

BACK TOGETHER GIE Annual Conference 2021 12 & 13 OCTOBER @LUCERNE

DAY ONE – Tuesday 12 October 2021

08:30-09:30 Back together: Let's have a coffee!

Welcome coffee and registration in the Lucerne Culture and Congress Centre (KKL)

09:30-10:05 From Switzerland to Brussels: Building a decarbonised world together

Moderator



Boyana Achovski
Secretary General
GIE



Torben Brabo
President, **GIE**
Senior Vice President, **Energinet Group**



René Bautz
CEO
Gaznat



André Dosé
President
Swissgas



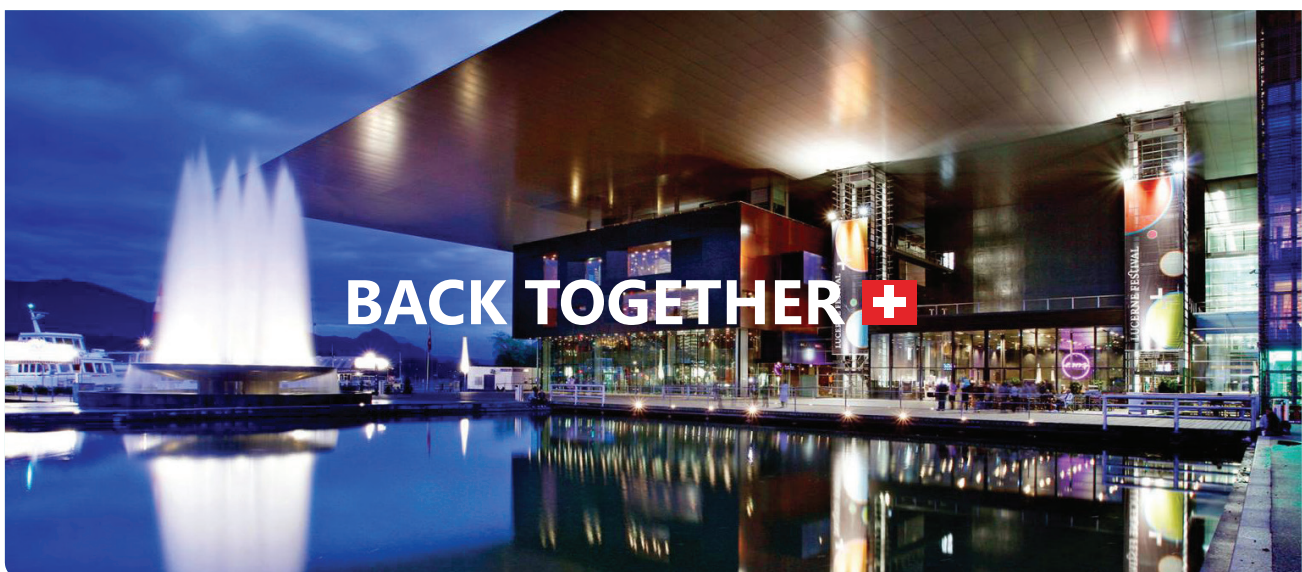
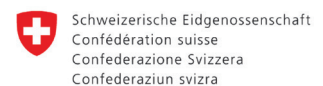
Kadri Simson
EU Commissioner for Energy
European Commission



Blaž Košorok
State Secretary for Energy,
Slovenian Presidency of the **Council of the EU**



Benoît Revaz
State Secretary, Director of the
Federal Office of Energy of Switzerland



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10:05-11:05

Fit for 55 Package: Setting the way towards 2030

Keynote Speech: A World Energy Outlook insight towards 2030



Keisuke Sadamori
Director for Energy Markets and Security
International Energy Agency



Panel discussion

Moderator



Thierry Trouvé
CEO
GRTgaz



Clara de la Torre
Deputy Director General, DG for Climate Action
European Commission



Maria Spyraiki
MEP
European Parliament



Giles Dickson
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WindEurope



Charles-Henri Robert
Executive Director Climate Change and Energy
and Industrial Policy, **CEFC**



Harald Stindl
Managing Director, **Gas Connect Austria**
President, **GTE**



Ilaria Conti
Head of Gas
Florence School of Regulation (FSR)



11:05-11:50

Coffee break (45 min)

11:50-13:15

Hydrogen and Decarbonised Gas Package

Regulatory framework for hydrogen: what's coming next



Ralph Bahke
Managing Director, **ONTRAS**
New Gases Area Sponsor, **GIE**



Hydrogen developments in The Netherlands



Helmie Botter
Manager Business Development Hydrogen
Gasunie



Hydrogen Talk

Moderator



Dr Axel Wietfeld
CEO, **Uniper Hydrogen GmbH**
President, **GSE**



Tudor Constantinescu
Principal Advisor at DG ENER
European Commission



Dennis Hesseling
Head of Department Infrastructure, Gas & Retail
ACER



Jorgo Chatzarmarkakis
CEO
Hydrogen Europe



Suzana Carp
The voice of **NGOs & civil society**



Jan Ingwersen
General Director
ENTSOG



13:15-14:30 Lunch break (1h15 min)

14:30-14:40 The European Clean H2 Alliance - Kicking off in the H2 economy



Bart Jan Hoevers
President
ENTSOG



14:40-15:45 Decarbonising the European regions with gas infrastructure

Moderator



Piotr Kuś
Deputy Director for Gas Market Development, **GAZ-SYSTEM**
CH4 Area Sponsor, **GIE**



Greg Molnár
Gas Analyst
International Energy Agency



Tsvetelina Penkova
MEP, S&D Bulgaria
European Parliament



Olga Bielkova
Director on Government and International Affairs
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Milan Sedláček
Head of EU affairs & strategy
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László Fritsch
CEO
Hungarian Gas Trade



Alex Barnes
Director
Alex Barnes & Associates LTD & Global Gas Centre

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Lenka Kovačovská
General Director
Czech Gas Association



15:45-16:15 Coffee break (30 min)

16:15-17:15 Collaboration for the methane emissions abatement

Moderator



Francisco de la Flor
Director, **Enagás**
Board Member, **GIE** and **MARCOGAZ**
System Operation & Development Area sponsor, **GIE**



Brendan Devlin
Adviser for Strategy & Foresight at DG ENER
European Commission



Karolina Čegir
Senior Gas expert
Energy Community



Andris Piebalgs
Professor, **Florence School of Regulation (FSR)**
Adviser to the **President of Latvia**



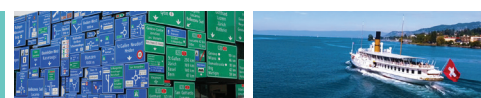
Jasmine Urisk
Executive Director
Canadian Energy Partnership for Environmental Innovation



Scott Foster
Director Sustainable Energy Division
UNECE



19:15-00:30 Boat transfer followed by Gala Dinner organised at the Swiss Museum of Transport in Lucerne. After party on boat cruise.



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DAY TWO – Wednesday 13 October 2021

09:30-10:00 Doors opening and wake up coffee

10:00-10:10 Opening Remarks



Roxana Caliminte
Deputy Secretary General
GIE



Cristian Buşoi
MEP, ITRE Committee Chair
European Parliament



10:10-11:10 Consumers at the core of the energy transition

Moderator



Jean-Marc Leroy
President of the **French Gas Association**
Honorary President, **GIE**



Camille Bonenfant-Jeanneney
CEO, **Storengy**
Disruptive Energy Area Sponsor, **GIE**



Dimitri Vergne
Team leader for sustainability
European Consumer Organisation (BEUC)



Benoît Esnault
Head of Interconnections & European Affairs Department, **CRE**
Vice-Chair of Gas WG, **CEER**



Federica Sabbati
Secretary General
European Heating Industry (EHI)



James Watson
Secretary General
Eurogas



11:10-11:40 Coffee break (30 min)

11:40-12:20 Hydrogen: the race for colors

Moderator



Anne-Sophie Corbeau
Global Research Scholar
Centre on Global Energy Policy



Dr Niko Bosnjak
Representative / Vision
European Hydrogen Backbone



Peter Claes
President
IFIEC Europe



Wim Groenendijk
Managing Director
Gate Terminal



Vittorio Musazzi
Representative
H2GAR



12:20-13:20

Decarbonising transport

Moderator



Arno Bux
Chief Commercial Officer, **Fluxys**
President, **GLE**



Filip Alexandru Negreanu Arboreanu
Deputy Head of Cabinet of EU Commissioner Adina Vălean
European Commission



Claudio Rodriguez
Gas Assets General Manager
Enagás



Steve Esau
General Manager
SEA-LNG



Mads Peter Zacho
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Maersk Mc-Kinney Møller Center for Zero Carbon Shipping

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Philip Scarth
General Manager Arbon R&D Center & Head of Open Innovation
FPT Industrial



13:20-13:30

Towards 2022 & beyond



Ákos Kriston
CEO
Hungarian Gas Storage



György Berze
CEO
HEXUM Földgáz Zrt.



Boyana Achovski
Secretary General
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Lunch time

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