



PRIVACY STATEMENT FOR DATA COLLECTED VIA ON-LINE SUBSCRIPTIONS TO COMMUNICATION ABOUT THE FCH 2 JU

This privacy statement explains how the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking (here after referred to as FCH 2 JU) uses any information you give to us while registering for our newsletter, news alerts, invitations and other type of electronic communication, and the way we protect your privacy.

1. Context and Controller

This specific on-line service consists of on-line electronic registration made available on this web page, offering you the possibility to subscribe to receiving occasional news alerts, the FCH 2 JU newsletters invitations and other communication from and about the FCH 2 JU and its relevant activities. While registering, your personal data will be collected and further processed for the purposes detailed below under point 2.

As the FCH 2 JU collects and further processes personal data, it is subject to *Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC.*

The relevant processing operation is under the responsibility of the Executive Director of the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking, acting as the Controller.

The FCH 2 JU may be contacted by sending an e-mail to fch-ju@fch.europa.eu, or at the following postal address: TO 56-60, 1049 Brussels, Belgium

2. What personal information do we collect, for what purpose and through which technical means?

Types of personal data

The personal data collected and further processed by the FCH 2 JU in relation to the on-line services are:

- E-mail address*

(* Replies to this question are mandatory since all information requested is necessary for registration. In case of a no reply, the registration will not be carried out.)

Purpose and technical means

The purpose of processing personal data for the on-line service is to send to you by email occasional news alerts, newsletters, invitations and other communication from and about the FCH 2 JU and its relevant activities, as well as the creation of a database of subscribers with contact details (email address) for future communications.



Legal basis

The legal basis for the organisation of the subscription process, including its management and the related processing, is Council Regulation (EU) No 559/2014 of 6 May 2014 establishing the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking, more specifically Articles 1, 7, and 9 of the Statutes of The Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking, in corroboration with Regulation (EU) No 1291/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 establishing Horizon 2020 - the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020).

In line with Article 5.1(a) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, the processing operation is necessary for the performance of tasks carried out in the public interest on the basis of the Treaties or other legal instruments adopted on the basis thereof.

The lawfulness of the processing of personal data is also based on Article 13 (1) of the Directive 2002/58/EC whereby the data subject has unambiguously given its consent, which corresponds to the data subject's consent in Article 5.1(d) of Regulation EC 2018/1725.

By clicking on “**subscribe**” to this on-line service, you will be considered to have given your consent to the processing of their data in the context of this conference.

Lawfulness of the processing operation:

The data processing is considered lawful because it is necessary:

- For the performance of tasks carried out on the basis of Council Regulation (EU) No 559/2014 of 6 May 2014 establishing the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking, more specifically Articles 1, 7, and 9 of the Statutes of the Fuel Cells and Hydrogen 2 Joint Undertaking, in corroboration with Regulation (EU) No 1291/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 December 2013 establishing Horizon 2020 - the Framework Programme for Research and Innovation (2014-2020).

3. Who has access to your information and to whom is it disclosed?

For the purposes detailed above access to your personal data is given to the following persons:

- Internally authorized staff of the FCH 2 JU
- Internally authorized staff of FCH 2 JU contractors in charge of executing activities for the organization of the event.

4. How do we protect and safeguard your information?

The personal data and all information collected related to the above-mentioned event is stored on the servers of the FCH 2 JU, the operations of which abide by the FCH 2 JU's security decisions and provisions established for this kind of servers and services. This includes the Common It Security Policy, implemented by the FCH 2 JU, applying the security measures described in the Commission Decision C(2006)3602 concerning the security of information systems used by the European Commission, Implementing Rules for the Commission Decision C(2006)3602, Standards on Information Systems Security, Complementary information systems security policy and control measures as applied to specific applications by respective system owners



Access to all collected personal data is only permitted to those referred to above (see point 3) using a User ID / Password. If support of contractors is necessary, please note that the FCH 2 JU applies organizational measures, which include appropriate specific access rights and controls.

5. What are your rights and how can you exercise them?

Access

In case you wish to access your personal information, you can contact the FCH 2 JU Data Protection Officer at Data-Protection@fch.europa.eu

You may make a request to access the FCH 2 JU Register of data processing operations in order to obtain more detailed information on how we treat and protect your personal data, in accordance with Article 17 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 .

Rectification

You can, if need be, rectify any inaccurate personal data throughout the entire selection process by sending a written request to the above mentioned email address.

You cannot, however, send us any changes of your personal data related to the admissibility criteria after the application deadline.

Erasure

You may make a request for erasure of your personal data under the conditions laid down by Article 19 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. In this case, you should send us a written request to the same email address mentioned under section “Access”.

We will respond to your request without undue delay and at the latest within one month.

You could further request cancellation of your application and deletion of all linked personal data by making use of the contact information mentioned above.

Restriction of processing

You may make a request for restricting the processing of your personal data under the conditions laid down by Article 20 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 for the following reasons: you would like to contest the accuracy of the personal data; you consider that the processing is unlawful and you would oppose the erasure of the personal data and request the restriction of the use of the personal data instead; when the FCH 2 JU as controller no longer needs your personal data for the purposes of the processing, but it is required by you as data subject for the establishment, exercise or defence of legal claims; or when you have objected to processing pursuant to Article 23(1) of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, pending the verification of legitimate grounds.

In this case, you should send us a written request to the same email address mentioned under section “Access”.

Right to data portability

You have the right to receive the personal data which you have provided to us in a structured, commonly used and machine readable format, and you may also request us to transmit this data to



any other controller under the conditions of Article 22 of Regulation 201/1725. In this case, you should send us a written request to the same email address mentioned under section “Access”.

Right to object

You may object at any time to processing of your personal data under the conditions laid down by Article 23 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, on grounds relating to your particular situation. In this case, you should send us a written request to the same email address mentioned under section “Access”.

Right to withdraw consent

You have the right to withdraw your consent at any time by sending your request by email to data-protection@fch.europa.eu

6. How long do we keep your data?

All personal data will be kept for a general retention period of five years.

Your personal data will also be part of a list of contact details shared internally amongst the staff of FCH 2 JU for the purpose of contacting you in the future in the context of other FCH 2 JU communication activities. If you do not agree with this, please contact the Controller by using the contact information below and by explicitly specifying your request. The said contact list will kept for a period of five years.

7. Contact information

If you have any questions relating to this on-line service, please contact the support team operating under the responsibility of the Controller, using the following e-mail: Communications@fch.europa.eu

For any questions related to your rights, please contact the Data Protection Officer at Data-Protection@fch.europa.eu by indicating ‘Data Protection’ in the subject and explicitly specifying your request.

8. Recourse

You have the right to submit a complaint at any time directly to the European Data Protection Supervisor:

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