

**Technical Advisory Board
Climatic and Air Pollution effects on Materials and Equipment
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TASKS (TO DO'S)	WHO	TO WHOM
<p>Topic 1 Welcome address Participants: Antonio Brito, Portugal Francois Crepain, BSMEE Peter Eriksson SEES Marco Huber, SVU/SSEE Katerina Kreislova, NACEI Eduard Pohle, ÖGUS Thomas Reichert GUS</p> <p>Apologies: Timo Galkin, KOTEL; Hiltmar Schubert, GUS; Dagmar Knotkova, NACEI</p>	Reichert	TAB Members
<p>Topic 2 Introduction of (new) WG members Eduard Pohle, ÖGUS and OFI, Vienna</p>		TAB Members
<p>Topic 3 Acceptance of the minutes of the last meeting in Brussels The minutes were accepted by the participants.</p>	TAB	GA
<p>Topic 4 International Environmental Engineering Events in 2006 ATCAE, Bandol France, Weathering of Polymers, May 2006 IUAPPA, Regional Conference on particulate matter, May 2006 MoDeSt, Polymer Modification and Stabilization against Weathering, San Sebastian, Spain; Thomas has made contacts to the MODEST Society. This association of experts in polymers organizes workshops and conferences in Modification, Degradation and Stabilization of Polymers. The large events of MoDeSt and EWS should not take place in one year. So a 2 years change is envisaged. The conference of the Modest is in San Sebastian, Spain, September 2006. SLP Symposium, Florida, United States, December 2006 3th European Weathering Symposium, September 2007 Next EWS will take place in Krakow, Poland, September 12-14, 2007. Co-organizer at the Polytechnica in Krakow will be Prof. Kryzstof Pielichowski. (www.weathering.org). EUREKA.BE, Workshop April 2007 (planned) ETE 2007, In October/November 2007 in Brussels (Eureka).</p>	All	TAB

<p>Topic 5 Eureka Proposal BESTPRODUCT TENEEEST The day before we have had the second meeting of the BESTPRODUCT TENEEEST. It was a very good meeting with some progress in finding proposals. The first questionnaire was introduced. The second questionnaire will be available in the spring 2007. Further activities should start to generate new proposals and to look for the increase of the European Network.</p>	<p>Crepain</p>	<p>TAB Members, GA, Partners</p>
<p>Topic 6 Information about the national activities of the national working groups: Portugal: Presentation in GA, Activities in Polymer-Ageing and NumSim; IEP=Certification and testing institution, Universities Minho, Nova, Agnes, private institutions, website: www.sopsar.pt Portuguese Society for Environmental Simulation and Risk Assessment</p> <p>BSMEE: 3 Sections: 1. Standardization (High Schools and Universities incorporated). 2. Robotics and Automation (Prof. Baudoin) Topics: De-mining; 3. BEST (Eureka, Website, Workshop of Experts)</p> <p>SEES:; New Chairman: Adeline Flogard, Workshop on NumSim, Information available soon. Contacts should be made with the German Group. New President: Guran Jansson New e-mail-address from Bo Carlsson: Bo.Carlsson@carlma.se</p> <p>SVU: HALT Seminar, Workshop for Environmental Profile, Specification and Verification, Workshop Climatic, EMC in Fall 2007</p> <p>ÖGUS: 4 Groups in ÖGUS: (see homepage). 1. Environmental Testing; Round Robin Test in Artificial Weathering 2. Mechanical Testing, 3. Lifetime Prediction 4. Climatic</p> <p>NACEI: Activities are low but should be increased with the aid of the EUREKA Project</p> <p>GUS: Karl-Friedrich Ziegahn is the new President of GUS, Thomas the managing director of GUS; Project started for Virtual Product Qualification VIPQUALI, AG Wasser started to write a Handbook about properties of water.</p>	<p>Antonio Brito</p> <p>Francois Crepain,</p> <p>Peter Eriksson</p> <p>Marco Huber</p> <p>Eduard Pohle</p> <p>Katerina Kreislova</p> <p>Thomas Reichert</p>	<p>TAB</p>
<p>Topic 7 Discussion about further activities: The TAB is interested in having these topics: Numerical simulation, polymer degradation, bio-materials, testing equipment for renewable energy systems, offshore equipment Please Inform your national societies about the possibilities to discuss these topics in our TAB on an European level.</p>	<p>Reichert</p>	<p>TAB, GA</p>
<p>Topic 8</p>		

European Science Foundation ESF The CEEES delegates have no experience with the ESF, nobody have the time and willingness to write a proposal for this very basic research oriented Foundation.	all	TAB Members
Topic 9 Any other business Please send all a pictures and a short personal description to Thomas for the web site. Next CEEES Meeting, Ostend, February 15, 2007	all	CEEES

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 GA = General Assembly'

Thomas Reichert, GUS and ICT, September 2006