



RE-energising Europe - Sharing ideas and knowledge

This 2-day event, organised by 7 EU-funded projects (Horizon2020), will bring together on stage speakers from the EU institutions, from the projects as well as key players from the energy market, to discuss how the work done in the past 3 years can support RE-energising Europe. Key topics related to energy in Europe will be tackled: (renewable)(bio) energy communities, energy efficiency, multiple benefits, RES, RHC, women, empowering people, energy behaviour, new trends of energy consumption (digitalisation, circular economy and more). To bring content to the discussions, our initiatives will present tools and models, one stop shops, awareness raising and nudging campaigns, showcased through inspirational presentations, a poster session and a field visit (Belgian energy community).

This event will provide an opportunity for attendees to learn about the latest developments in these areas and exchange ideas and best practices. Both days complement each other and provide a comprehensive overview of the current state of research and policy recommendations in the energy field.

Venue: Atelier 29, Rue Jacques de Lalaing 29, 1000 Brussels

Target audiences:

Energy experts, researchers, energy communities, policy makers, industry

October 24

Understanding the future of energy demand and its policy implications through new societal trends, behavioural aspects and multiple benefits



Organised by MICAT, newTRENDS and NUDGE.

Event moderated by Heike Brugger, Fraunhofer ISI

10.30 – 10.45 - **Registration & welcome coffee**

10.45 - 11.00 - **Welcome and introduction** - Heike Brugger, Fraunhofer ISI

First part - Modelling, nudging and assessing future energy demand patterns

11.00 - 11.15 - **Scientific keynote** - Nives Della Valle, European Commission Joint Research Centre, Directorate of Energy, Transport and Climate - Unit of Energy Efficiency and Renewables

11.15 - 13.00 - **Modelling, nudging and assessing future energy demand patterns** - In-depth presentation of the projects' methods and findings, tools and models to understand and reduce energy demand.

Scientific audience, including Q&A - *For more information about the projects, posters about tools, pilots and more will be hung in the event room.*

Moderation: Filippos Anagnostopoulos, IEECP

- Meta Thurid Lotz, Fraunhofer ISI (representing newTRENDS)
- Philipp Mascherbauer, TU Wien (representing newTRENDS)
- Peter Conradie, Senior Researcher, IMEC (representing NUDGE)
- Anne Kesselring, Fraunhofer ISI (representing NUDGE)
- Frederic Berger, Fraunhofer ISI (representing MICAT)
- Felix Suerkemper, Wuppertal Institute (representing MICAT)

13.00 - 14.30 - **Networking lunch**, including poster sessions

Second part - Multiple benefits, behavioural change and new societal trends - Contributions to energy policy.

14.30 - 14.45 - **Keynote** - Margot Pinault, DG ENER, European Commission

14.45 - 15.45 - **Policy learnings from the projects**

Moderation: Giulia Pizzini, IEECP

- MICAT: Barbara Schlomann, Fraunhofer ISI
- NUDGE: Heike Brugger, Fraunhofer ISI
- newTRENDS: Maksymilian Kochanski, RIC

15.45 - 16.00 - **Keynote** – Emma Mooney, International Energy Agency

16.00 - 17.00 - **Panel - The way forward for energy policy**

Moderation: Giulia Pizzini, IEECP

- Nives Della Valle, European Commission, Joint Research Centre, Directorate of Energy, Transport and Climate - Unit of Energy Efficiency and Renewables
- Emma Mooney, International Energy Agency
- Roland Gladushenko, EURIMA
- Heleen Schockaert, RESCoop.eu
- Indra Van Sande, Gent city
- Alessandro Mostaccio, President of Movimento Consumatori, EESC Member and Board Member of the European Consumer Union (ECU)

17.00-18.30 - **Cocktail reception**

October 25

Energy communities and renewable energy, accelerating Europe's transition towards a climate neutral, inclusive future



Organised by BECoop, NRG2PEERS, UP-STAIRS and W4RES

Master of ceremony: Ioannis Konstas, Q-PLAN

8.45 - 9.00 - **Registration & welcome coffee**

9.00 - 9.15 - **Keynote** - Adela Tesarova, European Commission, DG Energy, Head of Unit for Consumers, Local Initiatives and Just Transition

9.15 - 9.40 - **Skill up! RECs, RES, inclusivity: What are we talking about? Fire pitching of the 4 projects**

- Dimitrios Chapizanis, White Research (representing BECoop)
- Simona D'Oca, JLL (representing NRG2peers)
- Lorena Sánchez Relaño, IERC (representing UP-STAIRS)
- Giulia Zendron, White Research (representing W4RES)

9.40 - 11.00 - **Policy panel: Driving a clean energy transition through tapping the biomass potential, boosting rescopos and empowering women as agents of change: discussing the projects' recommendations**

Moderation: Pádraig Lyons, IERC

Fire pitch by project representatives:

- Diana Süsser, IEECP (for BECoop)
- Anna Klöpfer, UIPI (for NRG2Peers)
- Paweł Gilewski, Polish National Energy Conservation Agency (KAPE) (for UP-STAIRS)
- Elsebeth Terkelsen, European Green Cities (for W4RES)

Panel:

- Jutta Paulus, EU Parliament
- Stavroula Pappa, REScoop.eu
- Adela Tesarova, European Commission, DG Energy

11.00 - 11.15 - **Coffee break**

11.15 - 12.15 - Get inspired - Innovative Approaches, Success stories from the RES and RHC ecosystems

Moderation: Dara Turnbull, Housing Europe

- BECoop - From your morning coffee to heat: Vasilis Filippou (ESEK)
- NRG2peers - Lessons learnt from the pilot sites: Eelke Kingma (Schoonschip)
- UP-STAIRS - One-Stop-Shops to empower community energy: Ivanka Pandelieva-Dimova (Sofia Energy Centre)
- W4RES - Elke Weidenfelder (Steinbeis Europa Zentrum) and Carina Holzapfel (H2MC)

12.15 - 13.30 - Lunch + poster session

13.30 - 14.30 - The legacy of our projects / Looking forward - Once our projects end: what comes next? How can we replicate our projects' findings/work?

Moderation: Dimitrios Chapizanis, White Research

- W4RES: Ioannis Konstas, Q-PLAN - The next steps for W4RES in terms of gender awareness in RES - The way to an inclusive energy transition
- UP-STAIRS: Paco Jofra, Ecoserveis Association
- NRG2peers: Stefan Kop, Spectral & Sylvia Breukers, Dune Works - Tool and follow-up projects.
- BECoop: Kostas Dasopoulos, Q-PLAN - Adjusted Business Model Canva for RESCoops

14.30 - 15.30 - Networking session

- W4RES co-creation workshop "DIY Gender Equal RES sector: Dive into practice with W4RES towards a gender equal RHC and RES sector". Register [here](#) (the number of seats is limited).
- Poster presentations, world café discussions, access to computers to play with our tools, etc.

15.30 - 18.00 - Visit to an energy community

Visit of the new citizen energy community in low-income housing near Gare du Midi (Brussels). https://foyerdusud.be/sunsud_vlogaert/

The number of seats is limited. Register [here](#) (only if you are sure to attend.).