CLEAN ENERGY FINANCE: EUROPE 2017
Frankfurt 8TH-9TH MARCH

KEY TOPICS

• Energy Generation: Trends & Forecasts for Next Decade Investment
• Renewable Energy Capacity Markets: Developing Vs Developed
• Innovative Finance for Grid Scale Clean Tech Development
• Bringing Clean Power to Developing Countries
• The Rise & Types of Distributed Energy Resources (DER)
• Next Generation Investment Innovations
• Integrating Smart Cities & Electric Vehicles into the Grid
• SME/Investor Speed Networking
• Biotech Energy Opportunities & Portfolio Diversification

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Clean Energy Finance Europe 2017
Frankfurt, Germany.

The Conference

Clean Energy Finance has been accelerating following the ambitious pledges on clean energy and low-carbon investments, as we continue to see the shift from fossil fuels to renewables, and the declining oil and gas prices, the future looks bright for investors. These key drivers for competitive action and implementation shall determine the key transformations across Europe.

The challenge to scale funding opportunities for climate solutions can be met only by collaborative efforts. This year we address the criteria that that ensure all projects should meet and explore performing markets alongside managing the competition.

We shall explore both old and new financing strategies, alongside the latest industry questions; including the impact of UK’s vote to leave the EU, how investors are making cheap renewables a reality and what the future holds for EU power markets.

Confirmed Topics for Discussion:

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Call For Papers

If you would like to be considered as a speaker at the event for a 30-45 minute presentation, please submit an abstract for consideration to:

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Who Will Be Attending?

This senior executive inner circle event will unite leading decision makers in the energy community, with an emphasis on power, efficiency, transportation, regulation, energy finance and EU energy/climate challenges.

Private equity Investors, Commercial banks, Merchant banks, Capital & Venture capital funds, Infrastructure funds, Development Banks, Private funds & Insurance companies, Senior Economists, Technical Energy Experts, and Utilities

Commercial Partnership Opportunities

With leading companies and organisations from the Renewables & Investment industry attending and speaking at our event, we have the perfect vehicle to provide outstanding exposure to a senior level audience.

There are varying sponsorship packages available, including sponsorship of a cocktail reception on the first evening of the event and sponsorship of a networking lunch. For further details, please contact:

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DAY 1
Wednesday 8th March 2017

08:00  REGISTRATION & COFFEE

09:00  CHAIRMAN’S OPENING REMARKS

09:05  SESSION ONE
Clean Energy Investment Trends & Markets
Exploring the rapidly changing market developments in renewable energy and responses to climate disruption and the long-term health of the European economy:

Guy Doyle
Chief Economist, Energy & Carbon
Mott McDonald

10 technology trends creating a new power reality

André Rauwerda MBA
Principal Consultant
DNV GL - Energy

An investor perspective: Fast warming: are 3.5°C the set number? Investor challenges, risks and opportunities

Ruben Bach
Partner
SVS Capital Partners

11:05  MORNING REFRESHMENTS

11:35  INVESTORS PANEL DISCUSSION
Creating an Appropriate Regulatory Environment for the Changing Structure of the Market
Identifying the best financing strategies and their outlook on the global energy & infrastructure markets in 2017 and beyond. There could be an opportunity for multiple players to collaborate in the creation of a set of financial instruments to serve this segment

- What innovation in financing mechanisms are we likely to see following new regulations and depressed commodity prices?
- Large scale regulation and impact on investment decisions
- The future of the renewable energy market: creating a smart flexible energy system
- The interaction among policies—energy, climate, reliability, etc.—must be anticipated and policymakers need to establish a consistent framework for energy efficiency’s role

Rod McDonald
Director Investment Management
Allianz Global Investors

Marin Berg
Investment Officer
The European Investment Bank

Mortimer Menzel
Partner
Augusta & Co

Michelle I Davis
Partner, Head of Clean Energy and Sustainability
Eversheds LLP

12:35  LUNCH

13:35  PANEL DISCUSSION (with presentations)
Developing the Distributed Energy Market, Market Demand, Business Models & Impact on the Grid
An overview of some of the major financing renewable energy initiatives and their impact on the renewables sector in the future
- How are deal structures evolving in a buyers’ market?
- The Marriage of Clean Energy & Impact aim of generating a measurable, beneficial social and/or environmental impact alongside a financial return—has taken root, and according to J.P. Morgan, is expected to grow to a nearly $1 trillion per year investment discipline by 2020.

Dr. Myles E. Mangram, M.B.A
CEO
EnTech Capital Ltd

(Presentation title tbc)

Dr. Oliver Heiland
Director legal compliance/ Alternative investment
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Risk mitigation for demonstration of new energy and climate technology
Roar Grønhaug
Senior Adviser
Enova Sf

Asset management of renewable investment, creating value beyond the base case
Amir Sharifi
Director Infrastructure
Arden

Results in the CrowdFundRES project
Thomas Maidonis
Project Manager
WIP Renewable Energies

14:45
CONFERENCE PRESENTATION
Lessons Learned at Different Stages of Investment (case study)
Stirling Rabbitts
Sector Lead Project Finance
Triodos Bank

15:15
AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS

15:45
SESSION TWO
Unlocking the Potential from Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Sources to meet 2020 Targets
The key to unlocking large scale investment in Europe remains with efficiency as the best de-risk practice. In this session we look at some initiatives and building investor confidence. The Investor Confidence Project (ICP Europe), financed by the EU Commission’s Horizon 2020 programme has the potential to de-risk energy efficiency investments. The ICP approach addresses the needs of investors looking for standardised projects that reduce the time, risk, and costs involved in funding energy efficiency building retrofits.
- What ICP offers: Investor Ready Energy Efficiency
- ICP’s Investor Ready Energy Efficiency™ (IREE™)

Dr. Frédéric Brodach
Founder & Managing Partner
Serimus S.A

Energy Efficiency Project Facility
Sebastian Cameiro
Managing Director, Energy Efficiency
SUSI PARTNERS AG

Utilities Role in the Future Power System
- The Energy Research Partnership Utility 2050 project looking at what types of business model might apply to a transformative pathway to the targets we have for decarbonisation

David Casale
Associate, Energy Efficiency
Turquoise International Limited

16:45
Speed Networking Opportunity
Delegates meet and greet

17:15
CHAIRMAN’S CLOSING REMARKS

17:30
CLOSE OF DAY ONE

Commercial & Sponsorship Opportunities
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DAY 2
Thursday 9th March 2017

08:30  REGISTRATION & COFFEE

09:00  CHAIRMAN’S OPENING REMARKS

Azad Camyab
Member of the Executive Advisory Board
Powergen Europe

09:05  SESSION THREE
Investment by Renewable Asset:
A more in depth approach to identifying risks and opportunities within the following:
• Meeting the 2020 renewable energy targets: Filling the offshore wind financing gap
  Gavin Smart
  Investment & Finance Analyst
  Ore Catapult

• Solar PV
  Abid Kozim
  UK Managing Director
  Next Energy Capital

Reducing the unique risk associated with traditional renewables
  Michael Schrempf
  Head of Green Solutions
  Munich RE

10:45  MORNING REFRESHMENTS

11:15  OPEN DISCUSSION
Overcoming Constraints and Barriers to Renewable Energy Investment
Addressing the structure and causes behind each one of these constraints and barriers. We shall discuss potential ways forward in overcoming the following:
• Managing liquidity issues: Limitations on investing in illiquid assets
• Diversification and limiting exposure to an industry or investment theme
• Policy Barriers
• Reducing costs in direct renewable energy investment

12:00  SESSION FOUR
Technology, Innovation and Integrated Systems: Pros and Cons

Discussing the challenge of balancing variable generation sources such as wind and solar, and the potential of storage technologies to address this. Analysis on the cost and benefit of adding storage to renewable power plants to make them more responsive to the needs of the grid.

Battery storage financing:
Constraints and limitations for battery energy storage
A case study on co-location
  Don Taylor
  Managing Director
  Camborne Energy Storage Ltd

Renewable Energy In Transport & Energy System Impact
• Global trends in Transport Electrification
  Aleksandra Rybczynska
  Associate, Advanced Transport
  Bloomberg New Energy Finance

A utility perspective: energy storage and innovation
  Davy Theophile
  Business Unit Director - Battery Energy Storage / Renewables Energy Integration (solar PV, Wind)
  GF Grid Solutions

13:00  LUNCH

13:45  SESSION FIVE
TBC

15:45  CHAIRMAN’S CLOSING REMARKS

16:00  END OF CONFERENCE & AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS
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Registration Is Simple
If you would like to register for this event or wish to find out more information, you can contact Rohan Baryah using any of the following methods:
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