



Invitation to the RIT Kick-off,

We have the great pleasure to invite you to the Kick-off of the project RIT\* that will take place in Kiruna on October 1-2. The objective of the kick-off is to gather all members of the project to familiarize ourselves with each other and the project's purpose and goals. Together we will initiate a common way forward and focus especially on the up-coming "Meeting Points" that will be arranged every 6 months. These meetings will help us achieve the project's goal for the Space industry in the region to increase its capacity in research and innovation collaboration between academia, industry and the innovation support system.

This invitation is sent to the contact persons for the project partners (see attached file) and if you would like to bring further colleagues along, please do. It is also sent to others who might be interested in participating in some of the activities that are planned within the projects lifetime (students at LTU, members of Space Kiruna, SMEs in Norrbotten etc).

#### Program October 1<sup>st</sup> at Space Campus

12.00	Lunch at Space Campus	
13.30	Welcome	Jonas Ekman Prefect, Luleå university of technology
13.45	Presentation of the project RIT	Johanna Bergström-Roos Project Manager RIT, LTU Business
14.00	Inspiration	Invited guest
14.15	Presentation of partners and their expectations	The space industry: SSC, GKN, OHB Sweden, NanoSpace and ÅAC Microtec
15.00	Coffee	
15.30	Presentation of partners and their expectations	Public sector: Kiruna kommun Innovation system: LTU Business, ABI, Progressum Academia: LTU
16.30	Workshop 1 Purpose & Objectives of the project RIT	Johanna Bergström-Roos, Project Manager RIT Olle Persson, head of RIT Work Package 1 – "Centre of Excellence Space Technology" Marta-Lena Antti, head of RIT Work Package 2 – "Graduate School of Space Technology"
17.00	Presentations of the outcome of Workshop 1	All groups
18.00	Bus to town	
19.00	Dinner	

## Program October 2<sup>nd</sup> at Camp Ripan in town

	Breakfast and check-out	
8.00	Practicalities for project members	Johanna Bergström-Roos
9.30	Coffee	
10.00	Workshop 2 Future activities within the project	Johanna Bergström-Roos Olle Persson, head of "RIT Work Package 1" Marta-Lena Antti, head of "RIT Work Package 2"
11.00	Presentations of the outcome of Workshop 2	All groups
11.30	Summary	Jonas Ekman and Johanna Bergström-Roos
12.00	Lunch	

We will stop in time so those who will take the flight (13.30) or the train (13.50) will have time to eat lunch.

### Registration (dead line September 18)

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If you have any questions about the kick-off please contact Lisa Braafnäs at LTU Business [lisa.braafnas@ltubusiness.se](mailto:lisa.braafnas@ltubusiness.se) or 070-256 62 68

I really look forward to meeting you all and wish you a warm welcome to this event.

*Kind regards,  
Johanna Bergström-Roos  
Project Manager RIT*

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