

AUSTRIAN-BASQUE CONNECTION TOWARDS A SAFE INDUSTRY 4.0 AND VISIT TO THE FRENCH AEROSPACE ECOSYSTEM

16th of September – Arrival Date & Informal Dinner (Restaurant TBD, optional)

17th of September (Tuesday) - BILBAO

Time	Entity	Topic	Where
08.00	GAIA	Welcome coffee	GAIA.- Pº Uribitarte, 3. 3 Planta – 48001Bilbao
	Association of Knowledge and Applied Technologies Industries from the Basque Country		
08.30 – 09.15	SPRI – BTI	Basque Country presentation and collaborations	GAIA.- Pº Uribitarte, 3. 3 Planta – 48001Bilbao
	Basque Business Development Agency		
09.15 – 10.00	GAIA-CYBASQUE-BMH Presentations	Cybersecurity + Microelectronic	GAIA.- Pº Uribitarte, 3. 3 Planta – 48001Bilbao
	Presentation of the local initiatives regarding the digital ecosystem including cybersecurity and electronics strategies		
10.00 – 10.15	Coffee Break		
10.15 – 11.15	Mondragon Corporation + Ikerlan	Electronics and ICT + Transport and mobility	GAIA.- Pº Uribitarte, 3. 3 Planta – 48001Bilbao
	The Mondragon Corporation is a group of more than 250 cooperatives and enterprises representing more than 15.000 employees that are relevant in several sectors. Ikerlan is a reference RTO which is specialized in digital technologies, embedded electronics, cybersecurity and energy.		
11.15 – 11.30	Move to Zamudio		
11.45 – 13.00	Visit to S21Sec	Cybersecurity	C/ , Edificio 2Camino de Laida07, Bloque A, Planta -1, 48170 Zamudio, Biscay
	S21sec is one of the largest cyber security service companies with extensive experience in the sector that allows to offer complete coverage of cyber security risks in business processes.		
13.15 – 14.45	Lunch		
15.00 – 16.15	Visit to Tecnalia	Industry 4.0 + AI + Cybersecurity	Edificio 204, Parque Científico y Tecnológico de Bizkaia, 48170 Zamudio, Biscay
	Tecnalia Research & Innovation is the first private Technology Centre in Spain and one of the leading organisations dedicated to applied research in Europe with 1.500 employees.		
16.15 – 16.45	Move to Bilbao		
17.00 – 18.30	Visit to BAT – B Accelerator Tower Presentations of Austrian participants and Basque start-ups and SMEs	GAIA - Networking event with local SME-s and start-ups	Gran Vía de Don Diego López de Haro, 1, Abando, 48001 Bilbo, Bizkaia
20.00	Dinner in Bilbao (Restaurant TBD)		

18th of September (Wednesday) – BILBAO & SAN SEBASTIAN

Time	Entity	Topic	Where
08.30	Move to Zamudio		
9.00 – 10.15	Visit to Ingeteam	Energy + Industry	Polígono Parque Tecnológico, 106, 48170 Zamudio, Biscay
	<p>Ingeteam is a business group specialising in energy conversion. It mainly develops power electronics equipment, control electronics, motors, electric generators, pumps and submersible motors. It applies its products mainly in the following sectors: energy (hydroelectric, wind and photovoltaic), industry, marine, rail traction, mining, water, storage, green hydrogen, electric mobility and electricity transmission and distribution.</p>		
10.15 – 11.00	Move to Boroa		
11.00 – 12.15	Visit to AIC – Automotive Intelligence Center + Companies (e.g. Gestamp)	Automotive + Industry	P2A-4, 48340 – Amorebieta-Etxano (Bizkaia)
	<p>AIC is an European center for the generation of value for the automotive sector based on an open innovation concept where companies improve their positioning through cooperation. Under a market approach, AIC offers services that improve the capacity of the automotive sector globally, integrating competitive intelligence, training, research, industrial development and new businesses under the same structure.</p> <p>Gestamp is a multinational company dedicated to the design, development and manufacture of automotive components.</p>		
12.15 – 13.15	Move to San Sebastian		
13.15 – 14.45	Lunch in San Sebastian (TBD)		
15.00 – 16.00	Brief side visit to San Sebastian: Igeldo + Peine viento		
16.30 – 17.30	Visit to Mubil	Mobility	Polígono Usabal 127, 20400 Usabal, Gipuzkoa
	<p>MUBIL brings together the efforts of public and private agents that promote initiatives in the field of smart and sustainable mobility in the Basque Country, with the aim that Gipuzkoa and the Basque Country become a relevant actor in the field of smart and sustainable mobility.</p>		
17.30 – 20.00	Move to Bordeaux		
20.30	Dinner in Bordeaux (Restaurant TBD)		

19th of September (Thursday) – BORDEAUX

Time	Entity	Topic	Where
08.30	Aerospace Valley (AV)	Welcome Coffee	58 Av. Marcel Dassault, 33700 Mérignac
9.00 – 10.00	Welcome speech	Presentation of AV and the delegations	58 Av. Marcel Dassault, 33700 Mérignac
10.00 – 12.00	Presentation of Austrian participants and French startups and SMEs	Networking speed dating	58 Av. Marcel Dassault, 33700 Mérignac
12.00 – 13.30	Lunch in Bordeaux (TBD)		
13.30 – 15.00	Visit of Thalès AVS	Microelectronics + Cybersecurity + Aerospace	75-77 Av. Marcel Dassault, 33700 Mérignac
	The campus brings together more than 2,300 employees over 60,000 m ² and integrates cutting-edge production Technologies in the fields of aeronautics and defense. Thalès is a major player in the design and manufacture of combat radars, mission systems for military and commercial aircraft, and innovative cockpit technologies.		
15.00 – 15.30	Move to Talence		
15.30 – 16.00	Visit of Bordeaux INP	Microelectronics + Cybersecurity + Mobility	Av. des Facultés, 33400 Talence
	Bordeaux INP is a prestigious institute training students in various engineering disciplines, from chemical and process engineering to computer science and telecommunications. 11 joint research laboratories actively contribute to its research policy.		
After 16.00	Possible visit of ENSAM or CATIE	Manufacturing + Aerospace OR AI + Electronics	Esplanade des Arts et Métiers 33405 Talence
	<p>ENSAM: The ENSAM Talence campus is renowned for cultivating top engineers in fields like aeronautics and space, and sustainable development for environmental materials. The ENSAM is home of the Practice4.0, a platform that showcases Industry 4.0 technologies, including automation, data visualization, and collaborative robotics, used in modern manufacturing.</p> <p>CATIE: CATIE is a non-profit organization specializing in digital technologies, supporting small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and mid-sized companies in the Nouvelle-Aquitaine region. It offers expertise in various digital domains, including human factors and cognition, big data and artificial intelligence, and embedded systems for the Internet of Things (IoT).</p>		
20.00	Informal Dinner in Bordeaux (Restaurant TBD, optional)		

20th of September – Departure Date

If you have further questions to the delegation trip please contact **Gernot Eder** (Gernot.eder@silicon-alps.at) or **Michael Zwantschko** (Michael.zwantschko@silicon-alps.at) from the SILICON ALPS Cluster.