

Lunch Workshop – Designing Policy to meet Europe’s Future Bioenergy Needs – How can the Biomass Futures project inform future European bioenergy policy?

Date – 20 March, 12.30 – 14.30 (including a light lunch) with subsequent time for further discussions

Location – **European Parliament**, Building: Altiero Spinelli, Room: A5E-1, (60, rue Wiertz, 1047 Bruxelles)

Purpose of the Workshop

The IEE Project Biomass Futures brings together eminent experts on bioenergy from across Europe, key policy evidence and models to provide a clear picture of EU bioenergy demand and supply. The work is intended to support understanding as to how Europe can meet its multiple bioenergy needs into the future and the consequences of doing so.

This workshop is intended to offer policy makers the opportunity to examine outputs from the project and importantly help tailor results prior to finalisation.

A range of materials that are already finalised will be available for attendees to take away and will include *inter alia*:

- Policy maps for the biofuel, biogas and solid biomass sectors intended to help assist policy makers in navigating the policy agenda;
- A summary of bioenergy sustainability indicators proposed to extend the existing sustainability scheme for biofuels to all forms of bioenergy;
- A summary of the European Atlas of biomass supply for 2020 and 2030.

Further information about Biomass Futures and this workshop can be found at www.biomassfutures.eu.

Detailed Agenda

Chair – *Claude Turmes, MEP (the Greens/EFA Group)*

Time	Details
12:30 – 12:40	Registration
12:45 – 12:50	Welcome by the Chair
12.50 – 13.05	Bioenergy policy maps and gaps – Bettina Kretschmer, IEEP
13.05 – 13.20	Atlas of biomass supply for 2020 & 2030 – Berien Elbersen, Alterra / Hannes

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	Boettcher, IIASA
13:20 – 13.35	Bioenergy markets: How much of the demand for heat, electricity/ CHP can be met by sustainable biomass supply? Results from alternative bioenergy demand scenarios for 2020 and beyond – Ayla Uslu / Joost van Stralen, ECN
13.35 – 13.50	Supplying sustainable bioenergy: The Biomass Futures sustainability indicators – Uwe Fritsche, Oeko-Institute
13.50 – 14.05	How can Biomass Futures results assist the bioenergy policy agenda? – Calliope Panoutsou, Imperial College London
14.05 – 14.15	Conclusions
14.15 – 14.45	<i>Discussion time – An opportunity to engage with the presenters</i>

Registration

The number of participants is limited (first come, first served basis). In order to register for the event, please contact Bettina Kretschmer (IEEP): bkretschmer@ieep.eu, +44-20 7799 2244 . ***In order to be granted access to the EP, please mention in your registration your name (as on ID card), ID card number, your date of birth and your place of residence. Please remember to bring your ID card with you to the workshop.***

Biomass Futures consortium

The Biomass Futures project is led by Imperial College and involves the following project partners:

