

# Introduction to AWESCO Kick-Off Days

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# Overview

- The Organising Team at the University of Freiburg
- Overview of the Two Days
- Short Introduction of all Participants
- The Initial Training Network AWESCO (Roland Schmehl)

# History of the Team



2006 - 2013  
KU Leuven (OPTEC)

2013 -  
University of Freiburg

- founded in 1457
- 25 000 students (52% female, 14% international)
- all faculties (humanities, sciences, medicine, engineering)

Albert-Ludwigs  
University of Freiburg

# University of Freiburg (since 1457)

## Faculty of Engineering (since 1995, 45 prof. 1700 stud.)

Computer  
Science

Microsystems  
Engineering

Sustainable  
Systems Engineering

### Systems Control and Optimization Laboratory





# Systems Control and Optimization Laboratory

[syscop.de](http://syscop.de)

# Some Selected SYSCOP Team Members

- Secretary: Christine Paasch (organizer of this event)
- AWESCO fellows: Rachel Leuthold, Andrea Zanelli, Fabian Girrbach (XSENS), Jonas Koenemann (AmpyxPower)
- Greg Horn (visiting from California, previously Makani)
- Technical Engineer: Thorbjörn Jörger

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## AWESCO Kick-Off Week Schedule

Wed	Thu
WP1	WP3
1: Mikko Folkersma (TUD)	8: Andrea Zanelli (ALUFR)
2: Paul Thedens (Skysails)	9: Fabian Girrbach (Xsens)
3: Thomas Haas (KUL)	10: Peter Listov (EPFL)
Coffee Break	Coffee Break
WP2	WP4
4: Rachel Leuthold (ALUFR)	11: Hisham Eldeeb (TUM)
5: Mahdi Salari (UL)	12: Jonas Koenemann (Ampyx)
Lunch	Lunch
6: Ashwin Candade (Enerkite)	13: Sebastian Rapp (TUD)
7: Elena Malz (CHAL)	14: Eva Ahbe (ETHZ)
Coffee Break	Coffee Break
Board Member Meeting	Project Management Skills

# Program of Today

- Intro
- WP1: Mikko Folkersma, Paul Thedens, Thomas Haas
- Break
- WP2: Rachel Leuthold, Mahdi Salari
- (Election of 2 ESRs to attend Steering Board)
- Lunch
- WP2: Ashwin Candade, Elena Malz
- Break
- 15:00 Steering Board Meeting
- 16:00 Syscop Lab Tour
- 19:30 Dinner at Kartoffelhaus, Basler Strasse 10

# Program of Today

## Work Package 1: "Modelling & Simulation" - Roland Schmehl (TUD)

1. "FSI simulations on kites" - Mikko Folkersma (TUD)
2. "Durable Structural Reinforcements of Large Scale Fabric Kites" - Paul Thedens (Skysails)
3. "An efficient inexact NMPC scheme with stability guarantees" - Thomas Haas (KUL)

## Work Package 2: "System Design & Optimisation" - Moritz Diehl (ALUFR)

4. "Optimal Control of Dual Kites in Pumping-Cycle Operation" - Rachel Leuthold (ALUFR)
5. "Ground Station Design and Optimization for Airborne Wind Energy" - Mahdi Salari (UL)
6. "Multi-Disciplinary System Design, Safety and Cost Optimisation of AWE" - Ashwin Candade (Enerkite)
7. "Grid Integration of Airborne Wind Energy Systems" - Elena Malz (CHAL)

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## Airborne Wind Energy System Modelling, Control and Optimisation

