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## Automotive Workshop VIII - 16th February 2021

13:00 - 16:00 UTC

This is our eighth joint workshop, bringing together automotive manufacturers, broadcasters and technology providers to discuss challenges, problems and solutions to implementing radio in vehicles.

### Registration

Please register to attend the workshop [here](#) by Tuesday 9th February 2021. Numbers are limited so we will confirm your attendance prior to the workshop.

### Agenda

#### Update on Broadcaster / Automotive Research

**Rosemary Smith (WorldDAB) / Nick Piggott (RadioDNS)**

At the last workshop we agreed to undertake more detailed research into support for specific functionality by both broadcasters and manufacturers, so that we maximum the effectiveness of the resources available to implement functionality.

#### Update on DL+

**Frank Nowack (Ford) / Lindsay Cornell (WorldDAB)**

At our last workshop we noted that there was insufficient understanding of how DL+ is implemented and how it could work. This discussion will go into more detail on this subject.

#### Visuals and Driver Distraction

**TBC**

We identified at the last workshop that there is insufficient common understanding of the issues of driver distraction. We'll discuss what broadcasters and manufacturers can do to minimise these risks.

## **Update on Fault Support Process**

**Rosemary Smith (WorldDAB) / Nick Piggott (RadioDNS)**

Both WorldDAB and RadioDNS provide a "one-stop" service to reporting and rectifying faults and unexpected behaviour in radio receivers, transmissions and hybrid radio implementations. This is an update on how the process is working, and to get feedback on why people are using it or not using it.

## **Update on DAB Services in Arabic Speaking Countries**

**Lindsay Cornell (WorldDAB)**

Various Arabic speaking countries have spoken about launching DAB+ and hybrid radio services, and there is an interest in testing receivers prior to service launches. We'll discuss that's currently happening and how we can help minimise implementation errors.

## **Review of 2020 and Look Forward to 2021**

**Rosemary Smith (WorldDAB) / Nick Piggott (RadioDNS)**