



The Czech Association for Landscape and Water Management, the Czech Technology Platform on Sustainable Water Resources and the Czech Liaison Office for Research, Development and Innovation organize jointly a workshop on:

## ***Tackling Challenges in Environmental Water Research: International and Regional Cooperation***

**DATE:** May 6, 2014 (10:00 – 14:00)

**VENUE:** PRACE meeting room, Rue du Trone 98 (Brussels), 3rd floor

# **AGENDA**

The workshop will be moderated by **Ms. Michaela Vlková**, Deputy Head of Office, CZELO

9:30 **Registration and coffee**

10:00 Welcome by **Jan Čermák** (President, Czech Association for Landscape and Water Management; Manager, Czech Technology Platform on Sustainable Water Resources)

10:10 **Karin Lukas-Eder** (BayFOR-Representative Brussels Office): *Presentation of the Bavarian Research Alliance; examples of water research projects*

10:30 **Pieter de Jong** (Liaison officer, Wetsus): *Introducing Wetsus and WaterCampus Leeuwarden, smart specialisation on Water Technology*

10:50 **Pieter de Jong** (Liaison officer, Wetsus): *ERRIN Water Working Group and Action Group FINNOWATER*

11:00 **Michaela Vlková** (Deputy Head of Office, Czech Liaison Office for R&D&I): *Role of CZELO in international cooperation*

11:15 **Discussion + coffee break**

11:35 **Esteban Pelayo Villajero** (Representative, Murcia region in Brussels): *Regional strategy and projects related to water of the region of Murcia*



11:55 **Vladimír Gašpar** (Director, Regional Development Agency South Moravia): *Involvement of RDAs in regional cooperation*

12:15 **Petr Kohout** (Environmental Expert, FORSAPI): *Examples of international cooperation in management of groundwater in industrial areas – outcomes of MAGIC and FOKS projects*

12:35 **Milada Šťastná** (Vice-director, Department of Applied and Landscape Ecology, Mendel University in Brno): *Globalisation and its influence on the South Moravian Region*

13:00 **Sandwich lunch**