- INCITE set-up and operation
- Engagement with stakeholders
- INCITE information platform
- Permitting flexibilities for industrial installations
- Synergies between INCITE and the Sevilla process

SESSION 2 (15:35 - 16:30)

Technology and innovation

Topics covered

- INCITE positioning in the innovation space (EU-funded projects, EISMEA, research institutes)
- Technologies / sectors covered
- Identification of First-of-a-kind demonstration projects
- Showcasing success stories
- Identification of barriers to implementation.

COFFEE BREAK (16:30 - 16:50)

SESSION 3 (16:55 - 17:30)

Exploring how INCITE can help investors

Topics covered

- Utilisation of INCITE's technical outputs in Sustainable Finance, e.g. alignment of innovative techniques with the EU Taxonomy criteria
- Technical verification of the validity of transition and transformation plans
- Evaluation of projects financed by private investments

Closing

Veronica Manfredi

Director of Directorate C - Zero Pollution, DG Environment. European Commission