

Conference

Chaired by Gesine Meissner MEP

The Future European Drone Market & the next Multiannual Financial Framework: How to Open Up the Market?

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The European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) will soon be assigned through final approval of the EASA Basic Regulation on Civil Aviation expanded authority to regulate Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) or drones. As the European Union works to facilitate widespread drone integration, EASA and SESAR JU are playing a crucial role in defining technical ramifications for the European Drone Market. Equally as important will be the role of national civil aviation authorities in assuring that a real Internal Market for drones and related services is being created.

Join Gesine Meissner MEP and [Drone Alliance Europe](#) (DAE) for a discussion on strategic challenges in the development of a European Drone Market, in particular how decisions on the next MFF can help shape the European Drone Market and how to create proper certification and standards, while enabling the opening up of a European Internal Market for drones and related services.

PROGRAMME

Welcome and Parliamentary Introduction

Gesine Meissner MEP
Member of the Committee on Transport and Tourism

Panel I: What Role for Investments in Opening Up the European Drone Market?

Speakers:

- **Matthijs van Miltenburg MEP**, European Parliament
- **Andrea Gentili**, Deputy Head of Unit, DG RTD, European Commission
- **Florian Guillermet**, Executive Director, SESAR JU
- **Carine Donzel**, Deputy Head, Aeronautic Industry Department, DGAC, France
- **Christoph Raab**, Executive Director, Drone Alliance Europe

Keynote Address

Violeta Bulc
EU Commissioner for Transport

Coffee Break

Panel II: A Vision Beyond 2020 – Do We Need to Do More?

Speakers:

- **Gesine Meissner MEP**, European Parliament
- **Marian-Jean Marinescu MEP**, European Parliament
- **Filip Cornelis**, Director, DG MOVE, European Commission
- **Patrick Ky**, Executive Director, EASA
- **Oliver Pulcher**, Director Corporate Development, Deutsche Flugsicherung (DFS)
- **Marina Solin**, Director Public Policy, GSMA