

# SUNDAY 08:30 – 17:50

## Acoustic Wave Filters for Space Applications

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The last decades have seen a continuous improvement of mobile systems, from pioneer analogue voice telephony in the 80's to the Long Term Evolution in the 2010, and 5G nowadays: Gbps data rates are considered and billions of Subscriber Identification Modules (SIM) cards are located in Smartphones, Lap-Top and Internet of Things (IoT) devices. At the same time, satellite systems have evolved: from single GEO (Geosynchronous Earth Orbiting) equipments offering overseas services for international connections or few analogue TV channels to Low Earth Orbiting (LEO) constellations like Starlink or One Web, thousands of satellites are now deployed, delivering Internet Protocol based services for mobile or fixed users usually going through base stations. During the past ten years, a significant number

of innovations have been developed to enhance the capability of passive acousto-electric devices to answer the imperative demands of filter characteristic improvement: Piezo-On-Insulator wafers, epitaxial-layer based films for BAW and SAW, new types of modes and devices, frequency operation increases, etc. All these improvements push to reconsider the use of such devices for satellite/Space communications. Therefore, the workshop intends to illustrate, promote and foster all initiatives engaged in the domain of acoustic-based RF filter solutions to answer the "New Space" needs and requirements in all the spectral segment of space telecommunications, from L- to C-band and pushing away the usually considered limits for SAW and BAW filters to achieve filtering operations above 10 GHz.

### PROGRAMME

#### SAW filter technology trends for space applications

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#### Single crystal BAW

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#### Innovative SAW filter structures on POI for Space applications

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#### Advanced materials for POI wafers with high isolation properties

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#### SAW filters for space applications

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#### Innovative Acoustic Devices

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#### Combined BAW and IPD filters for 6G communications

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#### New developments of SAW devices on POI

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#### Evaluation tests for advanced SAW filters on POI for Space applications

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