

Dinner debate on grid planning

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Electricity and gas networks play a major role in enabling and sustaining the transformation of the energy system. The planning of the grid infrastructure needs to reflect the decarbonisation requirements to ensure that the Paris Agreement will be implemented. ENTSO-E and ENTSG, being mandated to the delivery of the Ten-Year Network Development Plans (TYNDP) have developed a collaborative process together with stakeholders, specifically with the Renewables Grid Initiative (RGI) and climate NGOs. The project aims at developing a Paris Agreement-compliant scenario and thus provides input to the European Ten-Year Network Development Plans (TYNDP).

The event will be jointly hosted by ENTSO-E, ENTSG and RGI with contributions from the Climate Action Network (CAN) Europe, the European Environmental Bureau (EEB) and Ren21. ENTSO-E, ENTSG and RGI will present their collaborative approach and discuss different views and storylines that can deliver an energy infrastructure that is fit for the future.

Programme

19.00	Welcome by Dr. Karsten Sach, Federal Ministry for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety Germany
19.10	Introduction by Antonella Battaglini, RGI
19.20	Panel Discussion - moderation by Susanne Nies, ENTSO-E Input presentations from senior representatives from <ul style="list-style-type: none">• ENTSO-E, Robert Schroeder and ENTSG, Anne Boorsma - presentation of the ENTSGs scenario building process for TYNDPs• RGI (Antonella Battaglini)• CAN Europe (Wendel Trio)• EEB (Roland Joebstl)• REN21 (Rana Abid)
19.55	Q&A
20.10	Informal discussions over dinner