



**Fifth European Road Safety Day
Brussels, 6 May 2013**

**"Pedestrian safety:
Vulnerable road users in urban areas"**



**Building Albert Borschette,
Rue Froissart 36 - 1040 Brussels
Room 0A**

08h30 - 09h00	Reception and registration of participants
09h00 - 09h30	<p>INTRODUCTION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr Siim Kallas, Vice-President of the European Commission responsible for Mobility and Transport ➤ Ms Isabelle Durant, Vice-President of the European Parliament
09h30 - 09h45	<p>The pedestrian: the most vulnerable road user</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr Frédéric Péchenard, Interministerial Delegate for Road Safety, France
09h45 - 10h00	<p>EU progress within the UN Road Safety Decade</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Mr Olivier Onidi, Director, Innovative & Sustainable Mobility, Directorate General for Mobility and Transport, European Commission
10h00 - 11h15	<p>PANEL 1 Pedestrian safety in cities: risks, causes and accident effects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chaired by Mr Szabolcs Schmidt, Head of Road Safety Unit, European Commission <p>In the panel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ European Federation of Road Traffic Victims, Mr Jeannot Mersch, President ➤ European Cyclists' Federation, Mr Manfred Neun, President ➤ International Automobile Federation, Mr Jacob Bangsgaard, Director General for FIA Region I <p>Interventions by the panellists followed by debate and questions from the audience</p>
11h15 - 11h30	Coffee break
11h30 - 12h45	<p>PANEL 2 How to improve urban safety for vulnerable road users: sustainable urban mobility planning, pedestrian safety manuals and other best practices</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chaired by Ms Daniela Rosca, Head of Sustainable urban mobility unit, European Commission <p>In the panel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ World Health Organisation, Dr Dinesh Sethi, Programme Manager Violence and Injury Prevention ➤ Municipality of San Sebastián, Mr Andrés Martínez, Mobility Projects Technician in the Mobility Department of Donostia ➤ International Federation of Pedestrians, Mr Geert van Waeg, President <p>Interventions by the panellists followed by debate and questions from the audience</p>
12h45 - 14h15	Lunch break
14h15 - 15h30	<p>PANEL 3 Next phase of developments for vulnerable road user safety: what new in technology, testing and transport-related research?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chaired by Mr Pawel Stelmaszczyk, Head of Intelligent transport systems unit, European Commission <p>In the panel:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ European Transport Safety Council, Mr Antonio Avenoso, Executive Director ➤ EuroNCAP, Dr Michiel van Ratingen, Secretary-General ➤ Polis: European Cities and Regions Networking for Innovative Transport Solutions, Mr Sylvain Haon, Director <p>Interventions by the panellists followed by debate and questions from the audience</p>

15h30 - 16h00	Closing of the Conference ➤ Mr Matthias RUETE, Director-General, Directorate General for Mobility and Transport, European Commission
16h00 - 18h00	Possibility for conference participants to join the pedestrian safety manifestation " A long short walk " organised in Brussels by the International Automobile Federation, walking from the conference venue to the Cinquantenaire Park. For more information about the "long short walks" organised around the globe, see http://www.roadsafetyfund.org/activities/2012/Pages/JoinusonTheLongShortWalk.aspx