

**7<sup>th</sup> HIGH LEVEL FORUM**  
***“INNOVATION for tomorrow’s  
INFRASTRUCTURES”***

**SESSION**  
***“FORUM OPENING”***  
***Monday, November 12, 2018***

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## INTRODUCTION



### **Mr. Alain ASTIER**

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- *Mr. Alain ASTIER is Scientific Advisor to the General Director of CEA Tech at Grenoble and Coordinator of the “High Level Forum”, an initiative from GIANT, the International Innovation Campus of Grenoble.*

## THANK YOU

for attending **the seventh edition** of the International High Level Forum of the  
*“Leading Innovation Ecosystems”*

Some key figures about the attendance to the HLF2018:

- **38 Ecosystems** including **16 new ones**
- **30 Countries** from Africa, America, Asia, Europe and Oceania, including **8 new ones**
- **> 150 Attendees**

You are part of **the international HLF Community** with :

- **45 Innovation Ecosystems**
- **~ 800 contacts worldwide**

## GIANT ' WELCOME



### **Mr. Stéphane SIEBERT**

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- ***Mr. Stephane SIEBERT** is General Director of Technological Research at CEA Tech – Grenoble and President of the international Grenoble Innovation Campus for Advanced New Technologies “GIANT” which has 8 Founding Members from Research, Education & European Facilities .*

## CITY OF GRENOBLE' WELCOME



### **Mr. Eric PIOLLE**

City of Grenoble  
Grenoble, FRANCE

- *Mr. Eric PIOLLE is the Mayor of the City of Grenoble*

## EUROPEAN COMMISSION



**Ms. Lucilla SIOLI**

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- *Ms. Lucilla SIOLI is the Director for « Artificial Intelligence and Digital Industry » within Directorate-General CONNECT at the European Commission.*

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