



26-29 September 2022

# EUROPEAN SUSTAINABLE ENERGY WEEK

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ONLINE / ONSITE (CHARLEMAGNE BUILDING, BRUSSELS)

## NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

The Networking Village features a series of activities to allow participants to interact with topics of their interest, connect with other participants with shared interests, as well as visit exhibition booths online and onsite to find more information and further networking opportunities.

	DAY 1 MONDAY 26 SEPTEMBER	DAY 2 TUESDAY 27 SEPTEMBER	DAY 3 WEDNESDAY 28 SEPTEMBER	DAY 4 THURSDAY 29 SEPTEMBER												
09.00 - 09.30		KEYNOTE SPEECH ON <b>REPowerEU</b>														
09.30 - 10.00	<b>OPENING SESSION</b>	<b>REPowerEU</b>	<b>ENERGY EFFICIENCY</b>	<b>CONSUMERS AND A FAIR ENERGY TRANSITION</b>												
10.00 - 10.30					LESSONS ON CLIMATE NEUTRALITY AND ENERGY INDEPENDENCE FROM THE EU ISLANDS	FAST TRACK TO AFFORDABLE, SECURE AND SUSTAINABLE ENERGY: THE GREEN DEAL TO BOOST RES AND EFFICIENCY	GREENING THE PIPELINES: THE ROLE OF BIOMETHANE IN EUROPE'S SUSTAINABLE ENERGY TRANSITION AND ENERGY SECURITY	ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGIES TO DRIVE BUILDING ENERGY PERFORMANCE: LOCAL EXAMPLES FROM THE MEDITERRANEAN REGIONS	REPOWER THE EU: MOBILISING INVESTMENTS AND CITIZEN EMPOWERMENT	HARNESSING THE POTENTIAL OF ENERGY MANAGEMENT AND DISTRICT HEATING IN REPOWEREU	TOWARDS ENERGY-AWARE BEHAVIOURS: HOW STUDIES ON YOUNG GENERATIONS CAN INFORM BETTER POLICY DESIGN	BUILDING BLOCKS TO ELECTRIFY MOBILITY: NOW AND THE FUTURE	ACHIEVING ENERGY INDEPENDENCE AND THE GREEN TRANSITION: REPOWERING CONSUMERS			
10.30 - 11.00					Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break	Coffee break								
11.00 - 11.30	<b>EUSEW AWARDS CEREMONY</b>															
11.30 - 12.00		REPOWEREU: TOWARDS A MORE INDEPENDENT AND RESILIENT EU ENERGY SYSTEM	THE COMMODIFICATION OF GREEN HYDROGEN FOR EUROPE	RENEWABLES DEPLOYMENT: DOUBLE THE SPEED	ENERGY SYSTEM EFFICIENCY FOR A COST-EFFECTIVE DECARBONISATION AND ENERGY RESILIENCE	FINANCING ENERGY EFFICIENCY FIRST FOR FIT FOR 55: THE ROLE OF FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	FAST-TRACKING THE ENERGY TRANSITION AND AUTONOMY IN DEFENCE	STRONGER TOGETHER: COMMUNITY-BASED RENEWABLE ENERGY PROJECTS FOR A JUST AND GREEN TRANSITION	DIVERSIFYING THE ENERGY TRANSITION: GENDER PERSPECTIVES IN ENERGY POVERTY POLICIES	LOCAL SOLUTIONS TO THE ENERGY CRISIS: EMPOWERING CITIZENS THROUGH RENEWABLE ENERGY COMMUNITIES						
12.00 - 12.30		<b>DEBATE WITH AMBASSADORS</b>														
12.30 - 13.00																
13.00 - 13.30	Lunch break															
13.30 - 14.00																
14.00 - 14.30	★ <b>EUROPEAN YOUTH ENERGY DAY</b> 'How to ensure that Europe's future energy independence is sustainable'	KEYNOTE SPEECH ON <b>DIGITALISATION</b>			KEYNOTE SPEECH ON <b>RENEWABLES</b>			★ <b>THE POTENTIAL OF RENEWABLE GASES TO SUPPORT THE ENERGY TRANSITION AND GUARANTEE SECURITY OF SUPPLY</b>			INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION FOR ENERGY RESILIENT AND DECARBONISED INDUSTRIES	FINANCING THE EU'S ENERGY TRANSITION: THE POWER OF EU FUNDING, NATIONAL SCHEMES AND PRIVATE FINANCE				
14.30 - 15.00		<b>DIGITALISATION</b>	THE POWER OF DIGITAL INNOVATION HUBS TO ACCELERATE THE DIGITALISATION OF EUROPE'S ENERGY TRANSITION	SUPPORTING INVESTMENTS IN INNOVATION FOR A MORE DIGITALISED ELECTRICITY GRID	REPOWERING EUROPE BY EMPOWERING ENERGY COMMUNITIES: A PERSPECTIVE ON DIGITAL AND SOCIAL INNOVATION	ZERO-EMISSION BUILDINGS: HOW TO ACHIEVE CLIMATE-NEUTRAL HEATING AND COOLING FROM NUORGAM (FINLAND) TO RIZOKARPASO (CYPRUS)	★ RENEWABLE AND LOW CARBON FUELS: SCALING-UP FOR SUSTAINABLE AVIATION AND WATERBORNE TRANSPORT	★ SHAPING THE SOLAR TERAWATT AGE: IMPLEMENTING THE EU SOLAR STRATEGY	Coffee break							
15.00 - 15.30																
15.30 - 16.00	Coffee break															
16.00 - 16.30	★ <b>EUROPEAN YOUTH ENERGY DAY</b> 'How will our energy future look in 20 years?'				★ <b>RENEWABLES</b>	★ MAKING THE EUROPEAN BATTERY VALUE CHAIN FUTURE-PROOF BY INVESTING IN PEOPLE, SKILLS AND INNOVATION	ANY WAY THE WIND BLOWS: EU REGULATORY SUPPORT FOR OFFSHORE WIND ENERGY AND INFRASTRUCTURE	MAKING THE SUN SHINE AT NIGHT: WHAT IS NEEDED TO BUILD A 100% RENEWABLE-BASED ENERGY SYSTEM?	<b>DECARBONISATION</b>	CONSUMER VALUE, STEADY POWER: HOW HEAT PUMPS CAN HELP TRANSFORM THE ELECTRICITY GRID	THE ROLE OF TAXATION IN ENSURING THE EU'S STRATEGIC ENERGY AUTONOMY WHILE ACHIEVING DECARBONISATION	CHALLENGES FOR DECARBONISING EU INDUSTRIES				
16.30 - 17.00		DATA EXCHANGE AND GOVERNANCE MODELS FOR ENERGY DATA HUBS	ENERGY TRANSITION, DIGITALISATION AND CYBERSECURITY	MAKING DATA CENTRES IN EUROPE SUSTAINABLE						Coffee break						
17.00 - 17.30																
17.30 - 18.00									<b>CLOSING SESSION</b>							
18.00 - 18.30																
18.30 - 19.00												Networking drink				

## WHAT TO EXPECT FROM THE POLICY CONFERENCE:

### PLENARIES

Featuring high-profile speakers such as European Commissioner for Energy Kadri Simson, Executive Vice-President Margarethe Vestager, and representatives from the Czech presidency of the Council, the Ukrainian Ministry for Energy and the European Parliament, the Opening and Closing Ceremonies will present the EU's key priorities for the energy transition in the context of the REPowerEU plan and Europe's Green Deal.

### KEYNOTE SPEECHES

Impactful speeches from key actors in energy policy set out the priorities for Europe's energy transition. Expect insightful contributions on the REPowerEU plan, Digitalisation, Energy Efficiency, Renewables, Consumers and a Fair Energy Transition, and Decarbonisation. These keynote interventions are the prelude to the thematic block on the topic addressed

### EUSEW AWARDS CEREMONY

The [European Sustainable Energy Awards](#) recognise outstanding individuals and projects for their innovation and 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 four categories in order to announce the winners in Innovation, Local Energy Action, Woman in Energy, and Young Energy Trailblazer.

### DEBATE WITH AMBASSADORS

A dynamic exchange between [EUSEW Digital Ambassadors](#) from the non-profit sector, energy cooperatives and finance will be led by Director-General for Energy, Ditte Juul Jørgensen. Panellists will have the opportunity to engage with topics relating to the REPowerEU plan to boost the EU's energy independence, financial support for the green transition, and the need to cooperate globally to enact meaningful climate action.

### DEDICATED YOUTH PROGRAMME ★

In the context of the [European Year of Youth](#) European Commissioner for Energy Kadri Simson will open the third European Youth Energy Day, which will feature discussions with young individuals from across Member States and an interactive session spotlighting innovators taking concrete steps towards a carbon-neutral future for Europe. All policy sessions relating to the European Year of Youth are marked in green on this programme.

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