



RPAS/UAS **A challenge for international, European and national air law**

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Draft Agenda

Thursday 23 May 2013

12:00 – 13:00 Registration and light lunch

Day Chair: Prof. Dr. Stephan HOBE

13:00 – 13:15 **Opening and welcome**

Mr. Frank MANUHUTU, EASA - Chief Legal Adviser

Prof. Dr. Stephan HOBE, University of Cologne - Institute of Air and Space Law

13:15 – 13:45 **RPAS in international, European and national Law – an overview**

Mr. Fredrik KAMPFE, EASA - Deputy Chief Legal Adviser

INTEGRATION OF RPAS INTO THE EU CIVIL AVIATION SYSTEM

13:45 – 14:30 **Challenges for the airworthiness certification, licensing and operational aspects**

Mr. Filippo TOMASELLO, EASA - Initial Airworthiness Rulemaking Officer

Mr. Henri RODENBURG, EASA - Rulemaking Officer Flight Crew Licensing

14:30 – 15:15 **Challenges in the area of ATM**

Mr. Peter TANNHÄUSER, EUROCONTROL - Head of Legal Service

15:15 – 16:00 **The regulatory framework for Air Navigation Services**

Mr. Francis SCHUBERT, Skyguide

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee/Tea

16:30 – 17:15 **Challenges from the national perspective**

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17:15 – 18:00 **The RPAS roadmap & Recognition of certificates in the EU**

Mr. Koen DE VOS, European Commission – Policy Officer

18:00 – 18:30 **Discussion**



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GENERAL LEGAL FRAMEWORK ISSUES

09:00 – 09:30 **Suitability of the Chicago Convention and of the ICAO Annexes**

Mr. Benoît VERHAEGEN, ICAO – Senior External Relations and Legal Officer

09:30 – 10:00 **Suitability of other international treaties for RPAS**

Prof. Dr. Elmar GIEMULLA, Berlin University of Technology, Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics

10:00 – 10:30 **Liability aspects of the operation of RPAS**

Prof. Avv. Anna MASUTTI, LexJus Sinacta - Senior Partner

10:30 – 11:00 **Lesson to be learnt from certification and approval of RPAS used by the military & security aspects of the operation of RPAS**

Mr. Stefan KAISER, Legal Adviser

Mr. Michael WALZ, CASSIDIAN - Head of Eurohawk Program

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee/Tea

11:30 – 12:30 **Panel Discussion**

Moderators:

Prof. Dr. Stephan HOBE, Universität zu Köln - Institut für Luft-und Weltraumrecht

Mr. Frank MANUHUTU, EASA - Chief Legal Adviser

Panellists:

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12:30 – 12:45 **Closing Remarks**

Mr. Eric SIVEL, EASA – Deputy Rulemaking Director

12:45 – 14:00 **Light lunch**