

# Energy and Climate Technical Working Group – Carbon Pricing work stream – 2-day event

**Energy Community Secretariat, Am Hof 4, 1010 Vienna and online**

3-4 April 2023 – Participation via approved registration only

Please register here: <https://www.energy-community.org/events/2023/04/ECTWG.html>

## **Day 1: 3 April 2023**

Registration and welcome lunch to all participants 12:00 – 13:30

The event starts at 13:30

### **1. Welcome and introduction (13:30 – 13:45)**

Energy Community Secretariat	Adam Cwetsch, Head of European Green Deal Unit, Energy Community Secretariat
European Commission	Maja-Alexandra Dittel, Deputy Head of Unit, European Commission DG CLIMA

### **2. Policy context and objectives (13:45 – 14:15)**

Energy Community Decarbonisation Roadmap, 2030 targets, earlier political commitments	Adam Cwetsch, Head of European Green Deal Unit, Energy Community Secretariat
Proposed outcome and deliverables of the carbon pricing work stream, links to the Ministerial Council	
EU policy considerations and link to the EU process	Maja-Alexandra Dittel, Deputy Head of Unit, European Commission DG CLIMA
Q&A	All participants

### 3. *The role of the EU ETS in the EU climate policy (14:15 – 14:45)*

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EU ETS as a key driver for emissions reductions	Maja-Alexandra Dittel, Deputy Head of Unit, European Commission DG CLIMA
Future of the EU ETS	
Q&A	All participants

### 4. *CBAM Regulation as a driver for carbon pricing in Energy Community – how to ensure compliance? (14:45 – 15:10)*

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Conditions for an exemption, timeline, and process	Peter Pozsgai, Governance Expert, Energy Community Secretariat
Q&A	All participants

### *Coffee break (15:10 – 15:30)*

### 5. *Overview of current national plans linked to carbon pricing policies and instruments – part 1 (15:30 – 16:50)*

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The plans for an ETS in Ukraine on the basis of the experience from MRV	Olga Yukhymchuk, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Natural Resources of Ukraine
Montenegro – lessons learnt from the initial period of the ETS and current plans for improvement	Ranko Lazovic, Advisor, Ministry of Ecology, Spatial Planning and Urbanism
Discussion	All participants

### 6. *Conclusions for Day 1*

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## **Day 2: 4 April 2023**

Registration and welcome coffee is open from 9:30

The event starts at 10:00

### **1. Welcome and introduction (10:00 – 10:05)**

Energy Community Secretariat	Adam Cwetsch, Head of European Green Deal Unit, Energy Community Secretariat
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### **2. Overview of current national plans linked to carbon pricing policies and instruments – part 2 (10:05 – 12:20)**

<p>Lessons learnt from the plans for national design and implementation of emissions trading</p> <p>Cross-border cooperation opportunities and potential from a regional perspective</p>	<p>Monique Voogt, Managing Director SQ Consult B.V.</p>
<p>Lessons learnt from the stakeholder discussions on ETS design options in Ukraine</p>	<p>Pavlo Masiukov, Deputy Project Director, Project “Support for the Establishment of an Emissions Trading Scheme (ETS) in Ukraine”, GIZ</p>
<p>Updated gap analysis prepared by the Energy Community Secretariat</p>	<p>Peter Pozsgai, Governance Expert, Energy Community Secretariat</p>
<p><b>Coffee break (20 mins)</b></p>	
<p>Tour de table of Contracting Parties</p>	<p>All participants</p>
<p>Q&amp;A</p>	<p>All participants</p>

### **Lunch break (12:20 – 13:20)**

**3. Current and planned engagement of donors and CSOs (13:20 – 15:00)**

World Bank	Marissa Santikarn, Climate Change Specialist, World Bank
GIZ	Ilka Starrost, Senior Project Manager GIZ-CDCPIII, GIZ
CAN Europe	Viktor Berishaj, Western Balkans Energy and Climate Policy Coordinator, CAN Europe
Tratolow / EU4Green	Violeta Philippitsch, TRATOLOW Team Leader, EU4Green Policy Coordinator
Tour de table reports from Contracting Parties	All participants

**4. Proposed working method and mapping of key areas for discussion (15:00 – 15:50)**

Comparison of Contracting Parties' plans for carbon pricing and potential compliance for a CBAM exemption, building blocks of a cap-and-trade system, list of issues relevant for regional cooperation	Peter Pozsgai, Governance Expert, Energy Community Secretariat
Q&A	All participants

**5. Conclusions for Day 2 (15:50 – 16:00)**