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European Radio Amateur Card for hams, SWLs and CB users



With any kind of **EURAO** membership you can get this wonderful card. It includes: your callsign or callsigns, your full name and picture, the logo of your favourite club or association, and a lot of benefits and services to enjoy.

Members of **EURAO** associations and clubs&groups can download easily the card from the web. The only requirement is that association or club provide some data of their members before.

Each member can upload his preferred picture that will appear on the card. Proportion must be 3:4, portrait. The size of the file must be less than 500 KB in jpg format.

On the back side there is a text in three languages explaining briefly what the membership is about. The first language is English. The second one is chosen by the association. And the third is chosen by the member.

Individual members receive the card plasticized at home. But the most important thing is not seen, it is lived. Join **EURAO**, the most open and global amateur radio community.

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EURAO, a CEPT stakeholder



EURAO member associations

- [URC](#): Union des Radio-Clubs et des Radioamateurs (France)
- [CISAR](#): Centro Italiano di Sperimentazione ed Attività Radiantistiche (Italy)
- [FEDI-EA](#): Federación Digital EA (Spain)
- [VRA](#): Vlaamse RadioAmateurs (Belgium)
- [UFRC](#): Union Francophone des Radio Clubs (Belgium)
- [HAG](#): Ham Association of Greece
- [FEDERACHI](#): Federación Clubes de Radioaficionados de Chile
- [FeRaCat](#): Federació de Radioaficionats de Catalunya (Spain)
- [ARR](#): Asociația Radioclubul României (Romania)
- [RCL](#): Radioamador Clube de Loulé (Portugal)
- [RNRE](#): Raggruppamento Nazionale Radiocomunicazioni di Emergenza (Italy)
- [UNGO UARL](#): UNGO Ukrainian Amateur Radio League (Ukraine)
- [TRGM](#): Tertulia Rádioamadorística Guglielmo Marconi (Portugal)
- [ARRLx](#): Associação de Rádio-amadores da Região de Lisboa (Portugal)
- [LigaCBR](#): Liga Española de Asociaciones CB y Radioaficionados (Spain)

Time to renew EURAO membership

Amateur Radio News...

[FT8 Party: a great success!!!](#)

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For the last **EURAO Party**, the one in Autumn 2017, devoted to "**FT8, a brand new mode**", we have received more logs than ever: **24**, including 1614 QSOs in 10 bands, from 12 countries in 3 continents.

The second one was in Autumn 2014 with the motto "*be digital, explore 30m*", co-organized with the **30 Meter Digital Group**, when we received **21** logs with 661 QSOs in 17 modes, from 12 countries in 2 continents.

Certificates of Participation for all participants are ready for download now at the Party website.



[EURAO Boulevard again at HAM RADIO 2018 in Friedrichshafen](#)

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The German exhibition changes dates again: this year on **1-3 June**. **EURAO**, as usual, will have a booth and, with some of its member associations, will form a common space, the **EURAO Boulevard**, where interact in a multi-national environment.

Agenda includes: technical meetings, General Assembly; all day support to members, friends and visitors; tasting experiences, coordination of activities, discussion of new projects, etc.

[EUDOTA: Europe Day "on the air" 2018](#)

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This year, **9 May** is on Wednesday, but we will be active **from Friday 4**, the whole weekend, with the special callsigns: **AO1EU, AO2EU, AO3EU, AO4EU, AO5EU, AO6EU, AO7EU, AO8EU and AO9EU**, to commemorate the creation of the **EU** in 1950.

As usual, special QSL and Award will be available. Contact also valid for the **Radio Clubs of the World Award, EANET**.

Follow the event through the hashtag: **#eudota**.

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Preparing future **HAMVENTION**.

EURAO projects ongoing

- [EuroBureauQSL: the EURAO's QSL Bureaus Global Network](#)
- [EURAO TV Channel](#)
- [European Radio Amateur Card](#)
- [Member Benefits Program](#)
- [EURAO Newsletter](#)
- [EURAO Awards](#)
- [EURAO Parties](#)
- [EECE: EmerComms](#)



EURAO Party - Winter 2018: discover the WARC bands: 17m

The **European Radio Amateurs' Organization** announces a new party on the air, this time with the motto: "*discover the WARC bands: 17m*". Remember this is not a contest, it is just a radio meeting with a few simple 'rules', better to call them recommendations.

Purpose: 17m band is only 100 KHz wide (18.068-18.168 MHz) but it is quieter and less noisy than others, mainly on weekends when the big contests are underway. The idea of this party is to promote the band and its calm and peaceful use, ragchewing, having fun and meeting other hams all over the world. Of course also SWLing is welcome.

Date & time: February 17th and 18th, 2018, Saturday and Sunday, 00:00-24:00 UTC.

Bands & modes: these are the recommended modes/frequencies (+/-) for the 17m band: CW/18.068-18.095, digital/18.095-18.111, and SSB/18.111-18.168 MHz. [More detailed info](#).

Call: "CQ EURAO Party".

Exchange: because this is a QSO event, not a contest, you can talk about whatever you want, in any language, and for as long as you like. Here are some topic suggestions to get the conversation going: name, city, locator, weather, antennas, rigs, etc.

Also talk about QSL interchange. Tell the truth. Say "no, thanks" if you are not interested in QSL cards. But if you would like to have a memory of your contact, feel free to use our **EuroBureauQSL** (see below).

Logs: for statistic purposes only, we ask participants to submit their logs to party@eurao.org in ADIF format, where the filename should be your callsign (e.g. EA3RKF.ADI).

There will be no results or league tables, only statistical information about number of QSOs, countries, callsigns, OMs/YLs/Clubs, etc.

Certificate of Participation: for those sending the log and with a minimum of 10% QSOs confirmed.

EuroBureauQSL: you can use it to interchange QSLs even if you are not member. In this case, just send the QSL to the entry point in the country of the station you have contacted.

EURAO Newsletter: issue dates

- 15 February
- 15 June
- 15 September
- 1 December

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International QSL Service.

EuroBureauQSL: entry points

- **Algeria:** 7X2JV - Noury B.M. - P.O. Box 87 - Bouarfa 09019 Blida
- **Belgium:** FRA - P.O. Box 393 - B-1000 Brussels 1
- **Chile:** CE3FED - FEDERACHI - P.O. Box 9570 - Santiago 21
- **Costa Rica:** T12WMP - Waldyn Murillo Pérez - P.O. Box 117-1450 - 10601 San José
- **France:** F8URC - URC - 3 rue Saint Lugle - F-62190 Lillers
- **Greece:** HAG - 22, Kassandras Str. - GR-10447 Votanikos - Athens (Attika)
- **India:** VU2BK - MHRC - Brahma Kumaris, Shantivan Campus - Dist. Sirohi, 307510 Rajasthan
- **Italy:** IW2ETR - Paolo Fiorelli - Via Monsignor Danieli, 34 - 23017 Morbegno, SO
- **Portugal:** CT1TGM - TRGM - P.O. Box 497 - P-3001-906 Coimbra
- **Romania:** YO9RIJ - Petrica Stolnicu - CP 12, Ghiseul 1, Buzau 7 - RO-120340 Buzau
- **Spain and Andorra:** EA3RKF - FEDI-EA - P.O. Box 3050 - E-08200 Sabadell (Barcelona)
- **Ukraine:** UNGO-UARL - P.O. Box 33 - 01001 Kyiv
- **Uruguay:** CX3CCC - Radiogruppo Sur - P.O. Box 950 - 11000 Montevideo
- **USA:** W2EN - Douglas Rue - 21 Jeffrey Court - Somerville, NJ 08876
- **Venezuela:** YV4VV - Radio Club Valencia - P.O. Box 510 - 2001 Valencia, CA

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About our members...



[Associação Observatório Aeroespacial Amadores de Satélite - CT](#)

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AMSAT-CT, CS5PSC, CS5RSO, CS5OAO, was founded in 1998 as an NGO devoted to promote among youngsters the interest in science and technology, aerospace exploration and amateur radio communications as a common bond for all those interested in the culture of science.

AMSAT-CT became member club of **EURAO** to expand its goals and boundaries. <http://www.amsat-ct.pt>



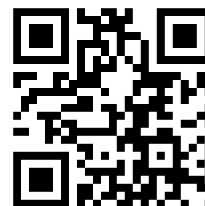
News in brief



- **100th Armistice Day Award:** SES **CS2CEM** will be on air: 30/1, 8/4, 13/5, 18/5, 10/6 and 11/11/2018 on HF&VHF bands. Sponsored by **ARRLx**: <http://www.arrlx.pt>
- **TM50URC:** SES in occasion of 50th anniversary of **URC**, on air: 10-11/2, 17-18/2, 10-11/3, 14-15/4, 1/5, 8/5 and 19-21/5/2018 on HF&VHF bands. eQSL available. <http://www.news.urb.asso.fr/tm50urc/>
- **AO3MWC:** SES in occasion of **Mobile World Congress 2018**, on air 24 February - 4 March. <http://www.fediea.org/mwc/>
- **St Patrick's Day Award:** from 12 noon on 16th March till 12 noon on the 18th March, 2018. Let's turn the bands green! <http://stpatrickaward.webs.com>
- **TM100VE:** SES in occasion of 100th anniversary of armistice signed with the Canadians, on air: 12/3, 17-19/3, 24-26/3, 31/3, 1-2/4, 7-9/4, 16/4 and 7/5/2018 on HF&VHF bands. eQSL available. <http://www.news.urb.asso.fr>
- **STARcon 2018:** Scientific & Technical Amateur Radio congress on April 21-22 in Murcia (Spain). <https://www.eventbrite.es/e/registro-starcon-2018-42251733071>
- **20th EXPO 98 & 520th Discovery of the maritime Path to India Award:** SES on air: **CS20EXP** 20/5 & 30/9, **CR520D** 9-10/6, **CS10DP** 10/6, **CS5GCB** 10/6, **CR600M** 1/11/2018 on HF, VHF, CB & PMR bands. Sponsored by **ARRLx**: <http://www.arrlx.pt>
- **TM50GGR:** SES in occasion of the first **Golden Globe Race** in 1968, on air: 26-27/5, 2-3/6, 9/6 and 4/7/2018 on HF&VHF bands. <http://tere-et-mer.urb.asso.fr/>

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