



## CONFERENCE AGENDA - Day One

### WEDNESDAY, 10 April 2013

0830 - 0900 Registration & Coffee

0900 - 0910 **Co-Chairman's Opening Address**  
Prof. Dr. Johann G Goldammer, Director, Global Fire Monitoring Center (GFMC), Germany

0910 - 0930 **Opening Address**  
Richard Biagioni, Director, Pôle Risques, France

0930 - 0945 **Keynote Address**  
Prof. Dr. Johann G Goldammer, Director, Global Fire Monitoring Center (GFMC), Germany

0945 - 1015 **Update on the Civil Protection Mechanism**  
Dimitrios Pagidas, Policy Officer - Community Civil Protection Mechanism, EU Commission, Belgium

1015 - 1100 Refreshment Break & Networking

1100 - 1130 **Air Tanker Situation in the U.S.**  
Tom Harbour, National Director, Fire & Aviation Management, U.S. Forest Service, USA

1130 - 1205 **Water Bombing Helicopter, Eurocopter Solutions**  
Benoit Terral, Operational Marketing Manager, Eurocopter, France

1205 - 1220 **New Aerial Approach for Wildland Firefighting**  
Dr Moustafa Kasbari, Director, CEEMA, Pôle Pégase, France

1220 - 1345 Buffet Lunch & Networking

1345 - 1415 **Lessons Learned from the Mount Carmel Wildfire**  
Major General Shachar Ayalon, Commissioner, Fire and Rescue National Authority, Israel

1415 - 1445 **Development of Education & Training Programs**  
Andrey Kalinin, Director & Andrey Eritsov, Deputy Director, Avialesookhrana, Russia

1445 - 1515 **New Developments in Italian Aerial Fire Fighting**  
Colonel Ettore Storti, Head of Unified Coordination Operative Air Center Unit - Aeronautical Activity Office, Italian Civil Protection Department, Italy

1515 - 1600 Refreshment Break & Networking

1600 - 1630 **Use of Fire Chemicals in Aerial Firefighting**  
Eddie Goldberg, Business Director, Fire Safety, ICL Performance Products, USA

1630 - 1700 **Spanish Aerial Fire Fighting Operations**  
Lt Colonel Juan Carlos Clerencia Sierra, Jefe de Fuerzas Aéreas, 43rd Group, Spanish Air Force, Spain

1700 - 1710 **BlazeTamer380 – Introducing a New Era in Aerial Firefighting Suppressants**  
David Cant, Business Development Manager, Biocentral Laboratories, Australia

1710 - 1730 Chairman's Closing Remarks

1730 - 1830 **Drink's Reception hosted by Russian Helicopters**  
Exhibition Room, ENSOSP

1900 - 2200 **Evening Function hosted by Eurocopter**  
Le Carré d'Aix, Aix-en-Provence



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### THURSDAY, 11 April 2013

0800 - 0830 Registration & Coffee

0830 - 0840 **Co-Chairman's Opening Address**

David Cant, formerly Manager Aviation Service, South Australian County Fire Service, Australia

0840 - 0910 **Summary of Aerial Fire Fighting in the Ukraine**

Sergiy Zibtsev, Associate Professor, National University of Life and Environmental Sciences of Ukraine / Regional Eastern European Fire Monitoring Center, Ukraine

0910 - 0940 **Be-200 Amphibious Aircraft for Fire Fighting Operations**

Christophe Briand, President, Beriev Irkut, Seaplane, France

Dina Krivonosova, Be-200 International Marketing, Beriev Aircraft Company, Russia

0940 - 1015 Refreshment Break & Networking

1015 - 1045 **Air Attack Against Wildfires**

Edward G. Keating, Senior Economist, RAND Corporation, USA

1045 - 1115 **SEILAF: Wildfire Experience**

Carlos Abrego Aguilar, Deputy General Director for Corporate Business Support, SEILAF, Spain

1115 - 1145 **Nitrofirex—Nighttime Aerial Firefighting Solutions**

Alexander Burwitz, Operations Manager, Nitrofirex, Spain

1145 - 1300 Buffet Lunch & Networking

1300 - 1330 **Operations Aspects in Macedonia**

Professor Nikola Nikolov PhD, Faculty of Forestry, University in Skopje, Republic of Macedonia

1330 - 1400 **Highlights of Helicopter Operations in Firefighting Missions**

Andrey Kozlovskiy, Director General, PANH, Russia

1400 - 1415 Chairman's Closing Remarks

### LIVE AERIAL DEMONSTRATIONS

1430 Bus collects attendees from outside Conference Room

1505 Bus arrives at the watch tower at Plateau de l'Arbois

1515 Live Demonstrations start

1630 Live Demonstrations finish

1640 Bus departs the watch tower at Plateau de l'Arbois to drop off at the following locations:

ENSOSP, Hotel La Baside De Cabries, Best Western De L'Arbois, Hotel St Christophe & Hotel Le Pignonnet