



REStARTS



REStARTS Workshop 2012

Wake up Europe! REStART loving Science

Collaboration between Aeronautical Scientists, Teachers, and Young People.



as guest

Wednesday 29th February 2012 - 13:30
at "ECOLE ROYALE MILITAIRE"

Hannes Ross - Design Advisor of the
Solar Impulse Team

Dear Sir, Dear Madam,

As part of the European project REStARTS, four European Research Establishments in the aeronautics the VKI (Belgium), the DLR (Germany), CIRA (Italy) and INCAS (Romania) advised by the School of Education at the University of Leicester (United Kingdom) have developed a set of educational materials for teachers and students of primary and secondary schools.

This project is now completed. Resources developed and tested in different pilot schools of the participating countries will be made available to the European educational world on the website **www.fp7-restarts.eu**.

This website will be open to the public during a special event to be held at the Royal Military School of Brussels, Belgium, 29th February 2012 (1.30 - 5.00pm). This afternoon will be an opportunity to demonstrate the developments **resulting from a close collaboration between the world of research and education**. The tools developed for teachers to use in the classroom are directly related to the aspects of research in aeronautics.

We will use this opportunity to introduce the learning materials developed to the teachers, young students and policy makers. **Significant time of this afternoon will be devoted to experiments with the participants. These experiments in aeronautics will be presented by Belgian students who participated in the project development.**

The aim of this project has been to contribute actively to reversing the current trend of young people being disinterested in aeronautics in particular and science in general. One of the main objectives of this project is to present young people with interesting tools to study the physics of aircraft flight and also for them to learn about the current challenges of aviation in terms of environment, comfort and passenger safety.

Hannes Ross, Engineer of the Solar Impulse team which has developed the first aircraft powered solely by the sun will present the formidable environmental and technological challenges handled by the team of this exciting project. We look forward to meeting you on this occasion to celebrate this project which has motivated us for almost three years. We hope to continue in this direction the coming years for a greater number of European countries.

Sincerely,

Patricia Corieri

Coordinator – Project RESTART

REGISTRATION: <https://events.vki.ac.be/restarts2012/>

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Expected participants: Students, primary and secondary school teachers, stakeholders and the general public

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