

Agenda: RSCy 2026 Industry Session

by the Technology Transfer Office & Space BIC, ERATOSTHENES CoE

Tuesday, 28 April 2026 - [Aliathon Hotel Resort, Paphos](#) or [Online](#)

Part of the RSCy 2026 12th International Conference on Remote Sensing and Geoinformation of the Environment (<https://rscy2026.com/>)

Free admission to the Industry Session but Registration is required: <https://wkf.ms/46kYsc0>

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14:00 – Welcome Remarks

Prof. Andreas Anayiotos, Director, Technology Transfer Office, ERATOSTHENES CoE.

Mrs. Eleni Paliouras, Head of the Strategy, Programme and Coordination Office, Directorate of Earth Observation Programmes, European Space Agency (ESA).

14:15 – 15:30 – Earth Observation & Space Applications Panel

A session and panel discussion on Earth Observation and space-based technology applications, featuring selected Eratosthenes CoE collaborators and leading industry organizations.

Moderator:



Mr. Christian Gihl, President,
Cyprus–German Business Association

**Esteemed
panellists:**



Mr. Andreas Tsouloftas, President,
Limassol Chamber of Commerce and Industry



Professor Nikolaos Dimitratos,
Department of Industrial Chemistry "Toso Montanari"
Alma Mater Studiorum - Bologna University



Mr. Caio Miranda (Remote participation),
Director of Sales EMEA, Pixxel Space Technologies



Mr. Nikos Christoforou,
Head of Radio Access Network, Cyta



Mr. Gerasimos Ntouskas,
Board Member, Technology Consulting, KPMG Cyprus &
Space BIC Mentor

15:30 – Break & Networking



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16:00 – 17:15 – Space BIC by ERATOSTHENES CoE: Advancing Space-based Entrepreneurship under the Cyprus EU Presidency Panel

A dedicated session on the **Space BIC** program, featuring short pitches by our selected startups. Then, Leading Experts from the space sector and the entrepreneurship ecosystem of the EU and Cyprus will contribute to strengthening the space innovation landscape in Cyprus and the EMMENA region, while showcasing Cyprus' ESA Associate Membership and its active role during the current EU Presidency.

Moderator:



Dr. Eleni Loulli,

Space BIC Coordinator & Researcher, ERATOSTHENES CoE

Space BIC Startups Pitches:



Esteemed panellists:



Dr. Eleni Paliouras,

Head of the Strategy, Programme and Coordination Office, Directorate of Earth Observation Programmes, European Space Agency (ESA)



Mr. Andronikos Kakkouras,

Acting Director Department of Electronic Communications, Cyprus Space Office & Department of Electronic Communications, Deputy Ministry of Research, Innovation and Digital Policy



German Embassy Nicosia

Dr. Dirk Roland Haupt,

Minister Counselor and Deputy Chief of Mission, German Embassy Nicosia & Space BIC Mentor



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Ms. Maria Markidou Georgiadou,

Managing Director, Cyprus Seeds



Mr. Moyses Moyseos

Incubator Manager, Gravity Ventures – CyRIC & Space BIC Mentor



Ms. Panayiota Georgiou

Board Member, KPMG Law & Space BIC Mentor

17:15 – Closing Remarks

Dr. Mahmoud Mardini, Project & Research Support Manager, ERATOSTHENES CoE & Space BIC.

Mr. Andreas Andreou, Business Development & Technology Commercialization Executive, ERATOSTHENES CoE & Space BIC.

17:30 – Networking

20:00 – RSCy 2026 Social Dinner (optional):

A traditional Cyprus dinner in Paphos (venue to be announced).

