

DEAR MADAM, DEAR SIR, DEAR PROFESSIONALS OF THE ATMOSPHERIC REENTRY,

After 4 successful editions of the ARA Days (2006, 2008, 2011, 2013), the Association Board entrusted me, as President, to organize the fifth edition of this traditional Arcachon Atmospheric Reentry community rendez-vous.

The conference will once again bring together in the usual friendly way, scientists from the academic community and industry, students, research and development engineers, delegates from prime contractors and suppliers companies, agencies and end users representatives.

Some months after an European Space Agency Council at Ministerial level, the symposium will give the opportunity to exchange on the latest developments and projects dealing with Atmospheric Reentry.

2015 is for sure the year of ESA IXV vehicle: 17 years after the Atmospheric Reentry Demonstrator, Europe was back to flight this February with this outstanding lifting body. A special emphasis is thus given during the conference to IXV mission, design and sub-systems, with hopefully flight first exploitation and lessons learned.

Knowing also about follow-on programs like PRIDE will be a must!

News from other Agencies demonstrators programs, like ESA EXPERT, DLR SHEFEX and REX, are expected, as well as European Union Research & Technology future projects. The question of future demonstration missions & vehicles will be clearly raised during the Conference!

Last, but not least, the Conference will largely debate the subject of space debris reentry: LEO satellites at end of operational life, launchers upper stages, and also end of life of orbital servicing vehicles.

I am looking forward to meeting you again in a sunny Arcachon, for 3 remarkable days.

Yours faithfully,
Thierry Leveugle
President, The Atmospheric Reentry Association

May 18th, 2015

08h30-09h30	REGISTRATION						
	5 th ARA Days Welco	me Introduction					
09h30-09h45	WELCOME ADDRESS						
	Thierry LEVEUGLE,	ARA (FRANCE)					
	INTRODUCTION KEYNOTE						
09h45-10h15	Plenary Speech: the	5					
	Giorgio TUMINO, ESA / ESTEC (THE NETHERLANDS)						
10h15-10h45	COFFEE E	BREAK					
	PLENARY S	ESSION					
10h45-11h15	IXV Project – Project ar	nd Mission Overview					
	Roberto ANGELINI, Thales	Alenia Space (ITALY)					
11h15-11h45	IXV Trajectory Predictions and F	light Performance Overview					
	Martins SUDARS, Thales	Alenia Space (ITALY)					
11h45-12h15	The IXV Guidance, Navigation and Control Subsystem:						
	from Qualification to a						
	Augusto CARAMAGNO						
12h15-12h45	The IXV Avionics System: Architecture						
	and Flight Telem	• •					
121 45 421 45	Stephane DUSSY, ESA / ESTEC (THE NETHERLANDS)						
12h45-13h15	Development and Flight Qualification of C-SIC Thermal Protection Systems for the IXV						
	François-Laurent BUFFENOIR, Hera						
13h15-14h30							
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	PLENARY S	ESSION					
14h30-15h00	CHEEV	Stony					
141130-131100	SHEFEX Story Hendrik WEIHS, German Aerospace Center DLR (GERMANY)						
	AERODYNAMICS -	GNC AND FLIGHT					
	AEROTHERMICS - CFD	CONTROL					
15h00- 15h20	IXV ATDB Tool And	Model Based Attitude Control Design					
	Aerothermodynamic Characterization.	for Shefex III					
	From the Design to the Flight	Jürgen TELAAR, Astrium Space Transportation (GERMANY)					
	Vicenzo MARESCHI, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	Transportation (GERMANT)					
15h20- 15h40	Numerical Simulations of Flows Mission Analysis and Flight Mechani						
	Past the IXV Capsule Performances of IXV from						
	Renato PACIORRI, Sapienza -	Design to Flight – Rodrigo HAYA,					
	University of Rome (ITALY)	DEIMOS Space S.L.U. (SPAIN)					

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AERODYNAMICS -AEROTHERMICS - CFD - 1 -

Simulation of the Influence of Fluid 15h40-16h00 Flow on C/C Composite Ablation Cyril LEVET, CEA DAM (FRANCE)

Numerical Simulation of Ablation: Study 16h00-16h20 of Fluid/Solid Coupling. Simon PELUCHON, CEA / CESTA

(FRANCE)

GNC AND FLIGHT CONTROL

Enhanced Apollo Guidance for ESA High Precision Landing Mission on Mars Philippe VERNIS, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)

Final Flight Performance Predictions for the IXV GNC Murray KERR, DEIMOS Space S.L.U. (SPAIN)

COFFEE BREAK 16h20-16h50

SUBSYSTEMS AIT

16h50-17h10

The IXV Body Flap Assembly -Development Milesetones and Outlook Harald LANGE, MT Aerospace AG (GERMANY)

17h10-17h30

Assembly and Integration of Instrumented Nose and Windward CMC TPS for IXV Program

Elena BRACH PREVER, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)

17h30-17h50

IXV Body Flaps Actuators Didier VERHOEVEN, SABCA (BELGIUM)

17h50-18h10

IXV Cold Structure Technical Challenges Related to the Aero-Thermodynamic Performance of the Vehicle Fabrizio URBINATI, RUAG Space (SWITZERLAND)

TPS & THERMAL DESIGN - 1

HYDRA - Design and Testing of a New Hybrid TPS for LEO & Moon Return Missions

Wolfgang P.P FISCHER, Airbus Defence & Space (GERMANY)

ASTERM Low Density Ablative Material: **Development Status**

Jean-Marc BOUILLY, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)

Low Density Ablative Materials Modified by Nano-Fillers Addition: Manufacturing and Characterisation

Laura PAGLIA, Sapienza - University of Rome (ITALY)

Crushable Thermal Protection System Definition Didier ZÉLY, MECANO I&D (FRANCE)

20h00-23h00

CONFERENCE GALA DINNER



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	PLANETARY ENTRY, DESCENT AND LANDING	
09h00-09h20	Beagle-2 Lander Found on Mars Philippe WATILLON, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)	
09h20-09h40	Entry, Descent and Landing Systems for Human Missions to Mars Jean-Marc SALOTTI, ENSC - IPB (FRANCE)	
09h40-10h00	Paper on EXOMARS Yann MIGNOT, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)	
10h00-10h40	COFFEE BREAK	
	SPECIAL PLENARY SESSION: SPACE DEBRIS REENTRY	
10h40-11h00	Order of Magnitude Analysis for the On-ground Risk Associated with Uncontrolled Re-entries Stijn LEMMENS, ESA / ESOC (GERMANY)	
11h00-11h20	Overall Cost and Risk Indexing of a Space Debris reentry Project Laura COSTANZA, Aviospace S.r.l. (ITALY)	
11h20-11h40	Spacecraft Demise: Ablation Modeling Jacques COUZI, CEA CESTA (FRANCE)	
11h40-12h00	Airbus Safran Launchers and CNES R&T Studies about Launchers Upper-stages Re-entry Laurent CHEVALIER et Amaya ESPINOSA, Airbus Safran Launchers / CNES (FRANCE)	
12h00-12h20	LOS Impacts on Satellite: Design for Demise Benoît DILLENSCHNEIDER, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)	
12h20-14h00	LUNCH	
	PLENARY SESSION: GROUND SEGMENT AND OPERATIONS	
14h00-14h20	The Intermediate eXperimental Vehicle – IXV - Ground Segment Giovanni MARTUCCI di SCARFIZZI, ALTEC S.p.A. (ITALY)	
14h20-14h40	Real-time IXV Trajectory Predictions at Mission Control Center Martins SUDARS, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	
14h40-15h00	IXV Recovery Operations Stefano BOLOGNA, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	



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	SYSTEM DESIGN	TPS & THERMAL DESIGN - 2	
15h00-15h20	Flight Prediction Methods and Models Applied during IXV Utilisation Phase Rodrigo HAYA, DEIMOS Space S.L.U. (SPAIN)	IXV Thermo-Elastic Analysis for Steps & Gaps Verification and TPS Integration Valerio BECCHIO, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	
15h20-15h40	IXV Demonstrator Margin Policy and Qualification Approach Angelo DENARO, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	IXV TPS&HS Interfaces Design Solutions Maria Teresa SIGNORELLI, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	
15h40-16h00	IXV DRS – Design , Verification Approach and Preliminary Insight in Flight Performances – Antonio SALUZZI, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	Qualification of Rear Face Thermography Technique under CO_2 High Enthalpy Flow in the ONERA F4 Wind Tunnel Julien GARRAUD, ONERA (FRANCE)	
16h00-16h30	COFFEE BREAK		
16h30-16h50	Design and Test of a Small Entry Capsule for the Break Up Camera BUC on ATV 5 Sofia GIAGKOZOGLOU, Germ Aerosp Center DLR (GERMANY)	Heat Transfer Modelling in Micro-X- Ray Tomography Composite Structure Christophe TALLARON, CEA Le Ripault (FRANCE)	
16h50-17h10	About the Construction of a Robust Metamodel to Estimate the Stagnation Heat Flux for the Expert Vehicle Andrea Francesco CORTESI, Inria Bordeaux (FRANCE)	IXV Thermal Control Post-Flight Hardware and Data Assessment Giovanni LODDONI, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	
17h10-17h30	Rocket Complex with Orbiter and with Liquid Propellant Engines on High Concentrated Hydrogen Peroxide (Up to 98 %) Alexander LEVENKO, Air-Space Agency Magellan (UKRAINE)	SMARTEES - A New Thermal Protection System for LEO Return Missions Wolfgang P.P FISCHER, Airbus Defence & Space (GERMANY)	

ROUND TABLE & DISCUSSION WITH DELEGATES



May 20th, 2015

	PLENARY SESSION: REENTRY PROJECTS PERSPECTIVES	
08h30-09h00	IXV Initial Post-Flight Assessment Angelo DENARO, Thales Alenia Space (ITALY)	
09h00-09h30	Which Technologies for Re-entry Need Europe after the Success of IXV? Arguments for a Re-entry Roadmap José LONGO, ESA / ESTEC (THE NETHERLANDS)	
09h30-10h00	IRENA (International Re-Entry demoNstrator Action) Aurélien PISSELOUP, AIRBUS D & S (FRANCE)	
10h00-10h30	Human Spaceflight Directorate Overview Paper about the Status of Atmospheric Re-entry Marco CAPORICCI, ESA / ESTEC (THE NETHERLANDS)	
10h30-11h00	COFFEE BREAK	
	PLENARY SESSION: FUTURE MISSIONS	
11h00-11h30	Preliminary Atmospheric Re-entry Flight Analysis for the USV3 Mission Roberto PALUMBO, CIRA (ITALY)	
11h30-12h00	Japan's Mars Rover Mission for Technology Demonstration and Life Search Kazuhisa FUJITA, JAXA (JAPAN)	
12h00-12h30	HYPLANE: Effects of Closer Aeronautics and Space Gennaro RUSSO, Trans-Tech (ITALY)	
12h30-13h00	Special Session Conclusion: Space Debris Reentry Status & Research Perspectives Dominique PIROTAIS, ARA, CEA CESTA (FRANCE)	
12h20-13h15	5™ ARA DAYS CONCLUSION	
13h15-14h30	FAREWELL LUNCH	



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GENERAL LOCATION

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LANGUAGE

Papers will be presented in English. Simultaneous translation facilities will not be available

REGISTRATION

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