Info Day on Funding Opportunities for High Performance Computing (HPC) in Horizon 2020

Organised by European Technology Platform for HPC (ETP4HPC) and the European Commission (DG CONNECT) on behalf of the Public-Private Partnership (PPP) on High Performance Computing (HPC) with the local support of TERATEC

On December 17th, 2013, ETP4HPC, the European Technology Platform (ETP) in the area of High-Performance Computing (HPC) and the European Commission (EC) established a contractual Public-Private Partnership (PPP) for supporting the development of the European HPC eco-system and facilitate the achievement of research and investment objectives in the area of HPC technology provision, application development and sustainable HPC infrastructure. The HPC PPP is one of the eight contractual PPP’s launched last December in the frame of the Horizon 2020 Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020).

This Info Day is the first public event within the charter of the PPP on HPC. The Programme includes the PPP’s objectives, the European HPC strategy, and the Calls for Proposals related to HPC in the Work Programme 2014-2015 of the Excellent Science pillar of Horizon 2020 (Future and Emerging Technologies (FET) and e-infrastructures).

Participants will also have an opportunity to familiarise themselves with new ideas for ecosystem related actions, share their ideas, or just present themselves and their expertise.

| Registration | 09:30-10:00 |
| Welcome address | Jean-François Lavignon  
Chair of ETP4PHC | 10:00-10:05 |
| HPC Strategy in H2020 & HPC cPPP | Thierry Van der Pyl  
Director of "Excellence in Science", EC DG-CONNECT | 10:05-10:50 |
| PRACE Contributions to the HPC Strategy | Dr. Thomas Eickermann  
PRACE Board of Directors | 10:50-11:05 |
| ETP4HPC vision for HPC ecosystem development | Jean-François Lavignon  
Chair of ETP4HPC | 11:05-11:35 |
| HPC Technologies: FETHPC call in Work Programme 2014-2015 + Q&A | Panos Tsarchopoulos  
FET, EC DG-CONNECT | 11:35-12:15 |
| e-infrastructures: Centres of Excellence for Computing Applications, PRACE and Network of Competence Centres + Q&A | Aniyan Varghese  
e-infrastructure, EC DG-CONNECT | 12:15-12:45 |
| Lunch & networking | 12:45-13:45 |
| Presentations by participants | 13:45-15:45 |
| Wrap-up | 15:45-16:00 |
| Break & networking | 16:00-16:30 |

| ETP4HPC General Assembly | ETP members | 16:30-17:45 |