



20-22 JUNE 2023

EUROPEAN SUSTAINABLE ENERGY WEEK

Accelerating the clean energy transition – towards lower bills and greater skills

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TUESDAY 20 JUNE

09.00-09.30	<i>Welcome Coffee</i>						
09.30-10.00	OPENING						
10.00-10.30	Featuring high-level speakers from the European Commission, the Swedish Presidency, the European Parliament and civil society representatives, the Opening will set the agenda for the week in the context of current geopolitical situation and energy market realities. Protecting European consumers from price volatility and increasing their skills to produce and save energy will be key factors in reaching this goal. This session will introduce the event's theme: 'Accelerating the clean energy transition - towards lower bills and greater skills'.						
	Room: De Gasperi						
10.30-11.00	EUSEW AWARDS CEREMONY						
11.00-11.30	The European Sustainable Energy Awards recognise outstanding individuals and projects for efforts in energy efficiency and renewables. The Awards Ceremony will bring together European Commissioner for Energy Kadri Simson, members of the high-level jury and the finalists of the three categories to announce the winners in Innovation, Local Energy Action, Woman in Energy. In addition, a Young Energy Champion will be named in recognition of their achievements.						
	Room: De Gasperi						
11.30-12.00	<i>Coffee break</i>						
12.00-12.30	DEBATE WITH AMBASSADORS						
12.30-13.00	A dynamic exchange between EUSEW Digital Ambassadors from different sectors will be a chance for them to share priorities and hear one another's insights. Panellists will have the opportunity to engage with topics relating to the EU's energy transition, upskilling in the energy sector, and the need to cooperate globally to enact meaningful climate action.						
	Room: De Gasperi						
13.00-13.30	<i>Lunch break</i>						
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14.00-14.30	<u>KEYNOTE SPEECH ON SKILLS</u> Room: De Gasperi (Charlemagne)						
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14.30-15.00	SKILLS	<u>"RES-skilling": How to address the renewable energy skills challenge?</u>	<u>Human capacity for the energy and climate transition: what is needed at the local level?</u>	<u>Decarbonising the EU's building stock: addressing the skills gap?</u>	<u>Career opportunities in the energy transition: the skills you need for the green economy</u>	<u>How can youth-driven energy communities shape the clean energy transition?</u>	<u>Skills as the green engine for regional hydrogen ecosystems</u>
15.00-15.30							
15.30-16.00							
16.00-16.30		<i>Coffee break</i>					
16.30-17.00		<u>Innovative approaches in upskilling the building workforce towards a carbon neutral building stock</u>	<u>Inclusivity and the clean energy transition: the skills perspective</u>	<u>A fair energy transition with the right skills: experience from the Clean Energy Ministerial Empowering People Initiative</u>	<u>Harnessing the potential of offshore wind energy through skills development</u>	<u>Upskilling the EU's industrial workforce to create clean energy systems for electric mobility</u>	<u>Supercharging the workforce: how to get ready for a battery-powered future</u>
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ALL DAY	NETWORKING VILLAGE						

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WEDNESDAY 21 JUNE

08.30-09.00	<i>Welcome coffee</i>						
09.00-09.30	KEYNOTE SPEECH ON ENERGY EFFICIENCY, AFFORDABILITY AND INCLUSION Room: De Gasperi (Charlemagne)						
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09.30-10.00	ENERGY EFFICIENCY	Renewables and energy efficiency: finding the right mix to reduce fossil fuel dependency	Heat pumps: stepping up the decarbonisation of the EU's building sector	The untapped potential of sufficiency to meet EU climate goals	Tapping the full potential of energy efficient products via digital tools	Leading the way: setting the vision for buildings in the EU's clean energy transition	Fast-tracking the clean heat transition: leveraging private capital to modernise district heating
10.00-10.30		<i>Coffee break</i>					
10.30-11.00							
11.00-11.30		The role of digitalisation in addressing the EU energy crisis	The beating heart of buildings: people!	Implementing minimum energy performance standards in a socially fair way	Energy Performance of Buildings Directive: opportunity for countries to unleash the potential for smart and cost-effective solutions	Strengthening energy efficiency for the clean energy transition and energy independence	Investing in resilience: a discussion on Energy Services Companies and mobilising public and private finance
11.30-12.00	<i>Lunch break</i>						
12.00-12.30							
12.30-13.00	AFFORDABILITY AND INCLUSION	Empowering energy communities: building capacity for social innovation	Social reskilling: measures to combat local energy poverty	Empowering and protecting energy consumers in and beyond the crisis	A new decade for self-consumption: the age of maturity	Stepping up: gender and intersectional perspectives towards a socially fair Just Transition	Social innovation: a driver for integrated building renovation across Europe
13.00-13.30		<i>Coffee break</i>					
13.30-14.00							
14.00-14.30		How to engage more consumers in the energy transition	A poverty-proof energy transition: what is at stake?	Tackling energy poverty through national building renovation plans	Community-proofing the EU's energy system by rebalancing roles and resources	Energy self-consumption as a success factor of the ecological transition	Empowering women to become active stakeholders in tackling summertime energy poverty
14.30-15.00	ENERGY EFFICIENCY					ManagEnergy Talk: Winning the race to net zero: why companies should accelerate their climate transition	
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THURSDAY 22 JUNE

08.30-09.00	<i>Welcome coffee</i>						
09.00-09.30	KEYNOTE SPEECH ON RENEWABLES, DECARBONISATION OF EU AND INTERNATIONAL ENERGY SYSTEMS Room De Gasperi (Charlemagne)						
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09.30-10.00	RENEWABLES	<u>Did someone say energy storage? Ensuring reliable, clean and low-cost energy supply for Europe</u>	<u>Efficient electricity grids: the key to accelerate the deployment of renewable energy</u>	<u>The role of competitive clean energy technologies to implement climate targets for 2030</u>	<u>Solar energy: a strategy towards a sustainable and circular photovoltaic industry</u>	<u>Market-ready solutions from European small and medium-sized enterprises for a smooth energy transition</u>	<u>Citizen Energy: transition to renewable community heating and cooling</u>
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11.00-11.30		<i>Coffee break</i>					
11.30-12.00	RENEWABLES	<u>Offshore wind to tackle Europe's climate and energy security crises</u>	<u>Next steps for Europe's Green Deal Industry Plan: perspectives from the clean tech industry</u>	<u>Smart electricity grids: supporting renewable energy source integration and the clean energy transition</u>	<u>Making a success of accelerated renewable areas : best practices for site identification</u>	<u>Carbon neutral heating for Europe: innovative approaches from Grenoble, Sofia and Stockholm</u>	<u>Renewable and affordable baseload and flexibility in the power system beyond 2030: hydropower and other solutions</u>
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13.00-13.30		<i>Lunch break</i>					
13.30-14.00	RENEWABLES	<u>National Energy and Climate Plans and Recovery and Resilience Plans: strategic tools to boost investment in a safe, affordable and green EU energy system</u>	<u>Bringing hydrogen to industry: the right infrastructure to unlock decarbonisation</u>	<u>Boosting innovation and green transition through carbon pricing</u>	<u>Revision of the Strategic Energy Technology Plan: boosting skills and competitiveness in clean energy technologies</u>	<u>Transforming traditional energy infrastructure: repurposing, reusing and reskilling</u>	<u>Accelerating just energy transition(s) in coal and carbon-intensive regions</u>
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15.00-15.30		<i>Coffee break</i>					
15.30-16.00	RENEWABLES	<u>The energy transition champions of Central and Eastern Europe</u>	<u>Climate neutrality needs concerted action: why is multi-level governance the solution?</u>	<u>Powering up small and medium-sized enterprises: policy measures and digital tools to support renewables and energy efficiency</u>	<u>Climate neutral Europe: safeguarding jobs and industrial competitiveness</u>	<u>Gearing up for the rollout of renewable and low carbon fuels!</u>	<u>Accelerating energy transition in the Mediterranean region</u>
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17.30-18.00	RENEWABLES	CLOSING SESSION					
		A chance to take stock and reflect on key topics from the week's discussions before looking towards next steps in the short, medium and longer term. High-level speakers will bring together ideas from the different sessions and focus priorities for action in the energy transition.					
18.00-19.00	NETWORKING COCKTAIL						
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