

COST Action EU-MACE

MC meeting and working group meeting WG4/WG1/WG2/WG3

Date of the Event:
5–7th October 2026

Venue:
National Centre for Nuclear Research NCBJ
A. Soltana St. 7
05-400 Otwock, Poland

Agenda:

(detailed programme at the end of this document)

Day 1: 5 th October 2026		
Hour (local)	Item	Chair
8:00-9:00 (ca. 50-60 min)	Transportation from the Hotel NOVOTEL Warszawa Centrum Marszałkowska St. 94/98 00-510 Warsaw Pick up from the back of the Hotel at 8:00 am Arrival to National Centre for Nuclear Research NCBJ Registration, Security Check and Entrance Procedures Pre-registration via sent link is necessary! Please check your email. Remember to bring your passports / ID cards with you!	Local contact information will be communicated in due time
9:00 – 9:15 (15 min)	Welcome & CG Introduction	Sawako Nakamae (AC) Jaroslav Jasinski (LO)
9:15 – 11:15 (120 min)	LegacyLabs 2 Workshop – Introduction & Group Forming	M. Wolf & Ivy Tsang
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30– 13:30 (120 min)	LegacyLabs 2 Workshop – Group Session	M. Wolf & Ivy Tsang
13:30– 14:30 (60 min)	Lunch Break	
14:30– 15:45 (75 min)	LegacyLabs 2 Workshop – Presentation and Wrap-Up	M. Wolf & Ivy Tsang

15:45	End of the Day 1	
16:00 – 17:00 (ca. 50-60 min)	Transportation from NCBJ to Warsaw city centre (NOVOTEL Hotel)	
19:00	Social Dinner (TBD)	

Day 2: 6th October 2026

Hour (local)	Item	Chair
8:00-9:00 (ca. 50-60 min)	Transportation from the Hotel NOVOTEL Warszawa Centrum Marszałkowska St. 94/98 00-510 Warsaw Pick up from the back of the Hotel at 8:00 am Arrival to National Centre for Nuclear Research NCBJ Registration, Security Check and Entrance Procedures (Remember to bring your passports / ID cards with you!)	
9:00 – 9:15 (15 min)	Welcome Coffee	
9:15 – 11:15 (120 min)	MC meeting Part I	Sawako Nakamae (AC)
11:15 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 12:30 (60 min)	MC meeting Part II	Sawako Nakamae (AC)
12:30– 13:30 (60 min)	Lunch Break	
13:30 – 15:45 (135 min)	Action Sustainability discussions (2 parallel sessions)	Dorotea Koren (GHM) & Monica Fabrizio Dulce Belo Laura Valentino (TBC) Sawako Nakamae
15:45	End of the Day 2	
16:00 – 17:00 (ca. 50-60 min)	Transportation from NCBJ to Warsaw city centre (NOVOTEL Hotel)	
19:00	Dinner (TBD)	

Day 3: 7th October 2026

Hour (local)	Item	Leader
8:00-9:00 (ca. 50-60 min)	Transportation from the Hotel NOVOTEL Warszawa Centrum Marszałkowska St. 94/98 00-510 Warsaw Pick up from the back of the Hotel at 8:00 am	

	Arrival to National Centre for Nuclear Research NCBJ Registration, Security Check and Entrance Procedures (Remember to bring your passports / ID cards with you!)	
9:00 – 9:15 (15 min)	Welcome Coffee	
9:15 – 10:45 (90 min)	WG4 meeting – Training programme/training school	Theodoros Karakasidis Viktor Kislyuk Sawako Nakamae
10:45 – 11:00	Coffee Break	
11:00 – 12:30 (90 min)	Cross-WG actions – MAP and Expertise database	Kourosh Malek & Max Wolf (TBC)
12:30– 13:30 (60 min)	Lunch Break	
13:30 – 15:45 (150 min)	Technical Visits at NCBJ Laboratories MARIA Reactor CoE NOMATEN Materials Research Laboratory	Jaroslav Jasinski Tomasz Stasiak
15:45	End of the Day 3	
16:00 – 17:30 (ca. 80-90 min)	Transportation from NCBJ to Chopin Airport and Warsaw city centre (NOVOTEL Hotel)	

Session Contents & Presentations

Day 1

- 9:00-9:15
Welcome to NCBJ & brief meeting/workshop introduction
- 9:15 – 15:45
LegacyLabs 2 Workshop *Building Data Structures*
Application of self-organizing workflows for structuring diverse research data within a scientific or methodic domain.
 - 9:15 – 11:15
Introduction and Group Forming
 - Introduce concepts and methods
 - Identify overlapping scientific (e.g., catalysts) or methodic (e.g., image analysis) domains
 - Split participants into 3-5 groups that share domain (incl. 1 leader each)
 - Individually, prepare data for group session
 - 11:30 – 13:30
Group Session
 - Present data and discuss suitable approaches within group
 - Gather available frameworks and workflows
 - Conceptualize approach by integrating the gathered material
 - *If time allows:* Implement a use case for the developed concept

- 14:30 – 15:45

Presentation and Wrap-Up

- Each group presents concept in 5 min followed by 5 min discussion
- Discussion on potential expansion into project submission

Day 2

- 9:15 – 12:30

Management Committee meeting

- Re-cap
 - Action summary (Sawako Nakamae, CEA, FR, AC) of GP3
 - Communications (Dorotea Koren, EERA, WG5 leader)
 - TDM final presentation (K. Malek, TBC)
 - Project building update
 - Action sustainability plans (to be discussed in detail in the afternoon)
 - ChainMAP B2B platform (to be discussed in detail on Day 3)
- Action 4th Grant Period WBP propositions
 - Outlook (S. Nakamae)
 - Joint Training school proposition (vote)
 - MATSUS conference symposium
 - Message from Sustainability task
 - Work and Budget Plan proposition (vote)
 - Core group member candidate presentation (vote)
 - Industry outreach

- 13:30 – 15:45

Action sustainability: This session will be divided into 2 parallel discussion groups

- Doctoral network creation (for those involved in the action) – group 1
- European Energy Research Alliance and JP AMPEA – group 2
 - EERA as the continuation of EU-MACE
 - Why join EERA?
 - How to join EERA
- Coordination support Action proposition/discussion – group 1 & 2

Day 3

- 9:15-11:15

WG4 (Training): This session will be divided into 2 groups

- Training programme building discussions (group 1) led by
 - **Theodoros Karakasidis** – *A higher education Erasmus+ project (KA220-HED), action “Cooperation Partnerships in Higher Education.” Project Title: AI4MaterialsEDU: Transforming Higher Education through AI-driven Materials Learning and Autonomous Discovery*
 - **Viktor Kislyuk** – *Introducing the PRISM project: Designing Scalable Virtual Modules for Cross-Regional Materials Science Education*
- Joint training school with COST Action DAEMON & Eu-MINE (online participation by other COST Action members) – group 2
 - Timing & Organization schema

- Core group definition from EU-MACE
 - Training theme propositions
 - Next steps
- 11:30-12:30
MAP and Expertise database – B2B platform Chainmap:
Details to be determined
- 13:30-15:30
Lab visit of NCBJ facilities:
 - MARIA Reactor
 - CoE NOMATEN materials research laboratory