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|             | <b>Friday 29. August</b><br>Location: Weidemann   |
|             | <b>Education, competence and certification of professionals working in radiation protection</b><br><b>Moderator: Ingeborg A. Mork-Knutsen (DSA)</b>   |
| 08:30-10:00 | <p align="center"><b>Panel debate: Competence and challenges in radiation protection</b></p> <p>Key points for the debate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Certification of radiation protection officer/expert</li> <li>• When is the certification good enough?</li> <li>• What kind of training is good enough?</li> <li>• Recruitment of employees with radiation protection expertise can be a challenge</li> </ul> <p>Representatives from regulators, educational institutions and industry are invited to give an introduction and participate in the debate.</p> <p>Participants in the panel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Audun Sanderud, Technical Lead Characterization and Radiation Protection, Norsk nukleær dekommisjonering (NND)</li> <li>• Jukka Liukkonen, Senior physicist PhD, Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority (STUK)</li> <li>• Paula Nuñez, Group Lead Radiation Protection, Institute for Energy Technology (IFE)</li> <li>• Naeem Ul Syed, Senior Advisor, R&amp;D Section, Norwegian Radiation and Nuclear Safety Authority (DSA)</li> <li>• Klara I. Björk, Senior scientific Secretary, Swedish Radiation Protection Authority (SSM)</li> </ul> |
| 10:00-10:15 | Coffee break and poster walk  |
| 10:15-10:45 | <b>J2: Joint Sessions</b><br><b>Moderator: Eva Forssell-Aronsson</b>  |
|             | J2-1 Norway's involvement in the 'PREDICT' project (Justin Brown, DSA)  |
| 10:45-11:15 | J2-2 Invited talk:<br>Assessing the Carcinogenic Risks of Extremely Low Frequency Magnetic Fields: Cohort Studies on Residential Exposure and Cancer Incidence (Jonne Naarala)  |
| 11:15-11:30 | <b>Young Scientist and future of radiation protection</b>   |
|             | J2-3 Review of worker contamination at IFE 1998-2024 (Kevin Cappa)  |
| 11:30-11:45 | J2-4 Thyroid Response to low-to-intermediate-dose <sup>131</sup> I exposure. Impact of age at exposure on gene expression (Anja Schroff)  |
| 11:30-11:45 | Young scientist award   |
| 11:45-12:00 | <b>Closing ceremony and Presentation of next conference</b>   |
| 12:00-13:00 | Lunch   |