

# Cefic-LRI 12th Annual Workshop Welcome

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#### Introduction



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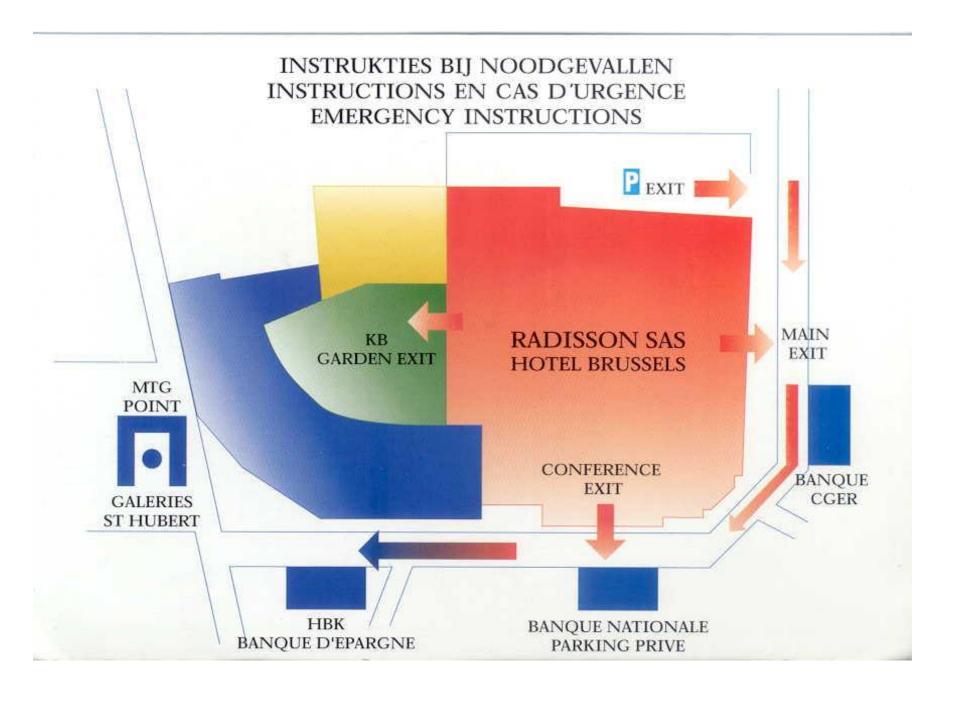
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- Evacuation alarm = Continuous siren
- Close doors without locking them
- Evacuate your area if the evacuation alarm goes off
- Leave the building through the nearest exit
- Never use the elevators
- Go to the meeting point, entrance Gallery
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#### What is LRI?



- High quality research to achieve responsible chemical management
- Knowledge input for effective policy decisions
- Capacity building for emerging science
- Collaboration between experts in industry, academia and governments for high impact



### **LRI – A Global Program**



- The global ICCA-LRI program targets the sciencepolicy interface to modernize and improve chemical management.
- The three regional LRIs identify common scientific topic areas that industry regards as important to form the core of the program.





### **LRI Workshop Opening**

- Enabling Decision Making –
   Adri Postema, Shell,
   R&I Program Council
- Right Science for Right Decision:
   Key Priority Issues of the Belgian EU Presidency

Roland Moreau, Federal Public Service Health, Food Chain Safety and Environment

#### "Reducing Uncertainty Enabling Decision Making"



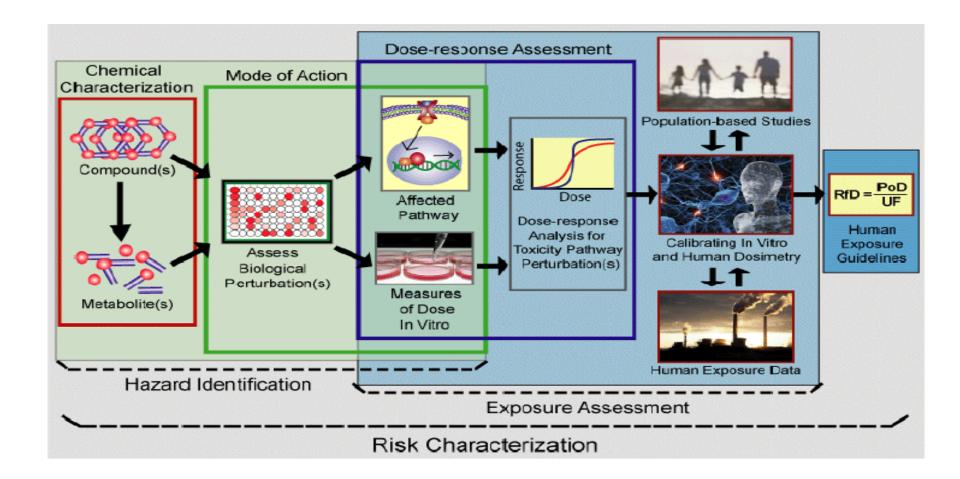
#### **Uncertainty**

- Quantity, quality and relevance of data
- Reliability and relevance of models used to fill data gaps or replicate known results
- Assumptions, scenarios, and decision options used in applying the assessment



# Risk Assessment Paradigm... more complex





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- 9:30 12:00: Plenary sessions: «Recent LRI
  Science Achievements in key issue areas»,
  chaired by Richard D. Phillips, ExxonMobil, LRI
  SIG Chair
- 13:45 14:30: «LRI Innovative Science Award»,
   chaired by Matti Jantunen, THL, ESAP
- 14:30 17:20: «LRI Research vision», chaired
   by Ian Kimber, University of Manchester, ESAP



### 2. LRI Strategy Focus

