

Fostering ITS Policy

An event organized jointly by TTS Italia and the Policy Committee on Intelligent Transport Systems of the International Road Federation (IRF)

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

Wednesday 5 December 2012

Savoia Hotel Regency, Bologna, Italy

Time	Item
10.00 – 10.10	Welcome and opening - Mrs. Rosella Panero, President TTS Italia - Mr. Josef Czako, Chairman IRF Policy Committee on ITS
10.10 -11.30	The ITS Policy Context in Italy The Italian ITS Action Plan (Ministry of Transport representative, TBC) The view from the industry (Dr. Olga Landolfi, TTS Italia) The IRF Vienna Manifesto on ITS (Mrs. Caroline Visser, IRF) Discussion How can the Italian policy framework for ITS be improved? What actions could be undertaken to implement the IRF Manifesto in Italy and what indicators should be developed to measure its performance?
11.30 – 11.50	Coffee break
11.50 - 13.00	 Professional Capacity Building in ITS Overview of ITS education in Europe and Italy: discussion on strengthening international connections International networking among universities in the ITS EDUNET: new courses, textbooks and educational instruments – Prof. Bruno Dalla Chiara, Politecnico di Torino, Vice-Chairman ITS EDUNET Italian education on ITS: from research outcomes to a modernized education – Prof. Gennaro Bifulco, University of Naples Federico II – Prof. Gaetano Fusco, University of Rome "La Sapienza" Research an autonomous driving (representative Parma University, TBC)



	Discussion
13.00 - 14.15	Lunch break
14.15 – 15.35	Panel discussion - The Way Forward
	Moderated by Mr. Josef Czako and Dr. Olga Landolfi
	Invited Panellists:
	- Mrs. Rosella Panero, President TTS Italia
	- Dr. Roberto Ferrazza, chairman Easyway
	- Dr. Luca Studer, Politecnico Milano
	- Dr. Ing. Massimo Schintu, AISCAT
	- Mrs. Caroline Visser, IRF Geneva
	Question:
	 How to communicate the benefits and opportunities of ITS for
	businesses, for safety for sustainability, for vulnerable road
	users, etc. to the society at large.
15.35-15.45	Workshop conclusions
15.45	Adjournment