

# EU4Energy Policy Forum: Bioenergy for Heat

24 April 2018, Vienna, Austria

VENUE: Energy Community Secretariat headquarters, Room 602, Am Hof 4

24 April 2017		EU4Energy Bioenergy for Heat Policy Forum	
9h15 - 9h30	Registration		
09h30-9h45	<b>Welcome</b>	Natalja Miolato, Programme Manager – Energy and Climate Change, DG NEAR, European Commission	
9h45-11h00	<b>SESSION 1: Overview</b>		<b>Moderated by Ute Collier</b>
9h45 - 11h00	<u>Presentations and Q&amp;A</u>	Key considerations for bioenergy heat and power markets ( <b>Pharoah Le Feuvre, IEA</b> ) Gathering evidence on use of solid biofuels ( <b>Claire Morel, Markus Fager-Pintilă, IEAforEU4Energy Data</b> ) Overview of UNECE activities on wood energy ( <b>Florian Steierer, UNECE</b> )	
11h00 - 11h15	Coffee break		
11h15-12h30	<b>SESSION 2: EU4Energy country perspectives</b>		<b>Moderated by Ute Collier</b>
11h15-12h00	<u>Presentations and Q&amp;A</u> EU4Energy Country Case Studies	Rural Bioenergy in Georgia ( <b>Murman Margvelashvili, EU4Energy Country Expert</b> ) Bioenergy in district heating ( <b>Georgiy Geletukha, Bioenergy Association of Ukraine</b> ) Renewable Energy Policy Implementation in Moldova: Role and Impact of Biomass Resources ( <b>Denis Tumuruc, Ministry of Economy and Infrastructure of Moldova</b> )	
12h00-12h30	<u>Discussion</u>	Barriers and drivers to bioenergy for heat in EU4Energy countries	
12h30 - 13h45	Lunch		
13h45-15h45	<b>SESSION 3: International best practice (1)</b>		<b>Moderated by Ute Collier &amp; Pharoah Le Feuvre</b>
13h45 - 15h00	<u>Presentations and Q&amp;A</u> International Case Studies	Pellet trade ( <b>Christian Rakos, European Pellet Council</b> ) Biomass for heat in Austria ( <b>Christoph Pfemeter, Austrian Biomass Association</b> ) Developing a rural biomass economy – Bioenergy villages ( <b>Martin Höher, Austrian Energy Agency</b> ) Biogas from agricultural residues and waste ( <b>Stefanie Königsberger, European Biogas Association</b> )	
15h00-15h30	<u>Discussion</u>	How to overcome barriers	
15h30 - 15h45	Coffee break		
15h45-17h00	<b>SESSION 4: International best practice (2)</b>		<b>Moderated by Ute Collier &amp; Pharoah Le Feuvre</b>
15h45 - 17h00	<u>Presentations and discussion on how to overcome barriers</u> International Case Studies	EU policy on renewable heating & cooling ( <b>Giulio Volpi, European Commission</b> ) Air pollution & modern boilers ( <b>Christoph Schmidl, Bioenergy 2020+</b> ) Sustainability ( <b>Søren Larsen, Dansk Energi</b> )	
17h00 -17h15	<b>Conclusions</b>		