

ICRP Main Commission Meeting

27-30 April 2022 – Windsor, UK

A **Statement on the Conflict in Ukraine** was approved for release and is now available on the ICRP website.

The draft report **Optimisation of Radiological Protection in Digital Radiology Techniques for Medical Imaging** was approved for public consultation. An **online workshop is planned during an extended consultation period**.

A considerable part of the meeting was dedicated to planning for the ongoing **Review and Revision of the System of Radiological Protection**. Priorities were set considering feedback from organisations received thus far including HERCA, IAEA, IRPA, and NEA/CRPPH, and the outcome of the ICRP Future of Radiological Protection workshop held last November.

Several **new Task Groups** were established:

- TG122 **Update of Detriment Calculation for Cancer**, co-chaired by Michael Hauptmann and Richard Wakeford
- TG123 **Classification of Harmful Radiation-induced Effects on Human Health for RP Purposes**, chaired by Ludovic Vaillant
- TG124 **Application of the Principle of Justification**, chaired by Nobuhiko Ban
- TG125 **Ecosystem Services in Environmental RP**, chaired by Nicole Martinez
- TG126 **Radiological Protection in Human Biomedical Research**, chaired by Isabelle Thierry-Chef

Arrangements for **open calls of interest for membership in new Task Groups** were refined. Watch www.icrp.org.

The following topics were assigned a high priority to be addressed soon, and may be initiated within the next 18 months:

- **Effects and risks in biota and ecosystems**
- **Exposure situations & categories of exposure, including the environment**
- **Implications of individual response & individualisation for dose and risk**

The next major opportunity to have your say on keeping the system of RP fit for purpose for the next generation will be at **ICRP 2021+1 the 6th International Symposium on the System of Radiological Protection**, 7-10 November 2022, in Vancouver, Canada. Abstracts are being accepted at www.icrp2021.com.