



# Register of Commission expert groups and other similar entities

## Commission Expert Group

**Name:** Sino-European Panel on Land and Soils (E02687)  
(Active - Group which operates on a permanent basis)

**Abbreviation:** SEPLS

**Policy Area:**

Agriculture
Environment
Research and Innovation

**Lead DG:** JRC - Joint Research Centre

**Type:** Informal, Permanent

**Scope:** Limited

**Mission:** The Sino-EU Panel on Land and Soil (SEPLS) is a scientific body which provides the European Commission with advice and expertise on the current state of land and soil resources and potential environmental and socio-economic consequences of their future utilization patterns

**Task:** Coordinate with Member States, exchange of views

**Publication in RegExp:** 09 Dec 2011

**Link to Website:** <http://esdac.jrc.ec.europa.eu/networkcooperations/sino-eu-panel-land-and-soil>

**Last updated:** 18 Aug 2017

## **Additional Information**

### **Activity Report**

6th SEPLS plenary meeting 5 July 2016 – Programme Mission report on the 6th Plenary meeting

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[Document 2](#)

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### **Activity Report**

SEPLS Seminar 2013 - EUROPE "Sino-EU Seminar on land resource allocation", Brussels, 15 April, 2013

[Document 1](#)

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### **Activity Report**

Publication in 2013 of a report on food security, entitled: 'Threats to the Soil Resource Base of Food Security in China and Europe' [http://eusoils.jrc.ec.europa.eu/ESDB\\_Archive/eusoils\\_docs/other/EUR25632EN.pdf](http://eusoils.jrc.ec.europa.eu/ESDB_Archive/eusoils_docs/other/EUR25632EN.pdf)

[Document 1](#)

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### **Activity Report**

SEPLS Seminar 2011 - BEIJING CHINA (18-20 October 2011) - "Food Security – Under the changing demand for land and Soil"

### **Activity Report**

Documents and reports of the activities are to be found at the following url:

<http://esdac.jrc.ec.europa.eu/networkcooperations/sino-eu-panel-land-and-soil>

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

Call for applications for the selection of members of the Sino-EU Panel on Land and Soil (SEPLS)

[http://ec.europa.eu/transparency/regexpert/index.cfm?do=calls.calls\\_for\\_app](http://ec.europa.eu/transparency/regexpert/index.cfm?do=calls.calls_for_app)

### **Selection Procedure (members)**

Deadline for submitting applications: 31.10.2017

<http://esdac.jrc.ec.europa.eu/networkcooperations/sino-eu-panel-land-and-soil>

### **Internal Rules of Procedure**

Sino-European Panel on Land and Soils 1. The Executive Committee 2. The Secretariats 3. The Working Groups 4. Membership 5. Membership fee

<http://esdac.jrc.ec.europa.eu/networkcooperations/sino-eu-panel-land-and-soil>

[Document 1](#)

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## Members

### Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity

Name	Nationality	Professional Title	Membership Status
Winfried E. H. Blum	Austria	em.Prof.Dipl.Ing.Dr.Dr.h.c.mult.	Member

### Type C - Organisation

Name of Organisation	Category	Countries/Areas represented	Membership Status
DesertNet International (DNI)	Academia, Research Institute and Think Tanks	Germany	Member

### Type D - Member State Authority

Country		Membership Status
Austria	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Belgium	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Bulgaria	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Cyprus	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Czech Republic	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Denmark	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Estonia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Finland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
France	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Germany	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Greece	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Hungary	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Ireland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Italy	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Latvia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Lithuania	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Luxembourg	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Malta	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Netherlands	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Poland	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Portugal	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Romania	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovakia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Slovenia	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Spain	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
Sweden	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member
United Kingdom	0 Public Authorit(y-ies)	Member

### Subgroups

No Subgroups assigned to this group.

## Statistics

### Number of Members: 29

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	1	female: 0	male: 1
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	1		
Type D - Member State Authority:	27		

### Number of Alternate Members: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		

### Number of Observers: 0

Type A - Individual expert appointed in his/her personal capacity:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type B - Individual expert appointed as representative of a common interest:	0	female: 0	male: 0
Type C - Organisation:	0		
Type D - Member State Authority:	0		