

International Mars Sample Return Conference

DRAFT AGENDA

Day 1 - July 9th, 2008

09.30	Welcome Address CNES President – S. Janichewski ESA Director General – J.J. Dordain
10.00	Opening Address NASA – (D. Mc Cuiston) ESA – D/HSF (S. Di Pippo) ESA – D/SRE (D. Southwood)
11.00	Key Note Address Mars: what do we know and what we need to know next (S. Squyres and J.P. Bibring)
12.00	Current Mars Exploration Programmes and Near Future Missions NASA – MSL (D. Mc Cuiston – NASA / SMD) ESA - ExoMars (D. Mc Coy – ESA / SRE)
13.00	Lunch break
14.30	IMEWG/IMARS: Proposed International Architecture for MSR
16.00	IMEWG/IMARS: Q& A Session
17.00	Adjourn

Day 2 - July 10th, 2008

09.30	The ESA Mars Exploration Programme Aurora Core Programme – (B. Gardini – ESA/HSF)
10.30	Mars Exploration: An Industry Perspective US Industry Representative Thales Alenia Space (TBD) Astrium (TBD)
11.30	Space Agencies Panel (invited: ASI, BNSC, CNES, CSA, DLR, ESA, JAXA, NASA, Roscosmos)
12.30	Adjourn