

# MARKETS DRIVING GROWTH IN RENEWABLES

**UPDATED  
PROGRAMME**

**12 AND 13 MARCH 2019**

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## PROGRAMME

PRE-CONFERENCE  
MONDAY 11 MARCH

14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 1

### Introducing energy attribute certificates and global reporting standards

The session will give you everything you need to understand how to prove or examine the origins of electricity that you are producing, selling, or consuming. You will learn about cancellation/redemption procedures, the role of local issuers, the 'same market principle', vintage, residual mix and other related issues.

14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 2

### Legal workshop

An introduction to the relevant tracking systems, national legal frameworks and purchase and trade agreements will be provided to enable participants with limited knowledge of this sector to participate more fully in the main conference.

14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 3

### Introduction to the I-REC Standard

The I-REC Standard provides a robust and transparent system to ensure reliable and accurate attribute tracking. The I-REC standard sets out best practices designed to avoid double counting, double certificate issuance and double attribute claiming through Guarantees of Origin and Renewable Energy Certificates. This session will give you an overview of the rapidly developing renewable electricity and electricity attribute markets, and will teach you how the standard works to support both.

20:00 - 22:00 / GET TOGETHER PARTY

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TUESDAY 12 MARCH DAY 1

09:30 - 11:00 / OPENING SESSION

### Looking ahead

This session is all about looking forward and seeing how the energy transition is moving ahead. Increasingly, this transition is dominated by consumers taking action. It is our role to acknowledge this consumer commitment, and to credit its role in the wider energy transition.

11:30 - 12:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 2A

### Global market overview

Markets for electricity certificates have proven their value over the last 15 years. There has been rapid growth in the development and standardization of Energy Attribute Certificates (EACs). In this session we will review the most advanced current standards in this area and offer insights into how we expect these markets to further develop in the future.

11:30 - 12:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 2B

### Europe 2030 and the role of consumers

The goal of strengthening consumer choice remains an important part of the EU's vision for the future of European electricity markets. The implementation of the Renewable Energy Directive (REDII) in 2030 will have considerable impact on the use of Guarantees of Origin in the EU and this will be discussed in detail during this session.

14:00 - 15:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 3A

### European national market developments

Despite wide stakeholder support for the use of GOs in the European Energy Certificate System (EACS) and their acceptance by national governments, it is important that all market actors continue to improve and develop this standard. In this session we will review unique, impactful developments in selected national markets that may serve as examples for other countries.

14:00 - 15:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 3B

### An electric fence – the electricity market post Brexit

Just 17 days after this conference the UK is due to leave the European Union and as things stand, no-one can predict what situation we may find ourselves in on the 30th of March 2019. A panel of key experts will review the most relevant potential aspects of Brexit and discuss with those attending how to minimize their impact within their organization.

15:30 - 16:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 4A

### Latin American market developments

All over Latin America national governments are developing attribute tracking systems. In this session expert stakeholders, accompanied by a Spanish translator, will guide you through the issues and give you an inside perspective on the developments taking place in the Spanish speaking world.

15:30 - 16:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 4B

### Subsidy free developments

In this session we will take a look at countries where renewables provide only a small proportion of all electricity used and where power producers have to rely on market mechanisms to finance the development of renewable electricity due to the absence of state sponsored subsidies.

16:45 - 17:15 / KEYNOTE SESSION 5

### Developments in cap-and-trade and the effect on consumer driven electricity markets

The recent increase in legislation and standards around the world is promoting greater consumer choice in the electricity market, while at the same time we see a range of initiatives promoting cap and trade. During this session you will receive answers to questions about the growing interaction of these two systems around the world.

17:15 - 18:30 / NETWORKING DRINKS

19:30 - 22:30 / REC DINNER PARTY

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WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH DAY 2

09:00 - 10:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 6A

### Market developments, volume and prices

The session will cover REC markets in Europe and around the world in order to sketch a complete picture of both developed and developing attribute tracking markets.

09:00 - 10:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 6B

### The market for PPA's not the mechanism

In this session we will not discuss what a PPA is, but rather where it is relevant. We will also review markets where PPAs are potentially an important part of procurement strategies.

10:30 - 11:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 7A

### Risk management in a tumultuous market

Last year we saw extreme price increases in the GO market. In this session we look at ways of managing the risk of changing GO markets and see what innovations may be brought into the market in 2019.

10:30 - 11:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 7B

### Leadership in attribute procurement

During this session we will hear from market players and observers who are leading the way in the procurement of renewable electricity through the use of energy attribute certificates and gain the benefit of their valuable knowledge and experience.

12:00 - 13:00 / KEYNOTE SESSION 8

### The impact of increased consumer choice on the electricity market

In this keynote session we will get a birds-eye view of the electricity market as a whole and the effect that consumers are having on its design. It will focus on moving beyond just renewables procurement and address the electricity market as whole.

13:00 - 14:30 / NETWORKING LUNCH

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## SPEAKERS

PRE-CONFERENCE  
MONDAY 11 MARCH

DAY 1 TUESDAY 12 MARCH

DAY 2 WEDNESDAY 13 MARCH

<b>14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 1</b>	
<b>Introducing energy attribute certificates and global reporting standards</b> <b>Steven Vanholme</b> Programme Manager, EKOenergy <b>Alexander Quarles van Ufford</b> Director Renewables & Cleantech, Schneider Electric <b>Fernando Lopes</b> Managing Director, Instituto Totum <b>Chiara Gilbert</b> Renewable Energy Analyst, CDP <a href="#">and more to follow</a>	
<b>14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 2</b>	
<b>Legal workshop</b> <b>Andreas Gunst</b> Partner, DLA Piper <b>EFET</b> speaker tba	
<b>14:00 - 16:30 / PRE-CONFERENCE SESSION 3</b>	
<b>Introduction to the I-REC Standard</b> <b>Chris Pooley</b> Code Manager, I-REC Standard <b>Maria de la Cruz</b> Director Latin America, I-REC Standard <i>Please register for the pre-conference sessions separately</i>	
<b>20:00 - 22:00 / GET TOGETHER PARTY</b>	
<b>09:30 - 11:00 / OPENING SESSION</b>	
<b>Looking ahead</b> <b>Jared Braslawsky</b> Secretary General, RECS International <b>Tom Lindberg</b> Managing Director, ECOHZ <b>Andrew Morton</b> Head of Partnership, UN Electric <b>Elizabeth Press</b> Director, Planning and Programme Support, IRENA <b>Isabel McAllister</b> Responsible Business Director, Mace Group	
<b>11:30 - 12:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 2A</b>	<b>11:30 - 12:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 2B</b>
<b>Global market overview</b> <b>Ivar Clausen</b> Manager Certificate Unit, Statnett <b>Ed Everson</b> Director Global Operations, I-REC Standard <a href="#">and more to follow</a>	<b>Europe 2030 and the role of consumers</b> <b>Adam White</b> Director, RECS International <b>Bruce Douglas</b> Coordinator, RE-Source Platform <b>Henrik Dam</b> Policy Officer, European Commission, DG Energy
<b>14:00 - 15:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 3A</b>	<b>14:00 - 15:00 / PARALLEL SESSION 3B</b>
<b>European national market developments</b> <b>Thomas Eccard</b> Head of Green Markets, Entelios, Chairman of the Board, RECS International <b>Mathieu Morvan</b> Senior Business Developer, PowerNext <b>Eva Klesse</b> Senior Account Manager, Klimainvest	<b>An electric fence – the electricity market post Brexit</b> <b>Philip Baker</b> Senior Advisor, Regulatory Assistance Project <b>Ben Hall</b> Associate Director, Cornwell Insight <b>Nick Molho</b> Executive Director, Aldersgate Group
<b>15:30 - 16:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 4A</b>	<b>15:30 - 16:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 4B</b>
<b>Latin American market developments</b> <b>Maria de la Cruz</b> Director Latin America, I-REC Standard <b>Oscar Fernández</b> Research and New Business Specialist, Empresas Públicas de Medellín (EPM) <b>Rossana Gaete</b> Head of Sustainable Development, Ministry of Energy-Chile	<b>Subsidy free developments</b> <b>Thomas Bosse</b> Head of Programmes, Dubai Carbon Centre of Excellence PJSC <b>Eitan Parnass</b> Director General, Green Energy Association of Israel <b>Fernando Reina</b> Legal Counsel, BayWa r.e.
<b>16:45 - 17:15 / KEYNOTE SESSION 5</b>	
<b>Developments in cap-and-trade and the effect on consumer driven electricity markets</b> <b>Jared Braslawsky</b> Secretary General, RECS International <b>Derrick Forrister</b> CEO and President, International Emissions Trading Association (IETA)	
<b>17:15 - 18:30 / NETWORKING DRINKS</b>	
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<b>Market developments, volume and prices</b> <b>Dania Piccioli-Cappelli</b> Chief Value Officer, Nvalue <b>Alexandra Mara Munzer</b> Managing Director, Greenfact <b>Sarah Drevermann</b> Manager Renewable Energy, First Climate Markets	<b>The market for PPA's not the mechanism</b> <b>Alexander Quarles van Ufford</b> Director Renewables & Cleantech, Schneider Electric <b>Robert Slooten</b> Global Sustainability Program Manager, Signify <b>Mauro Soares</b> Managing Director, EOS Energia
<b>10:30 - 11:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 7A</b>	<b>10:30 - 11:30 / PARALLEL SESSION 7B</b>
<b>Risk management in a tumultuous market</b> <b>Fabio Moro</b> COO, STX Group <b>EFET</b> speaker tba <a href="#">and more to follow</a>	<b>Leadership in attribute procurement</b> <b>Todd Jones</b> Director of Policy and Climate Change Programs, CRS <b>Shailesh Telang</b> Technical Manager – Renewable Energy, RE100-CDP <b>Richard Iliffe</b> Standards Manager, Gold Standard
<b>12:00 - 13:00 / KEYNOTE SESSION 8</b>	
<b>The impact of increased consumer choice on the electricity market</b> <b>Jared Braslawsky</b> Secretary General, RECS International <b>Patrick Pfeiffer</b> Head of Statkraft US, Statkraft <b>Andor Savelkouls</b> Head of Energy Sourcing EMEA, Air Products	
<b>13:00-14:30 / NETWORKING LUNCH</b>	



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- To encourage the further generation of emerging renewable energy technologies by increasing competition and cost-efficiency through the expansion of cross-border trade and international cooperation mechanisms.

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