

Leading practices in RES integration - a global perspective

9 – 10 April 2019, Red Eléctrica, Av. del Paral·lel, 55, 08004 Barcelona

The conference wants to showcase best practices of RES integration from different regions of the world. The three main topics for the conference are regulation, technical integration and societal engagement. We will be hearing best practices from the Mediterranean region as well as the rest of Europe and beyond. On the second day the conference will focus on environmental protection and RES integration in the marine environment.

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9 April – Day 1 – Best practices in RES integration	
13:00 – 14:00	Walking Lunch
14:00 – 14:10	Welcome Ramón Granadino Director for Engineering and Environment, Red Eléctrica Antonella Battaglini CEO Renewables Grid Initiative
14:10 – 14:30	Opening address Hugo Lucas Porta Head of Regulatory Frameworks and Corporate Strategy for the Energy Transition Department, IDEA Video Keynote by Florent Marcellesi MEP The Greens/EFA
14:30 – 15:45	Spotlight: Innovation in RES integration in the Mediterranean region - lessons learned Francisco Ferreira President of ZERO Miguel de la Torre Coordinator of Operational Support Area, Red Eléctrica Luigi Michi Head of Strategy, Development and System Operation at Terna Emmanuel Bué European & International Affairs and Business Development Directorate at Rte, Med-TSO Angelo Ferrante Secretary General of Med-TSO, Terna Moncef Harrabi CEO, STEG Moderated by Antonella Battaglini CEO, Renewables Grid Initiative <i>Followed by Q&A</i>
15:45 – 16:00	Coffee Break

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<p>16:00 – 17:15</p>	<p>Spotlight: Innovation in RES integration - lessons learned from across Europe and beyond</p> <p>Arina Anisie Associate Programme Officer Renewable Energy Innovation, IRENA</p> <p>Mark Rothleder Vice President Market Quality and Renewable Integration at California ISO</p> <p>Ian Connaughton, Programme Manager DS3, Eirgrid</p> <p>Norela Constantinescu, Senior Advisor Research and Innovation at ENTSO-E</p> <p>Moderated by Eva Schmid Team Leader German and European Climate Policy, Germanwatch</p> <p><i>Followed by Q&A</i></p>
<p>17:15 – 17:45</p>	<p>Pitch Collection I: next steps in RES integration – Societal Engagement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sara Pizzinato Senior Renewable Energy Advisor at Greenpeace Spain • Eva Schmid Team Leader German and European Climate Policy Germanwatch <p>Moderated by Antina Sander Deputy CEO, Renewables Grid Initiative</p> <p><i>Pitches by audience encouraged</i></p>
<p>17:45 – 18:00</p>	<p>Recap of Day 1</p> <p>Ramón Granadino Red Eléctrica and Antonella Battaglini RGI</p>
<p>10 April - Day 2 – Continued Best Practices & Spotlight Marine Grid Development</p>	
<p>09:00 – 10:15</p>	<p>Pitch Collection II: next steps in RES integration – Regulation & Technological Innovation</p> <p>Technological innovation and problem solving</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ilaria Vigo Environmental Economist, Barcelona Supercomputing Center • Giacomo Donnini Head of Grid Planning and Interconnection at Terna <p>Regulation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Michael Sorger Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency, E-Control <p>Moderated by Antina Sander Deputy CEO, Renewables Grid Initiative</p> <p><i>Pitches by audience encouraged</i></p>
<p>10:30 – 11:05</p>	<p>Protecting nature while developing offshore infrastructure</p> <p>Alice Collier Marine Policy and Planning Manager, The Crown Estate</p> <p>Diego Fernández Fernández Environmental Officer, Red Eléctrica</p> <p>Moderated by Jason Besga Basterra Head of Institutional Relations and Public & EU Affairs, Red Eléctrica</p> <p><i>Followed by Q&A</i></p>
<p>11:05 – 11:30</p>	<p>Coffee Break</p>

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<p>11:30 – 11:45</p>	<p>Input: Marine Grid Declaration Michael Hickin Manager Marine Environment, RGI</p>
<p>11:45 – 13:15</p>	<p>Team work – Implementing the Marine Grid Declaration Parallel work sessions on how to implement specific challenges from the Marine Grid Declaration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Permitting • Environmental conservation • Stakeholders engagement <p>Moderated by Johanna Meier Renewables Grid Initiative</p>
<p>13:15 – 13:30</p>	<p>Conclusions and closing remarks Jasón Besga Basterra Red Eléctrica and Antonella Battaglini RGI</p>
<p>13:30 – 14:30</p>	<p>End of Day 2: Good-bye Lunch</p>