



*Come and visit us at the joint  
EU stand in hall 27 (511)!*



**EUROPE FOR RAIL**



24-27 September 2024  
Berlin



Hall 27, Stand 511

#EuropeForRail - InnoTrans, the world's largest fair for rail technology is at our doorstep, and the EU institutions have teamed up to present the many activities happening at EU level in support of the most environmentally friendly mode of land transport. **Check out our stand programme and visit us in hall 27!**

# STAND PROGRAMME

## TUESDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2024

- 10h30 - 11h15** - **Bringing Talent on Track: Understanding EU Regulation**  
*What is needed to support talents in railways to understand and apply European rail regulations?*  
**Panelists**  
*Estelle Baconnier, DG MOVE*  
*Joao Gaspar, ERA Academy*  
*Pio Guido, ERA*  
*Richard Kayser, TU Dresden*  
*Dorothea Spaepen, ERA Academy*
- 12h30 - 14h30** - **Women in Mobility Luncheon (Venue: palais.Berlin)**  
**Invitation only event**  
*Keynote by ERA Chairperson Paloma Iribas Forcat*
- 14h00 - 14h45** - **All Aboard! The Social Side of Rail**  
*Tackling challenges linked to skills, languages and representation*
- 15h00 - 16h00** - **Women in Rail Award**  
*Join us for the Women in Rail Award ceremony!*
- 16h30 - 17h30** - **Speaker's Corner: The AAA of Rail - Attractive, Accessible, Affordable (Hosted by the European Commission) (Venue: Hall 27, Beta 1-2)**
- 16h30 - 16h55** - **ERRAC-RRIAA Presentation**
- 17h00 - 17h45** - **ERTMS - Lessons Learned**  
*Only real experience can bring relevant lessons for new deployment*

## WEDNESDAY 25 SEPTEMBER 2024

- 10h00 - 10h45** - **ERTMS – Overcoming Fragmentation and Achieving Scale**  
**Panelists**  
*Jasmin Bigdon, Deutsche Bahn*  
*Josef Doppelbauer, ERA*  
*Matthias Ruete, EU ERTMS Coordinator*  
*Gemma Salazar, Hitachi*
- 10h45 - 11h30** - **Do you speak FRMCS? Current Status, Future Specifications**
- 11h45 - 12h30** - **AI for Vehicle Authorisation: a RAILvolution**  
*A path to AI-based applications, based on a fundamental change in data representation*  
*Maarten Duhoux, ERA*
- 12h45 - 13h30** - **The Role of Rail Defending Europe**  
**Panelists**  
*Josef Doppelbauer, ERA*  
*Yevhen Lyashchenko, Ukrainian Railways*  
*Sigrid Evelyn Nikutta, DB Cargo AG*  
*Kristian Schmidt, European Commission*  
*José Antonio Sebastian Ruiz, Spanish Ministry for Transport*
- 13h45 - 14h30** - **What Have the TSI's ever Done for Us? TSIs define the technical and operational standards that must be met by the EU rail system. What benefits has the latest TSI package brought and what's planned next?**
- 14h45 - 15h30** - **Boosting rail through the new TEN-T rules**  
*Which infrastructure standards does the new TEN-T Regulation set for the sector?*
- 15h45 - 16h30** - **Global Gateway: Promoting Sustainable Railways in EU Partner Countries**
- 17h00 - 17h45** - **Why? What? How? EU-Rail System Pillar**  
*Pio Guido, ERA et al.*
- 18h00 - 19h00** - **Cocktail: ERA's 20th Anniversary**  
**Guests**  
*Stefan Dernbach, Eisenbahn-Bundesamt (EBA)*  
*Philipp Nagl, DB InfraGO*  
*Axel Schuppe, German Railway Industry (VDB)*

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## THURSDAY 26 SEPTEMBER 2024

- 10h00 - 11h00** - **Speaker's Corner: Digitalisation and DAC, What Are the Hopes of Rail?**  
(Venue: Hall 27, Beta 1-2)  
*Panelists*  
*Constanze Bannholzer, ÖBB*  
*Chris Carr, ERA*  
*Michaela Strohschneider, MOVE*  
*Magnus Walhborg, Trafikverket*
- 11h00 - 11h45** - **Connecting Europe - Boosting the Development of Cross-Border Rail**  
*Commission Action plan to boost long-distance and cross-border passenger rail: where do we stand?*
- 11h45 - 12h30** - **Control Command and Signalling : What is the Target?**  
*This session illustrates the deliverables targeted for release by 2027*
- 12h30 - 13h15** - **What Makes Rail Competitive? Harmonised Standards & Competition**  
*The factors that make a difference to rail's competitiveness*
- 14h30 - 15h15** - **Rail Cybersecurity - Are you Prepared?**  
*What does cybersecurity mean for train travel?*  
*David Cuesta Gomez, ERA*
- 15h30 - 16h15** - **Fitting More Trains on Track**  
*What changes will the new EU Regulation on the use of rail capacity introduce?*
- 16h30 - 17h15** - **Rail Safety Culture**  
*Like in all high-risk industries, cultural and informal organisational aspects are paramount for achieving safe and sustainable performance in railways - how is it done?*  
*Panelists*  
*Jean-Claude Larrieu, SNCF*  
*Peter Reinshagen, ERMEWA SA*  
*Pio Guido, ERA*

## FRIDAY 27 SEPTEMBER 2024

- 10h00 - 10h45** - **All aboard! The Social Side of Rail [part 2]**
- 11h30 - 12h30** - **Speaker's Corner: Climate change adaptation and rail resilience for a sustainable European transport system**  
*What can we (the sector) do to improve resilience of the rail system?*  
*What does it mean in your opinion to have a railway system that is climate resilient/adapted?*  
*Panelists*  
*Julie Berckmans, EEA*  
*Keir Fitch, MOVE*  
*Alain Quinet, SNCF Réseau*  
*Sonja Szymczak, DZSF*  
*Giorgio Travaini, EU-Rail*  
*Eva Valeri, ERA*  
*Josef Doppelbauer, ERA (moderator)*

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