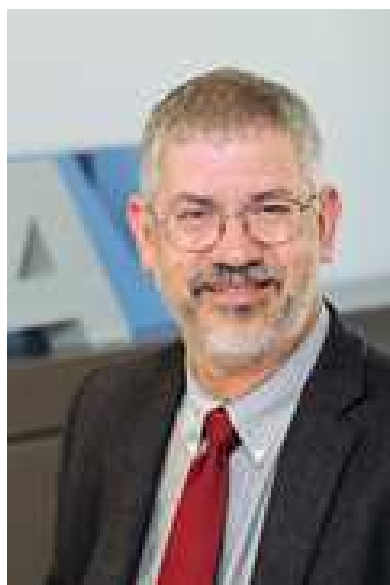


ANR President and CEO Michael Matlosz Elected President of Science Europe



Michael Matlosz was elected president of Science Europe on Friday, November 20, 2015. Matlosz will serve as non-executive president for the next two years alongside his role as president and CEO of the French National Research Agency. As Science Europe's president, he will represent the interests of some 50 organisations throughout the 27 countries which make up the association vis-à-vis European and worldwide actors.

"Science Europe provides its members with a shared voice and is part and parcel of a world-class research environment which is attractive, dynamic and diversified".

Michael Matlosz, President and CEO of the French National Research Agency and President of Science Europe

Boasting an international scientific career (USA, Switzerland, Japan and France) in higher education as well as top-level research pursuits, Michael Matlosz possesses extensive experience managing programmes and agencies. Standout roles include vice president of the National Polytechnic Institute of Lorraine and director of the National School for Advanced Study of the Chemical Industries (ENSIC) in Nancy (France). Matlosz has since September 2014 acted as ANR's president and CEO, working with agency stakeholders to further strengthen the European Research Area. Professor Matlosz has sat on Science Europe's Governing Board since November 2014.

In addition to its activities in Europe, ANR is also quite active outside the continent. The Agency belongs to the Global Research Council and hosts the International Secretariat of the Belmont Forum (the world's foremost funding agency grouping for research on global environmental change).

ANR has been a member of Science Europe since its creation in 2011.