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EU4ENERGY PHASE II

Understanding Energy Markets

Regional Training for the Employees of Parliaments
of Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Moldova, Turkey and
Ukraine

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- The overall objective of the **new EU4Energy Phase II (2021 – 2024)** is to foster the low carbon and clean energy transition in countries of the Eastern Partnership:
 - to strengthen energy legislative and regulatory frameworks as well as evidence-based energy policy design capabilities;
 - to foster the implementation of a conducive environment for sustainable energy investments and prioritisation of infrastructure projects, and, where appropriate, an increase in regional market integration/intra-regional trade.
- The programme is implemented by the Energy Community Secretariat (EnCS), the International Energy Agency (IEA) and the Council of European Energy Regulators (**CEER**).





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Introduction of CEER

Council of European Energy Regulators

Voice of Europe's national energy regulators at EU and international level since 2000

39 Members and Observers

Not-for-profit organisation

HQ in Brussels

~9 permanent staff
+
3 staff on EU4Energy





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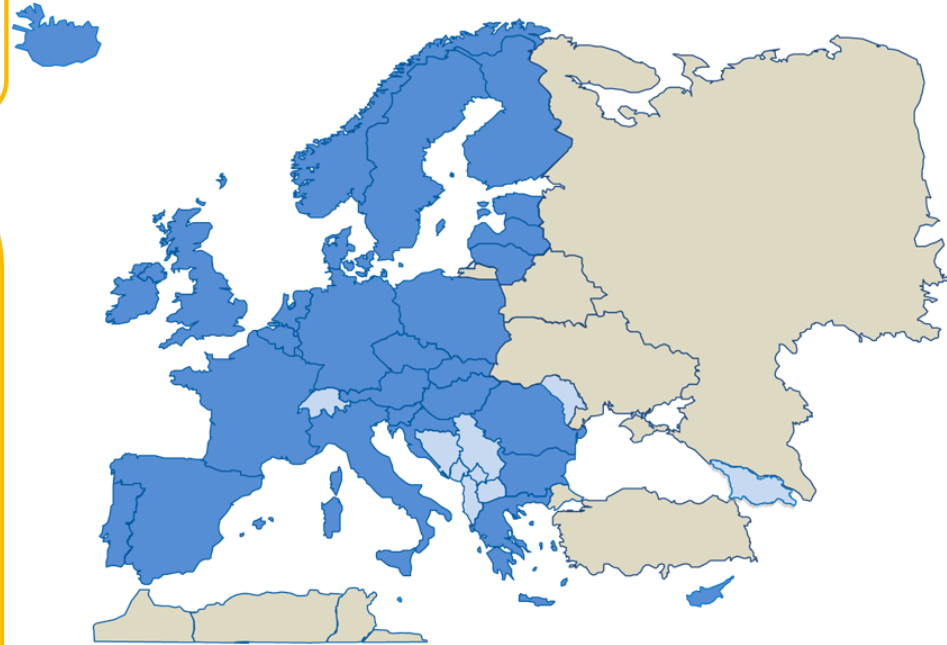
CEER Members and Observers

Members from:

27 EU Member States +
Iceland, Norway & UK (GB)

Observers from:

Albania
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Georgia
Kosovo
Moldova
Montenegro
Republic of North Macedonia
Serbia
Switzerland





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CEER: Fostering energy markets, empowering consumers

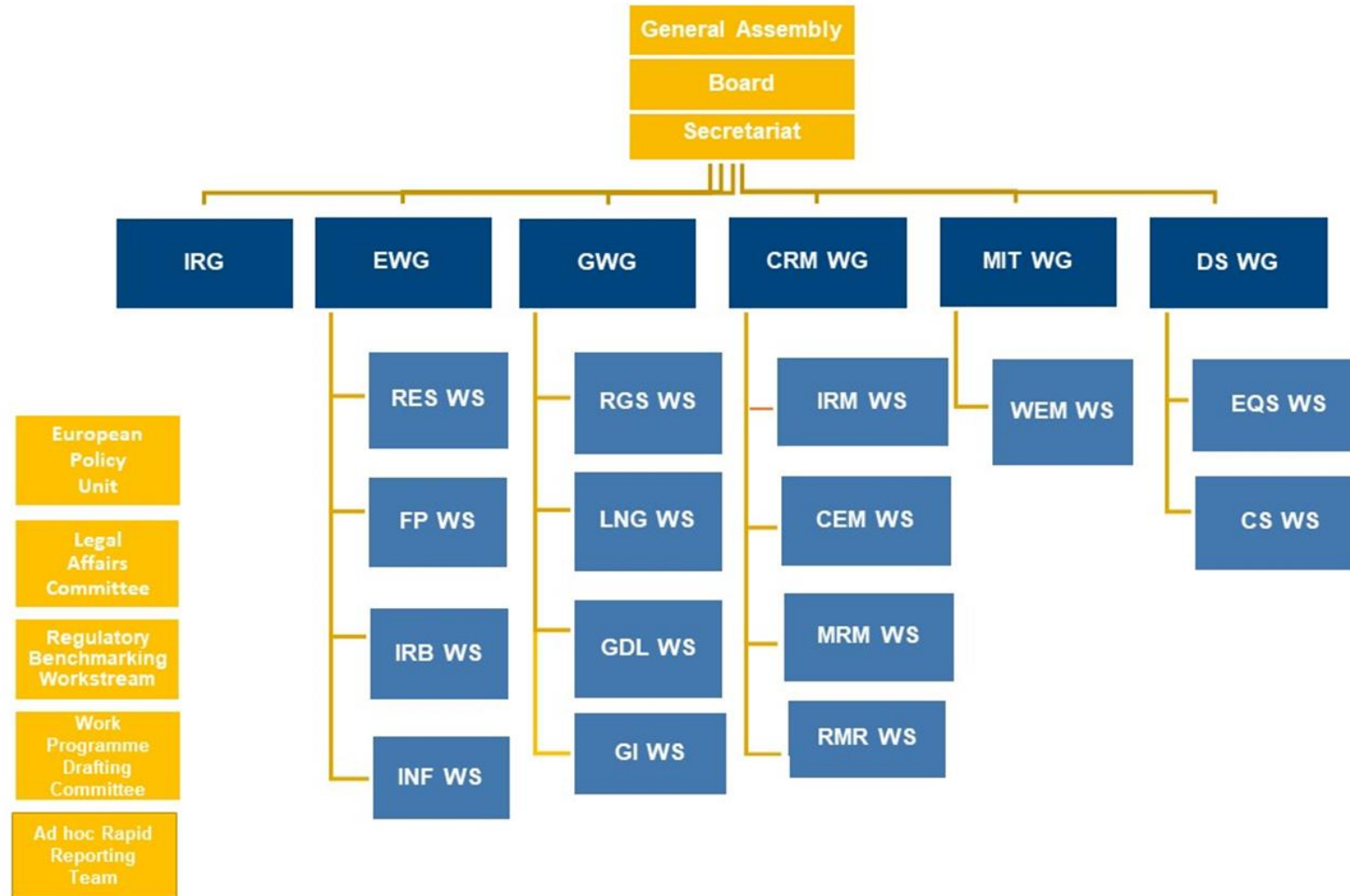
- Independent voice for 39 European energy regulators
- Promotes competitive, secure and sustainable markets for consumers
- Supports NRAs and best practice energy regulation:
 - ▶ Papers and reports
 - ▶ Events and workshops
 - ▶ Advocacy
 - ▶ Training Academy
 - ▶ Capacity-building
 - ▶ Working with ACER





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CEER's structure

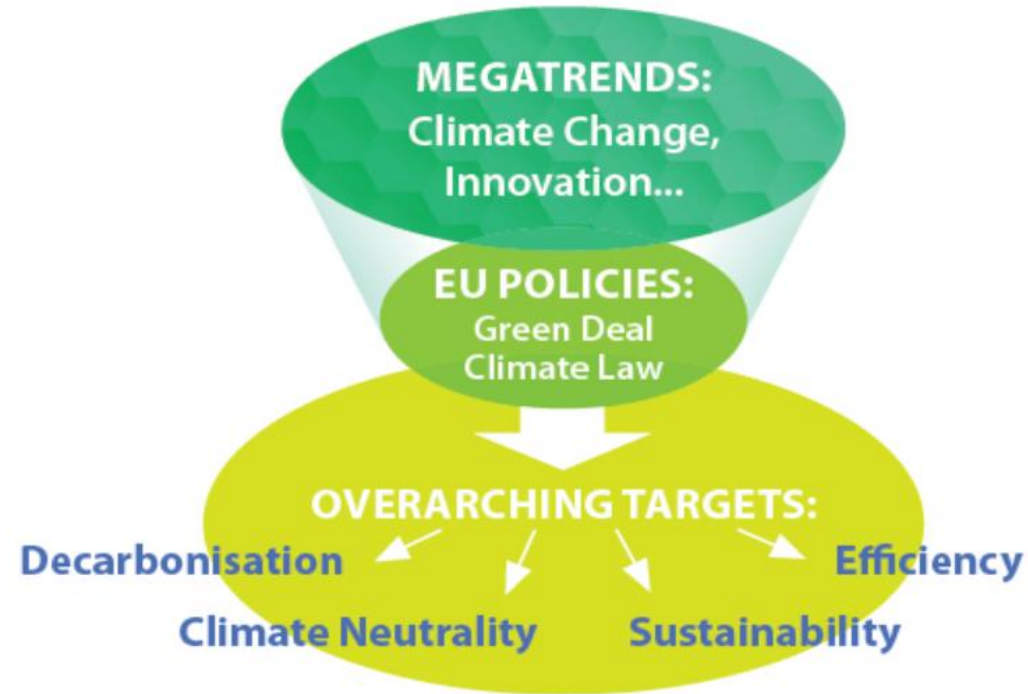




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Trends and targets – CEER Strategy:

Trends and targets underpinning the CEER 2022-2025 Strategy





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CEER's regulatory perspective: 3 regulatory dimensions

To achieve the above-mentioned targets, the CEER Strategy builds on the following three regulatory dimensions for the Energy Transition towards a carbon-neutral society and economy:





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CEER Strategy: Six core areas





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EU4Energy: CEER's objective & tasks

Achieve the low carbon and
clean energy transition

Result 2

Further development of strategic thinking, planning and adoption of EU Best Practices and support on the CEPA implementation (Armenia and Azerbaijan)

Result 7

Ensured regional coordination and oversight

Result 8

Action visibility and strategic communication ensured





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EU4Energy: CEER's overall objectives

- Importance of well-functioning competitive energy markets
- Need for cooperation among policy-makers, regulators, and legislative bodies to foster the development of the energy sector.
- CEER's involvement in the review of the EU internal energy market in response to the energy crises that occurred between 2022 and 2023.





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EU4Energy: CEER's activities and publications



Ozzy campaign
with
EUNeighbours
east



Regional
trainings



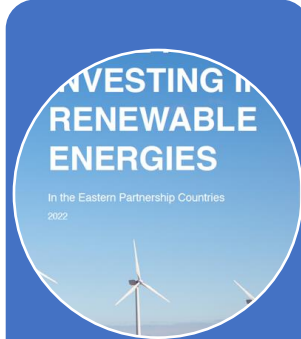
Blog: Women
in Energy



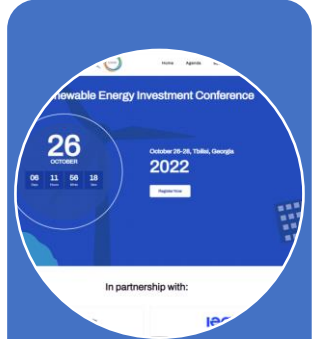
Autumn
Digital
EU4Energy
Week for EaP
universities



Website &
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posts



Publications



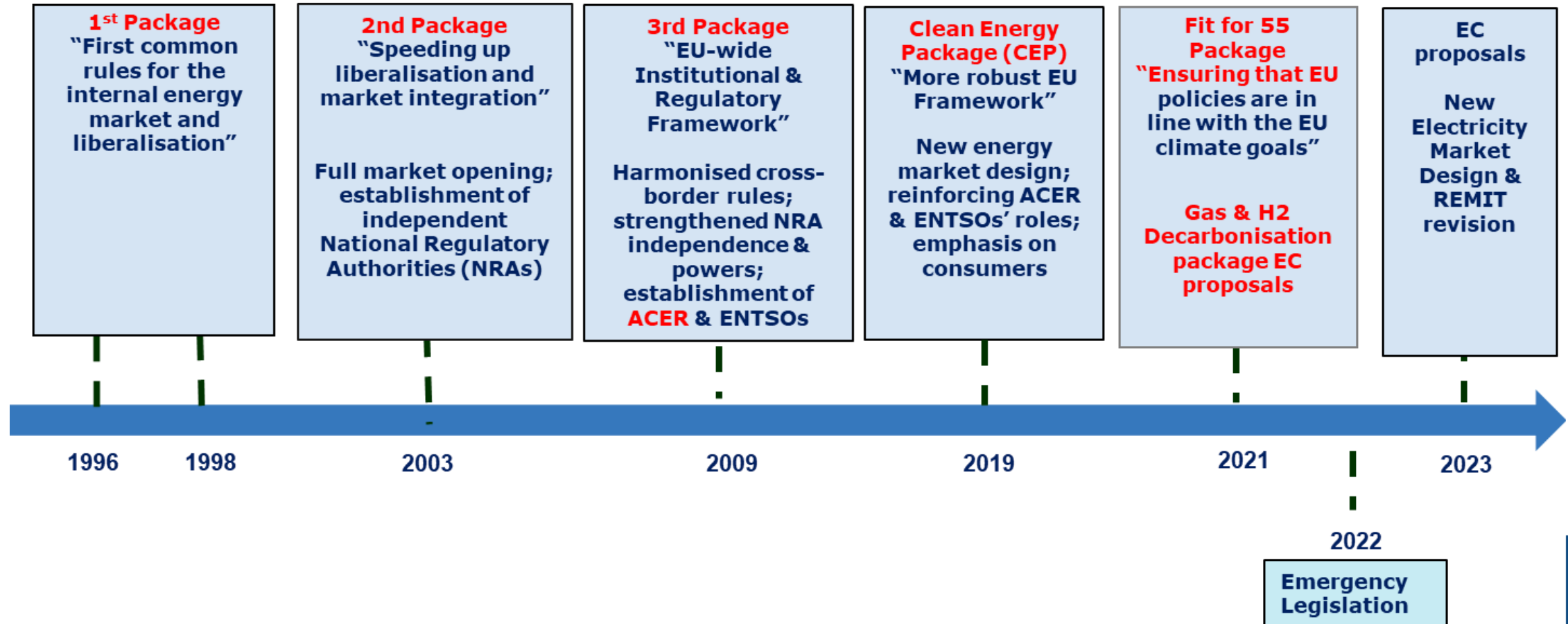
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The history of the EU energy legislation





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Introduction of ACER



- The Agency for Cooperation of Energy Regulators (ACER) was established in 2011 by the 3rd Package as an independent body to foster the integration and completion of the European Internal Energy Market for electricity and natural gas
- ACER is one of the EU decentralised Agencies. Distinct from the EU Institutions, Agencies are set up as separate legal entities to perform specific technical and scientific tasks that help institutions and Member States to implement policies and take decisions. ACER's seat is in Ljubljana.
- By fostering cooperation among NRAs ACER ensures that the integration of national energy markets meets the broader EU's energy policy objectives and regulatory frameworks.





Thank you for your attention.

