

AGENDA

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IN MALTA CONFERENCE

MALTA R&I DAYS

20 NOVEMBER 2025 | 08:30-16:00

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| 08:30 - 09:00 | Welcome coffee |
| 09:00 - 09:10 | Opening Speech by Hon. Clifton Grima Minister for Education, Sports, Youth, Research and Innovation |
| 09:10 - 09:20 | Address by Hon. Keith Azzopardi Tanti, Parliamentary Secretary for Youth Research and Innovation |
| 09:20 - 09:30 | Address by Prof. Christoph Schäfer
Senior Advisor, CERN Associate Member and Non-Member State Relations |
| 09:30 - 10:00 | 'CERN Past-Present-Future'
A presentation by Prof. Christoph Schäfer Senior Advisor, CERN Associate Member and Non-Member State Relations |
| 10:00 - 10:30 | Coffee Break |
| 10:30 - 11:30 | An overview of the latest Research in key experimental projects - a Large Ion Collider Experiment (ALICE) and TWOCRIST - a presentation by Dr Kai Schweda - ALICE Collaboration Deputy Spokesperso and by Dr Pascal Hermes, TWOCRIST Study Leader, Beams Department |
| 11:30 - 12:00 | The Future of CERN and FCC - discussions on upcoming projects by Mr Jerome Pierlot - FCC Office Representative |

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| 12:00 - 12:30 | CERN industrial procurement – a presentation on strategy and collaborations with CERN by Mr Jerome Pierlot – FCC Office Representative |
| 12:30 - 13:30 | Standing lunch and networking |
| 13:30 - 13:50 | CERN collaboration with Malta – a presentation by Dr Pascal Hermes, TWOCRIST Study Leader, Beams Department |
| 13:50 - 14:20 | A presentation by students – presentations and link with 3 main CERN-related Malta industry pillars – a presentation by Maria Aquilina and Andrea Vella |
| 14:20 - 14:35 | Coffee Break |
| 14:35 - 15:05 | A showcase of Projects by The Malta College of Arts, Science and Technology by Prof. Stephen Sammut |
| 15:05 - 15:35 | A showcase of Projects – presented by the University of Malta by Prof. Gianluca Valentino |
| 15:35 - 16:00 | Outreach, recruitment and school programmes – an update by Mr Ernest Zakrzewski – Programme Coordinator, CERN Associate Member and Non-Member State Relations |