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19-20 November 2013

CERN, in the framework of the EIROforum*, and with the support of the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Rhône-Alpes, member of Enterprise Europe Network**, and of EuCARD-2***, organizes the first Workshop for Science and Business on Advanced Materials and Surfaces (WAMAS).

The event will take place at CERN, Globe of Science and Innovation, 19-20 November 2013.

Experts in the research and industrial sector will exchange knowledge on the latest developments in the fields of Advanced Materials and Surfaces in order to establish new R&D partnerships and business collaborations.

The two-day event is an initiative of the EIROforum Working Group on Innovation Management and Knowledge-Technology Transfer. With the involvement of the eight major research organizations in Europe, the workshop will facilitate the sharing of their extensive expertise in these areas of research and favor the creation of knowledge bridges with industry.

Representatives from the EIROforum Organizations will showcase their current offer in terms of technologies, services and know-how related to advanced materials and surfaces development and characterization, as well as their short-medium term needs, such as challenging requirements of future procurement actions. Companies will present their available products, on-going R&D programmes and business development perspectives.

The last session of the workshop, co-organized with the Enterprise Europe Network, will be fully dedicated to B2B meetings between research centers and industry representatives.

For more information, please contact WAMAS-workshop@cern.ch

We look forward to meeting you at CERN,
The Organizing Committee

***about EIROforum:**

EIROforum is a partnership between eight of Europe's largest inter-governmental scientific research organizations that are responsible for infrastructures and laboratories: CERN, EFDA-JET, EMBL, ESA, ESO, ESRF, European XFEL and ILL.

It is the mission of EIROforum to combine the resources, facilities and expertise of its member organizations to support European science in reaching its full potential.

****about Enterprise Europe Network:**

The Enterprise Europe Network is the largest information and consultancy network in Europe, offering support and advice to European small and medium-sized businesses. The Network is made up of 600 partners in 50 countries. The CCI Rhône-Alpes acts as regional contact point and main organizer for matchmaking event.

*****about EuCARD-2:**

EuCARD-2 (Enhanced European Coordination for Accelerator Research & Development) is a project co-funded by the European Commission under Capacities 7th Framework Programme, which contributes to positioning European accelerator infrastructures at the forefront of global research.

