**DARLINGe – Danube Region Leading Geothermal Energy**

**Launch Event**

**April 10, 2017**

**Venue: Geological and Geophysical Institute of Hungary**

**1143 Budapest, Stefánia 14.**

**AGENDA**

11.00-11.30: Arrival, registration

11.30-12.30: Reception buffet

12.30-12.40: Welcome of the participants

12.40-13.00: The Danube Region Strategy and the Energy Priority Area (PA2), as a framework for DARLINGe *(István Joó, Ministerial Commissioner responsible for the Danube Strategy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Hungary)*

13.00-13.25: DARLINGe project at a glance: Introduction to strategic relevance, objectives, and main activities *(Annamária Nádor, project manager, Geological and Geophysical Institute of Hungary)*

13.25-13.50: Overview of the project area: geothermal conditions, current uses, development plans, regulatory frameworks, key players *(Andrej Lapanje, Geological Survey of Slovenia)*

13.50-14.15: Managing geological risks in exploration phase of geothermal developments *(László Ádám, Mannvit Ltd.)*

*14.15-14.45. Coffee break*

14.45-15.10: What can stakeholders benefit from DARLINGe results? *(Ágnes Rotár-Szalkai,* *Geological and Geophysical Institute of Hungary)*

15.10-16.00: Panel discussion on stakeholder expectations

**Please send you intent of participation to** **balazs.regina@mfgi.hu** **latest by March 31**