

Registration

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Event Venue:

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About eseia

eseia - European Sustainable Energy Innovation Alliance, is an association of 26 leading membership organisations in ten European countries. eseia members operate in sustainable energy systems, from energy provision to energy consumption integrating research, teaching and innovation.

The cross-sector membership of scientific, business and political partners is dedicated to advancing innovation to implement renewables and sustainable technologies in Europe as well as on a global scale.

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Regional Cooperation on Rational Use of Bioresources

eseia International Workshop for European Regional Actors

28 November 2013, Brussels, 11h00 - 13h00

Networking Lunch, 13h00 - 14h00



European Regional Actors

Given the call for a dramatic increase in energy efficiency on the consumer side and an increase of the renewable resource based energy provision by at least 55% in 2050 compared to some years ago, bioenergy will play an important role in the future energy mix.

This international workshop aims at raising awareness among European regions about optimal land use by:

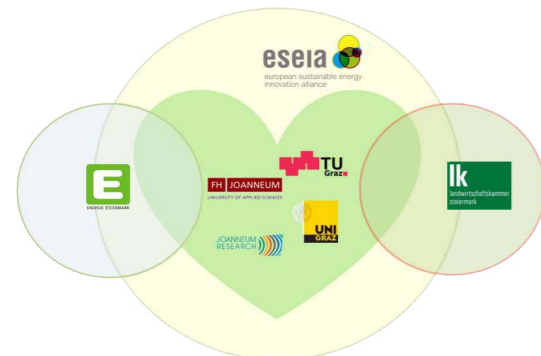
- discussing bioenergy usage scenarios and their effects on the environment, public health and food safety, and
- reflecting on the role of energy regions in making forward-looking decisions for land use.



Target Groups

eseia Workshop is for representatives from:

- European Commission
- European Parliament
- EU Member States
- International Organisations
- Local and Regional authorities
- Business and industry
- Civil society
- Academia



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„Regional Cooperation on Rational Use of Bioresources“

We live in a „limited infinity“ and bioresources are the only resource able to fulfill the energy demand currently covered by fossil fuels. As the demand for renewable energy increases, we see a competition arising for different forms of land use, mainly from food production, crops, or energy production for industry.

Our speakers will discuss the societal impacts of this development with representation from all level of European Society.

Preliminary Programme



Karin Kadenbach
Member of the European Parliament

How to reconcile the need for more bioresources for sustainable energy

production with the environment, public health and food safety.

Representative from the Committee of the Regions (To be confirmed)

Role of the European Regions in securing energy efficiency



Kimmo Järvinen, Secretary General of the European Sawmilling Association (EOS) and team member of the Forest Based Sector Technology Platform

Contribution of the paper and pulp industry to the land use debate



Michael Narodslawsky
Coordinator of eseia Working Group Bioresources

Bioenergy usage scenarios and eseia discourse book on Bioresources