

National Policy

- **Nowadays no national policy** established in Belgium and therefore no selected site
- **ONDRAF/NIRAS** as the **competent body for national policy proposals** for radioactive waste and spent fuel management prepared a policy proposal that was subject to a strategic environmental assessment and a public consultation procedure in the period April – June 2020 (SEA report public consultation).
- The **FANC**, in consultation with Bel V, **delivered an advice** on this proposal with regard to nuclear safety and security aspects.
- ONDRAF/NIRAS submitted in **April 2021** a **modified version** of the national policy proposal to the Federal Government taking into account the results of the SEA procedure and the FANC advice.
- The modifications **strengthen the flexibility of the decision-making process including civil society and public participation during the pre-licensing phase**.
- The Federal Government asked the **advice of FANC on the final proposal** and FANC provided a final advice in May 2021.
- A policy **decision is actually pending at the level of the Federal Government**.

PEP experience with ULG students



- On the 24th of April 2021, a first PEP experience was organised in Belgium by the University of Liège (ULg), FANC and Bel V. More than **80 ULg students in political science and applied sciences participated** in this event, facilitated notably by FANC and Bel V experts.
- A second session has been organised on 18th of November 2021