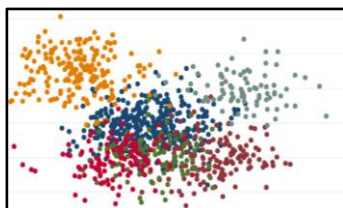




EUROGI MEMBERS VIRTUAL MEETING SESSIONS ‘BEYOND SDIs’ & ‘WOMEN IN GI’ & ‘MEMBERS’ SESSION”

25 May 2021 starting at 14:00 (Central European Summer Time)

Please connect [here](#) starting from 13.50 (CEST)



EUROGI will be holding an afternoon virtual session starting at 14:00 CEST and finishing at 17:30 CEST. After general introductions, the event will comprise three main sessions as indicated below.

Beyond SDI Panel Session

The SDI paradigm was developed in the mid-late 1980s and early 1990s. The need to look into the future beyond SDIs arises in particular because the technological environment in which the geospatial community operates has changed radically since those somewhat distant days when the SDI paradigm was first formulated.

The panellists in the 75 minute session will be Prof Andreas Wytzisk (Germany), Prof Michael Gould (Spain), Dr Zaffar Mohamed Ghouse (Australia), Dr Nadine Almeh (OGC CEO: Washington DC), Dr Greg Scott (UN GGIM; New York), Prof Serena Coetzee (South Africa), and Dr Alex Kmoch (Estonia).

The session will be facilitated by EUROGI Vice President Bruce McCormack.

Women in GI Panel Session

“Women in GI” is a EUROGI Policy Focus Group established in September 2020 with two main goals. Firstly, to provide an opportunity for women currently in the European geospatial sector to network and make contacts, and to share experiences. Secondly, to develop policy positions which can be used by EUROGI and possibly other organisations to promote gender equality within their own organisations. This session gives panellists the opportunity to present the proposed Pilot Survey intended to build an overview of the current situation in various types of European organisations, and to give their perspectives on the topic.

The panellists in this 75 minutes session will be Prof Monica Sebillio (Italy), Marion Murphy (Ireland), Annelies Van Alphen (Belgium), and Marie Jagaille (France).

The session will be facilitated by Dr Ulla Kronborg Mazzoli (Denmark).

Members Interaction Session

This final main session will provide an opportunity for members to make their contributions regarding issues of importance taking place in their own countries.