



**Declaration by Dr Marion Guillou,
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In response to the publication by the European Commission of a Recommendation for a European Charter for Researchers and a Code of Conduct for the Recruitment of Researchers, and following the *L'Inra en Europe* Conference which was organised by the Directors and the Scientific Council of the Institut National de la Recherche Agronomique:

Dr Marion Guillou committed the Institute to working towards implementing the principles defined in the Charter and Code where these are not already common practice.

" [...] I declare solemnly that Inra will adhere to the Charter and Code shortly. This requires prior internal consultation and analysis of the various European statuses given to researchers. However, as a majority of the principles defined by the Charter and Code are already implemented in France, Inra will naturally commit to them. "



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For more information please see the related press release (in French) :
http://www.inra.fr/presse/l_inra_adhere_a_la_charte_europeenne_du_chercheur