

**CZECH – GERMAN CONFERENCE  
ON RESEARCH INFRASTRUCTURES**

**From exploring cooperation opportunities**

**towards strategic partnerships**



**III. Panel: environmental sciences**

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**PART I**

**Exploring Cooperation Opportunities**

Presentation of Research Infrastructures

**14:00 – 14:45** **Overview of Environmental Research Infrastructures Specialising**

**on Climate, Air and Algae Research in the Czech Republic**

Michal Marek, Director of CzechGlobe – Global Change Research Centre of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic

**14:45 – 15:30** **Overview of German Environmental Research Infrastructures Landscape**

Alfred Wiedensohler, Head of Department for Experimental Aerosol and Cloud Microphysics, Leibnitz Institute for Tropospheric Research

**15:30 – 16:00** **Coffee Break**

**PART II**

**Exploring Cooperation Opportunities**

Identification of Cooperation Fields

**16:00 – 16:15** **Opening Remarks**

**16:15 – 17:00** **Moderated Discussion on Topics**

* Cooperation of environmental research infrastructures in ESFRI defined areas
* Exchange of best practices of environmental research infrastructures
* Exchange of research infrastructures personnel, researchers and students
* Possibility of utilization of research infrastructures from the users of other country
* Utilization of research infrastructures by Czech and German industry
* Teaming and twinning of Czech and German partners

**17:00 – 17:15** **Wrap-up**

**PART III**

**Towards Strategic Partnerships**

Determination and Implementation of Cooperation Funding Opportunities

**10:00 – 10:15** **Opening Remarks**

**10:15 – 11:15** **Moderated Discussion on Topics**

* EU funding tools supporting strategic partnerships (Horizon 2020, ESIF)
* Czech and German resources for financing research infrastructures cooperation

**11:15 – 11:30** **Wrap-up**