

Europe's Energy Transition Climate change, energy and environmental law four years after the Paris Agreement

Brussels, 24-25 October 2019



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Key topics

- The Clean Energy Package – from concept to implementation
- State aid rules for the energy transition
- Step-by-step solutions for combating climate change
- Preparations for the COP25
- Legal aspects of integrated energy and climate planning
- Enabling systems for a better expansion of renewables

Language

English

Live Stream

The event will be live-streamed.

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Event number

419DP77 (Conference)

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Organisers

ERA and the
Energy Community Secretariat



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Europe's Energy Transition

Thursday, 24 October 2019

08:30 Arrival and registration of participants

09:00 **Opening of the seminar**
Wolfgang Heusel
Dirk Buschle

I. SETTING THE SCENE / ENERGY TRANSITION

Chair: *Ludwig Krämer*

09:15 **Changing the rules of the game – energy transition in the EU and beyond**
Mechthild Wörsdörfer
Dirk Buschle

09:45 **The Clean Energy Package – from concept to implementation**
Paula Pinho

10:15 Discussion

10:30 Coffee break

11:00 **Round table:**
State aid rules for the energy transition
Anne Louise Bengt Jespersen
Leigh Hancher
Annamaria Marchi

12:30 Discussion

12:45 Lunch

II. CLIMATE CHANGE

Chair: *Peter Vajda*

14:00 **Legal aspects of integrated energy and climate planning**
Niels Schuster

14:30 Discussion

14:45 **Round table:**
Climate law and environmental law – what is the difference?
Ludwig Krämer
Niels Schuster
Manuel Kellerbauer

15:45 Discussion

16:00 Coffee break

16:15 **Preparations for the COP25 – finalisation of the Paris Rulebook**
Jacob Werksman

16:45 **Step-by-step solutions for combating climate change – the contractual world of prosumers**
Bernd Rajal

17:15 Discussion

17:30 End of first seminar day

18:00 Networking reception

Objective

Climate change is one of the greatest challenges of our time and since energy production accounts for nearly 80% of EU greenhouse gas emissions, effective action on energy production and its use is essential to tackle climate change. This conference will focus on the climate action targets set by the EU to guarantee a transformation towards an energy-efficient and low-carbon economy.

The event will address the latest topics in energy regulation and provide environmental law practitioners with an analysis of recent legislation and ongoing policy developments at EU level in the field of European climate change and energy law.

Who should attend?

In-house counsel and lawyers in private practice, judges, regulatory authorities and civil servants working on environmental matters

You will learn about...

- latest topics in energy regulation
- the Clean Energy Package
- the legal aspects of integrated energy and climate planning

Venue

42 Rue de la Loi
1040 Brussels

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Friday, 25 October 2019

III. ENERGY ECONOMICS

Chair: *Rozeta Karova*

- 09:00 **Command and control vs market-based instruments – what is best for internalising external costs?**
Peter Vajda
- 09:30 Discussion
- 09:45 **Enabling systems for a better expansion of renewables – a case study**
Michał Motylewski
- 10:15 Discussion
- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 **The reformed Emissions Trading System – making an impact**
Milan Elkerbout
- 11:30 Discussion
- 11:45 **Round table:
Exporting the energy transition – the case of the Energy Community**
Irina Lazzerini
Jesús Laviña
(TbC)
- 12:45 Discussion
- 13:00 End of seminar

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Save the date

Summer Course on European Environmental Law
Trier, 1-5 July 2019

e-Presentations

Scoping, Reporting and Monitoring under the EIA Directive
Peter Vajda and Gijs Hoevenaars

Enforcement and Judicial Control under the EIA Directive
Marc Clément

Recent CJEU Case Law Related to the EIA Directive
Christoph Sobotta

The Place of Environmental Impact Assessment in Decision-Making
Jerzy Jendrośka and G.A.J.M. (Gijs) Hoevenaars

Activities Subject to Environmental Impact Assessment
Magda Bar

Recent Developments in CJEU Case Law on Environmental Matters
Christoph Sobotta

Clean Energy for All Europeans: Renewable Energies and Energy Efficiency
Patrick Thieffry

Emissions from Diesel Cars: the EU Institutions and the Member States
Ludwig Krämer

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