



ESF-NSF Workshop on  
Advancing Technological Frontiers for Feasibility of Ageless Structures  
Strasbourg, France, October 2-4, 2003

## PROGRAMME

### Thursday, 2 October

- 12:00 - 13:30 *Buffet lunch*
- 13:30 - 14:00 **Welcome and Workshop Objectives**  
Shi Chi Liu, Lucia Faravelli, Rahmat Shoureshi
- 14:00 - 15:20 **Presentations by European and US Industry Representatives**  
Ta-Lun Yang, Bart Peeters, Steven W. Arms, Daniele Inaudi
- 15:20 - 15:45 *Coffee break*
- 15:45 - 17:05 **Presentations by European and US Industry Representatives**  
K.C. Tran, Kay Dittrich, Georges Magonette, Helmut Wenzel
- 17:05 - 18:25 **Presentations by observers**  
Yoshihiro Fujimori, Agnessa Kovaleva, Ou Jinping, Fabio Casciati
- 18:45 - 19:15 **CONVIB Steering Committee** (members only)
- 20:00 *Dinner*

### Friday, 3 October

- 07:55 - 08:15 **Industry Presentation**  
Cleopatra Cabuz
- 08:15 - 10:15 **Presentations by European and US Academics**  
*Chair:* William B.F. Spencer  
Victor Giurgiutiu, André Preumont, Gary R. Pickrell, Peter Svec,  
Yves Berthelot, Christopher Scruby, Andrei Shkel, Pierluigi Civera
- 10:15 - 10:30 *Coffee break*
- 10:30 - 11:00 **ESF-NSF speakers**  
Shi Chi Liu, Neil Williams, Masayoshi Tomizuka
- 11:00 - 12:30 **Presentations by European and US Academics**  
*Chair:* Costas Syrmakesis  
Gregory L. Fenves, Fernando Branco, Amr Baz, Guido de Roeck,  
Silvia Ferrari, Hans Irschik
- 12:30 - 13:30 *Cocktail lunch*
- 13:30 - 15:45 **Presentations by European and US Academics**  
*Chair:* Ta-Lun Yang  
Christian Boller, William B.F. Spencer, Frédéric Bourquin,  
Kimberly Newman, Jan Holnicki-Szulc, Peter Chang, Jyrki  
Kullaa, José Rodellar
- 15:45 - 17:15 **Two Breakout Sessions**  
**'Advanced Technologies':**  
*Chairs:* Steven W. Arms, Georges Magonette  
*Reporter and recorder:* Silvia Ferrari  
**'Informatics':**  
*Chairs:* Dr. William M. Thamm, José Rodellar  
*Reporter and recorder:* Christopher Scruby
- 15:45 - 17:15 **NSF-ESF Executive Meeting** (restricted)
- 17:15 - 17:40 *Coffee break*

17:40 – 18:40

**Continuation of two Breakout Sessions**

18:40 - 19:30

**Presentation of Results from Breakout Sessions**

Christopher Scruby, Fabio Casciati

*20:00*

*Dinner*

***Saturday, 4 October***

08:00 - 08:45

**Special International R&D Opportunities**

08:45 - 10:00

**Summary of Priority R&D Projects Between European & US**

10:00 - 10:30

**Closing Remarks**

*10:30 - 10:45*

*Coffee break*

10:45 - 12:00

**Executive Session**

*12:00 - 14:30*

*Lunch*