



AGENDA

WORKSHOP

“Short and Long-term Outlook for Renewable Energies in France”

In cooperation with Barbara Pompili, President of the Commission for Sustainable Development and Territorial Planning of the French National Assembly

Thursday 25 June 2020

9.00 – 12.45

Online Conference
(Zoom)

Languages : french with simultaneous french-english interpretation

SESSION 1

8.30 – 9.00 Pre-session for all speakers, audiovisual check

9.00 – 9.10 Opening speech

Jan Geiss, Secretary General, EUFORES

9.10 – 9.20 Welcoming speech

Barbara Pompili, Member of National Parliament, President of the Commission for Sustainable Development and Territorial Planning

SESSION 2

9.20 – 10.20: Open Discussion: Setting the ambition for renewables for France

The session will present the current situation of renewable energies in France and how it is addressed via the National Energy and Climate plans, considering the EU's Clean Energy Package and now the European Green Deal for the period 2021-2030, as well as the EU Recovery Plan in the context of the COVID-19 crisis. The session intends to set the picture of the present to discuss the development of policies for the French renewable energy system of the future.



Chair: Jan Geiss, Secretary General, EUFORES

9.20 – 9.35: Input speech: The French National Energy and Climate Plan status and the transposition of the Renewable Energy Directive (RED II) into national legislation

- **Laurent Michel**, Director, Directorate-General for Energy and Climate, Ministry of Ecological and Solidary Transition of France

Experts Panel

- **Marjolaine Meynier-Millefert**, Member of National Parliament
- **Nicolas Berghmans**, Senior Researcher, Climate and Energy, Institute for Sustainable Development and International Relations - IDDRI
- **Pauline Lebertre**, CEO, French Wind Energy Association - FEE
- **Alexis Monteil**, Renewable Energy Project manager, CLER-Energy Transition Network

Exchange with Members of National Parliament
Questions and Answers with Participants

10.20 – 10.30 : Coffee Break

SESSION 3

10.30 – 11.30: Towards a renewable energy system and energy markets

This session will discuss the trends of the new energy system and energy markets in France. Innovative initiatives and new business models from different sectors will be presented to show how different actors are implementing solutions overcoming the challenges faced by the traditional energy system and thereby shaping the future French energy system and markets.

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- **10.30 – 10.40: The contribution of Green Energy suppliers to the French Energy Transition**
Fanélie Carrey-Conte, Director of the Cooperative and Secretary General of Enercoop
- **10.40 – 10.50: The Energy Citizen Communities in France : their role in the French energy transition**
Justine Peullemeulle, Responsible for National Activities and Institutional Relations, 'Shared-Energy' Association - Association Energie Partagée

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- **11.00 – 11.10 : Floating Offshore Wind Tender for 2021 in France – A first time in Europe**
Germain Peyer, Development Director, French Renewable Energy Developer EOLFI
- **11.10 – 11.20 : Lessons from the current Sanitary crisis for the evolution of the French Energy mix**
Yves Marignac, Independent Expert and Spokesman of the négaWatt Association
(Nuclear Free Future Award, 2012)

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11.30 – 11.45 Coffee Break

SESSION 4

11.45 – 12.45: Open Discussion: Shape and Fund the Energy Transition and Renewable Energies in France – a link to the current context of COVID-19 crisis

This Session intends to discuss the financial opportunities for the Energy Transition and Renewable Energies in France, the impact of the COVID-19 crisis on the current and future Renewable Energy Projects as well as the available or measures to come to support their development.

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Experts Panel

- **Alexandre Roesch**, CEO, French Renewable Energy Federation - SER
- **Benoît Leguet**, Director, Institut 4 Climate Economics - I4CE
- **Wojtek Kalinowski**, Co-director, Veblen Institute
- **Jon Sallé**, Head of Finansol

Exchange with Members of National Parliament
Questions and Answers with Participants