EARTH OBSERVATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (EOAC)

Agenda: Town Hall 2017

21st March 2017 10:00 – 15:00

Mary Ward House, 5-7 Tavistock Place, London, WC1H 9SN <http://www.marywardhouse.com/>

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# Aims of the meeting:

* Have a two way information exchange with the wide and diverse UK EO community.
* Discuss the future UKSA EO priorities 2017-2040.
* Consider the EOAC itself and the process for ad hominems renewal.
* Celebrate the UKSA NERC MOU.

| **No.** |  | **Agenda Item** | **Time**  |
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| 1 | 10.00 | Registration, Tea & Coffee | 30 mins |
| 2 | 10:30 | Opening Welcome  | 15 mins |
| 3 | 10:45 | UK Space Agency Update Inc. Space Growth Strategy | 10 mins |
| 4 | 10:55 | The new EO Vision 2017-2040 | 15 mins + 10 mins Q+A |
| 5 | 11:20 | Overview of ESA EO Programmes | 20 mins + 5 mins Q+A |
| 6 | 11:45 | EO Technology strategy and plans for CEOI 2020  | 20 mins + 5 mins Q+A |
| 7 | 12:10 | Space 4 climate – vision, achievements and next steps | 10 mins + 5 mins Q+A |
| 8 | 12:25 | Lunch and networking | 50 mins |
| 9 | 13:15 | Applications Strategy, IPP, and SSGP | 20 mins |
| 10 | 13:35 | NERC UKSA MOU: Roles and Science Priorities | 15 mins |
| 11 | 13:50 | Defra perspective Inc. UK- GEOS and GEO and Copernicus | 10 mins |
| 12 | 14:00 | Developing a strong, robust and growing EO eco system1. How should UK capitalise on the UK's leading position in ESA EO to show the best economic and scientific return?
2. How should the UK safeguard/optimise its involvement in the (non ESA) European EO market pre and post BREXIT?
3. What would significantly open the global market to UK EO products and services?
4. What gaps in skills, technology are crucial?

Answers: “What, Why, How and Who needs to act?”  | 40 mins |
| 13 | 14:40 | Plenary feedback from tables – top priorities for change | 20 mins |
| 14 | 15:00 | Close of meeting |  |
| 15 | 15:00 | Coffee and Networking | 30 mins |