

Launch of the “Getting into the Right Lane for 2050” Study

Auditorium of the
Swedish Permanent Representation to the EU
Square de Meeûs 30,
1000 Brussels, Belgium

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Agenda

- 9:00 **Registration** and refreshments
- 9:30 **Welcome** by Dr. David Baldock, Institute for European Environmental Policy
Opening by Mr. Rolf Eriksson, State Secretary, Agriculture, Sweden
- 9:45 **Presentations: The study programme and the role of the EU**
- Prof. Maarten Hajer, Director, Netherlands Environmental Assessment Agency
Overview of the “Getting in the Right Lane for 2050” study programme
- Prof. Katarina Eckerberg, Stockholm Resilience Centre
The role of the European Commission: Institutional and policy aspects
- Representative of the Gonzales Commission (Independent Reflection Group) on the future of Europe (invited)
Current challenges for future transformation in the EU
- 10:45 **Coffee Break**
- 11:00 **Discussion Panel**
- Perspectives on the 'Right Lane' study: introducing coherent policies for transport and climate, guiding economic development and establishing a long-term investment framework*
- Mr. Jason Anderson, European Climate Change and Energy Policy, WWF
- Ms. Cristina García-Orcóyen, Fundación Enterno, Spain
- Mr. Claude Turmes, MEP, Greens/European Free Alliance (Luxembourg)
- 12:15 **Closing:** *Outlook to the Spanish and Belgian Presidencies – Setting the stage for getting into the Right Lane for 2050*
- Ms. Maria José Gomez, Head of the Cabinet of the Secretary of State for Climate Change, Spain
- 12:30 **Sandwich Lunch**

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