



EXTREME WEATHER IMPACTS ON EUROPEAN NETWORKS OF TRANSPORT

Welcome to the EWENT Innovations Seminar 26-27 April 2012 in Athens!

If you are providing or using transport services, in charge of transport policy or transport management, or developing new transport technologies or services, you will find this seminar interesting. Please join us and hear what we have learned during the 2,5 year research project [EWENT](#), and what the key results, conclusions and recommendations are. How can European transport system be better prepared for extreme weather and changing climate?

- Seminar starts immediately after [TRA2012](#) in Athens on 26-27 April 2012
- Venue is close to TRA2012 conference: [Hotel Titania](#) 52, Panepistimiou Ave, Athens 10678.
- A block of rooms have been reserved including breakfast with the price of 60€ single / 70 € double per night.

Seminar is free of charge but requires registration. As there are only limited number of seats and rooms available, please send your registration by **e-mail to pirkko.saarikivi@foreca.com** as soon as possible giving your contact information. Looking forward to seeing you in April in Athens!

Seminar Agenda

Thursday 26th April 12.00 - 22.00

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| 12.00-13.00 | Seminar kick-off lunch in Hotel Titania, introduction to participants |
| 13.00-13.20 | Opening and welcome, practicalities
Pirkko Saarikivi, Foreca Ltd, Finland |
| 13.20-13.30 | Objectives of EWENT
Pekka Leviäkangas, EWENT Coordinator, VTT, Finland |
| 13.30-13.40 | Extreme weather phenomena (WP1)
Pekka Leviäkangas |
| 13.40-13.50 | Probabilities and future scenarios (WP2)
Andrea Vajda, Finnish Meteorological Institute |

- 13.50-14.00 Consequences and costs (WP3, WP4)
Marko Nokkala, VTT
- 14.00-14.10 Consequences and costs for logistics (WP3, WP4)
Johanna Ludvigsen, Institute of Transport Economics, Norway
- 14.10-14.20 Risk management (WP5)
Riitta Molarius, VTT
- 14.20-14.30 Adaptation and mitigation methods (WP6)
Pirkko Saarikivi
- 14.30-15.00 Coffee break
- 15.00-18.00 Systematic innovation brainstorming session
Conducted by Pirkko Saarikivi
- 19.30-22.00 Digestion of new ideas during EWENT Innovation Dinner

Friday 27th April 09.00 - 14.00

- 09.00-11.00 Brainstorming continues with well digested and fresh ideas
- 11.00-12.00 Summary of ideas and selection of the best ones
- 12.00-13.00 Celebrating the Best EWENT Idea with farewell lunch

