

- 4Biomass Final Conference Agenda -

21 and 22 March 2012 in Berlin

Wednesday 21 March	
Session I: The Second Transnational Forum – Bioenergy strategies in Central Europe	
Moderation: Claudia Lutsyuk - Agency for Renewable Resources	
9:00	Welcome and project presentation Birger Kerckow - Agency for Renewable Resources
	Bioenergy Policy of the European Union Edita Vagonyte – AEBIOM
	Bioenergy and Biomass Production in the Context of the Accelerated Turnaround in Energy Policy of the Federal Government Hubertus von der Goltz - Federal Ministry of Food, Agriculture and Consumer Protection
	Bioenergy policy framework in the Czech Republic Marek Svetlik - Ministry of Agriculture (tbc)
10:30	Coffee Break
11:00	Role of bioenergy in the Hungarian REAP Tamás Tóth - Hungarian Energy Office
	National targets for bioenergy in Poland and its consequences for an integrated policy framework Magdalena Rogulska - Institute for Fuels and Renewable Energy
	Current support schemes for biofuels in Italy and future outlook Vito Pignatelli - Italian Biomass Association
	Bioenergy policy in Slovenia Martina Šumenjak-Sabol - Slovenian Biomass Association
12:30	Lunch
Session II: Transnational Action Plan (TAP) for Central Europe - towards a sustainable bioenergy development	
Moderation: Aino Martikainen - Agency for Renewable Resources	
14:00	Presentation of results of the questionnaire on political framework in Central Europe Johannes Schmidl - Austrian Energy Agency
	Political cooperation considering the Transnational Action Plan Sybille Tempel – Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin
	Transnational Advisory Group: Signing of Joint Declaration
	Panel discussion – Does Central Europe need an integrated and coordinated bioenergy policy to reach the European Union 20-20-20 targets? Moderator: Lutz Mez - Environmental Policy Research Centre, Freie Universität Berlin Participants: Speakers of the morning
16:45	Summary and Closing
17:00	Coffee Break and Networking

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Thursday 22 March	
Session III: Investors' Forum – Sustainable Bioenergy Investments in Central Europe	
Moderation: Dorottya Hujber - Energy Centre Hungary	
9:00	Welcome and Introduction Claudia Lutsyuk - Agency for Renewable Resources
	Promoting sustainable bioenergy investments – instruments and lessons learned from Germany Katharina Umpfenbach - Ecologic Institute on behalf of the German Federal Ministry of the Environment, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety
	Bioenergy Cooperatives for Central Europe – opportunities for a sustainable development Dr. Andreas Wieg – DGRV
	Possibilities and perspectives for investments in Central Europe Jürgen Bohn - juwi Bio GmbH
10:30	Coffee break
Session IV: Lessons Learned – Results of three year project's activities to facilitate sustainable bioenergy projects in Central Europe	
Moderation: Petr Tluka - CZ Biom	
11:00	Example for bioenergy projects in Hungary István Kaszab - Hungarian Bioethanol Association, Szuro Trade Ltd.
	Examples of (un)sustainable bioenergy projects in Poland Adam Gula – Krakow University for Technology
	Organisation of local farmers cooperatives for the construction and operation of biomass district heating plants: the example of BeNÖ in Lower Austria Josef Petschko - AGRAR PLUS GmbH
12:30	Lunch
14:00	Sustainable bioenergy projects in Italy Vito Pignatelli - Italian Agency for New Technologies
	Financing innovative bioenergy projects through Structural and Cohesion Funds in Central Europe - 3 project examples in Estonia, Czech Republic and Romania Martha Bißmann - WIP - Renewable Energies
	Shared ownership as a success factor for local and regional renewable energy projects Melanie Degel - Institute for Future Studies and Technology Assessment
15:30	Lessons learned – summary and discussion of project results Adam Gula and Johannes Schmidl
17:00	Summary and Closing

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