

ener2i

EU Brokerage Event

Venue: eseia, Avenue de Tervuren 84, 1040 Brussels, Belgium
2 December 2014, 10h00 - 17h00

Participants Catalogue



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Final Agenda

- 10.00 – 17.00: **Brokerage Event for Eastern Partnership Countries**
Moderator: Prof Michael Narodoslawsky, TU Graz
- 9.30 – 10.00: Registration and Networking Coffee
- 10.00 – 10.15: Welcome address by Thierry Devars, EC, DG Research and Innovation
10.15 – 10.30: ener2i presentation by the project coordinator, Gorazd Weiss, ZSI
- 10:30 – 12:00: **Brokerage Workshop 1**
[H2020-EE-2015-3, EE-07 Market Uptake](#): Enhancing the capacity of public authorities to plan and implement sustainable energy policies and measures
Project Title: RootEED – Rooting the energy efficiency directive (EED) in communities and regions. Implementation of Energy Efficiency Directive on the local/regional level.
eseia Coordinator: Karl-Heinz Kettl, Energy Agency Styria GmbH
- 12.00 – 13.30: Networking Lunch
- 13.30 – 14.00: **Sketch of Draft Recommendations on EaP country reports**
Maarten Arentsen, University of Twente
- 14.00 – 15.00 **Brokerage Workshop 2**
[WASTE-6-2015](#): Promoting eco-innovative waste management and prevention as part of sustainable urban development b) Eco-innovative strategies
Project Title: We4Cities - Increase Waste Management Efficiency for Living Sustainable Cities
Coordinator: Stefania Proli and Angela Santangelo, University of Bologna
- 15.00 – 15.30: Coffee break
- 15.30 – 17.00: **Brokerage Workshop 3**
[COST Action](#) Widening
Project Title: PV simulation and modelling data exchange
COST Speaker: Ms Katalin Alföldi, Policy Officer for Inclusiveness and Excellence at the COST Association
eseia Coordinator: Brian Norton, eseia Vice President, Dublin Institute of Technology
- 19.00 – 22.00: **eseia Five Years Celebration**
Dinner, cake and fireworks



ARMENIA

Mikael Abovyan, Armenia

Organisation: Technology Transfer Association

Position: Head of the Board

Type of Organisation: NGO

Expertise: Technology Assessment, Identifying customers, Assessing markets, Technology Marketing, Attracting investors, Developing strategy & plans, Securing IP rights, Negotiating agreements, Preparing contracts, establishing links between Armenian technologies' owners and organizations looking for innovative solutions, carrying out the assessment of proposed technologies.



AUSTRIA

Rupert Baumgartner, Austria

Organisation: University of Graz

Position: Head of Institute

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Sustainable Development, Strategic Management, Research Funding and Scholarship, Environmental Economics, Biogas

Catherine Bilger, Austria

Organisation: eseia

Position: Assistant to the eseia Director

Type of Organisation: Association

Expertise: International project management, event management, public relations, international logistics and marketing

Kaisa Granqvist, Austria

Organisation: Centre for Social Innovation - ZSI

Position: Researcher

Type of Organisation: Research

Expertise: International cooperation

Karl-Heinz Kettl, Austria

Organisation: Energie agentur Steiermark

Position: Team Leader PMO

Type of Organisation: Business

Expertise: Energy Efficiency, Consulting, close to public authority (Local government, Styria in Austria)

Target groups: public, communities, regions

Michael Narodoslawsky, Austria

Organisation: TU Graz

Type of Organisation: University

Position: Associate Professor

Expertise: Bio-energy, regional energy systems, smart city energy systems

Manfred Spiesberger, Austria

Organisation: Centre for Social Innovation - ZSI

Position: Research Assistant

Type of Organisation: Research

Expertise: Scientific and applied expertise in innovation studies, social innovation, analysis of international S&T and innovation cooperation, foresight studies, surveys, evaluation and impact assessment, etc.

Franz Stelzer, Austria

Organisation: TU Graz, ICTM

Type of Organisation: University

Position: Head of Institute

Expertise: Polymer Chemistry & Technology Batteries & Energy Storage Biopolymers & Medical Applications

Christophe Strasser, Austria

Organisation: Bienergy 2020+

Type of Organisation: Research Organisation

Position: Unit Head

Expertise: Expert in the field of bioenergy especially for biomass supply and value chains.

Vera Veleva, Austria

Organisation: eseia - European Sustainable Energy Innovation Alliance

Position: Project Assistant

Type of Organisation: Association

Profile: Ener2i Project Partner / Event Organizers

Expertise: International relation and project management, Strategy planning, international higher education cooperation, Energy Policy and Regional & Urban Development

Gorazd Weiss, Austria

Organisation: Centre for Social Innovation - ZSI

Position: Project Manager

Type of Organisation: Research

Expertise: International RTDI cooperation, project & financial management, foresight studies, social innovation, responsible research and innovation.



BELARUS

Alexander Fedotov, Belarus

Organisation: Belarusian State University

Position: Professor

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Solar cell materials nanotechnology Nano composites solar cells.

Nataliya Tamashevich, Belarus

Organisation: Republican Innovative Unitary Enterprise "Science and Technology Park of BNTU "Polytechnic"

Position: Foreign Economic Activity Manager

Type of Organisation: Research Organisation

Expertise: Key functions: R&D; manufacturing of high-tech products including those based on the R&D conducted at Technopark; informational and marketing support (innovative services); business incubation (facilitation of high-tech enterprises and industries creation); technology transfer. Within the Science and Technology Park of BNTU "Polytechnic"



BELGIUM

Kimmo Järvinen, Belgium

Organisation: European Organization of the Sawmill Industry (EOS)

Type of Organisation: Non-profit representative of the European Sawmill Industry

Position: Secretary General

Expertise: Forest Industry, Sawmill Industry, RTDI, International operations



CROATIA

Boris Cosic, Croatia

Organisation: University of Zagreb, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture

Position: Research Assistant

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Researcher with 6 year experience in the field of Bioenergy, sustainable development, energy planning and designing of the energy systems of countries with a high share of renewable energy sources

Božidar Šantek, Croatia

Organisation: Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology University of Zagreb

Position: Head of Laboratory

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: My research interest involve: the sustainable production of biofuels and biochemical, the assessment of bioprocess sustainability, bioprocess kinetics, mathematical modelling of different bioprocesses and scale-up, and biological wastewater treatment.



FINLAND

Merja Mäkelä, Finland

Organisation: Kymenlaakso University of Applied Sciences

Position: Principal lecture in Energy Technology, Automation Engineering

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Teaching and R&D in energy technology: heat and electricity from renewables, process control systems, modelling and simulation, distance-teaching, E-learning, international cooperation

Kirsi Tallinen, Finland

Organisation: Kymenlaakso University of Applied Sciences

Position: Research Manager

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Project management in energy issues.



GEORGIA

George Abulashvili, Georgia

Organisation: EEC - Union "Energy Efficiency Centre Georgia"

Position: Director

Type of Organisation: Research Organisation

Expertise: energy efficiency and related environmental aspects, analyses and recommendations on energy efficiency and renewable energy policies and regulations.



István Heckl, Hungary

Organisation: University of Pannonia

Position: Associate Professor

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: focus on optimization, especially on Process network synthesis, separation network synthesis, sustainability.



Brian Norton, Ireland

Organisation: Dublin Institute of Technology

Position: President

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Renewable Energy

Shane Ward, Ireland

Organisation: University College Dublin

Position: Professor of Bio systems engineering

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Biosystems Engineering - focusing on "smart systems" applied to the agri-food and bioresource industries; with particular emphasis on energy use minimization, environmental impacts and production systems optimization.



Stefania Proli, Italy

Organisation: Department of Architecture Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna

Position: Research fellow

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: The group of researchers I am working with at the Department of Architecture, UNIBO, is actively working in the field of spatial planning, urban renewal and environment, developing policies, techniques and practices to achieve social, economic and environmental sustainability in urban areas.

Angela Santangelo

Organisation: Department of Architecture Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna

Position: Research fellow

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: The group of researchers I am working with at the Department of Architecture, UNIBO, is actively working in the field of spatial planning, urban renewal and environment, developing policies, techniques and practices to achieve social, economic and environmental sustainability in urban areas.



Gintaras Stauskis, Lithuania

Organisation: Vilnius Gediminas Technical University

Position: Professor, Department of Urban Design

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Town planning and Urban Design, Green Building, Bioclimatic Design.



Vulpe Sergiu, Moldova

Organisation: "GrupBiz-SV" SRL

Position: Director

Type of Organisation: Business

Expertise: "GrupBiz-SV" is a manufacturing company, with 4 years of experience in making wooden boxes for packing fruits and vegetables.



Ewa Domke, Poland

Organisation: IMP PAN

Position: Deputy Director for International Cooperation and Project Administration

Type of Organisation: Research Organisation

Expertise: distributed heat & power generation in a small scale based on renewable resources;



PORTUGAL

Teresa Ponce de Leão, Portugal

Organisation: LNEG

Position: President

Type of Organisation: Research Organisation

Expertise: power systems planning with integration of renewables.



ROMANIA

Ion Visa, Romania

Organisation: Transilvania University of Brasov

Position: Professor

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Expertise: Increasing the efficiency of solar energy conversion systems; renewable-based energy mixes for thermal and electrical energy production implemented in the built environment, sustainable communities. Technical equipment: testing rigs (indoor, outdoor) for solar-thermal and solar PV systems, pilot energy mixes installed in the built environment, LEB, NyZEB pilot buildings at 1:1 scale.



THE NETHERLANDS

Maarten Arentsen, The Netherlands

Organisation: University of Twente

Position: Associate professor

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: renewable energy innovation Bio based economy Bio energy and rural development

Angele Reinders, The Netherlands

Organisation: University of Twente

Position: Associate Professor and Professor

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Within the theme Energy, which is led by Dr. Reinders, design-research focuses on sustainable product development with renewable energy technologies for instance applications of PV solar technologies, LEDs, fuel cells, energy storage technologies, thermal energy technologies and small wind turbines in products and buildings.

Sjoerd van Tongeren, The Netherlands

Organisation: University of Twente

Position: Executive director of the Institute for Innovation and Governance Studies

Type of Organisation: University

Expertise: Research