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**Conference on Space Traffic Management  
'Building a common EU approach on STM'  
Brussels, 23rd March 2022 – 09h00 to 11h00**

**Programme**

**08h30 to 09h00 Reception**

Coffee and refreshments will be served

**09h00 to 09h15 Opening session and initial remarks**

- Welcome and introduction  
*Marian Jean Marinescu, MEP*
- Plenary keynote presentation  
*Catherine Kavvada, Director for Innovation & Outreach, DG DEFIS*

*Joanneke Balfoort, Director Security and Defence Policy, European External Action Service*

**09h15 to 10h45 Implementation of the recently published STM  
Communication**

Debate on the importance of developing a common European approach on STM & international collaboration. A round of Q & A will follow each session.

Moderated by Xavier Pasco, Director Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique.

- 09h15 to 09h45: Operational capacity aspects  
*Pascal Faucher, European Union Space Surveillance and Tracking (EUSST) Consortium*
- 09h45 to 10h15: Regulatory aspects: Rules & Standards  
*Ward Munters, Deloitte-KU Leuven*  
*Rodolphe Munoz, DG DEFIS*
- 10h15 to 10h45: International aspects  
*Regina Peldszus, European External Action Service*

*Niklas Hedman, Office for Outer Space Affairs, United Nations*

**10h45 to 11h00 Concluding remarks**

*Colin Ducrotoy, Directeur espace du ministère de l'économie et des finances, French Presidency*