As part of the European RegEnergy project, Brest métropole will host the project’s final conference on 18th May 2022, labelled French Presidency of the European Union in Océanopolis, Brest (France).

RegEnergy, led by Climate Alliance, brings together 9 partners from 7 countries in North-West Europe and addresses the issue of renewable energy development through urban/rural cooperation.

The conference will focus on how to reinforce the territorial cooperation to achieve a successful energy transition and will showcase the results achieved by the European partnership. The complementarity between the European level and the national, regional and local levels will be illustrated through concrete examples and feedbacks.

With the objective to discover innovative solutions and case studies for an efficient energy transition, a focus will be dedicated to the link between the involvement of local authorities and citizens’ engagement with renewable energy projects.

Take part of this moment too!
8.45 am  Reception and registration

9.30 am  Welcome speeches
  Hélène Rizzotti, project manager RegEnergy, Climate Alliance
  Tristan Foveau, Vice-President in charge of Energy and Waste, Brest métropole

09.50 am  Round table 1: Urban-rural cooperation, a necessity to achieve European energy saving targets
  Speakers:
  - DG ENERGY, European Commission
  - French national authority (TBC)
  - Brittany Regional Council (TBC)
  - Mr Glen Dissaux, Vice-President in charge of climate action plan, Brest métropole
  - Annick Barré, Mayor of Laz and President of the Local Energy Agency of the Country Centre West Brittany

10.50 am  Coffee Break | RegEnergy Poster walk session

11.20 am  Round table 2: Renewable energy partnerships - put into practice
  Speakers:
  - Joint Secretariat, Interreg North-West Europe
  - Martine Klaver, Waterstromen, Netherlands (TBC)
  - 3 Counties Energy Agency, Ireland (TBC)
  - Frederick Loeckx, Flux50, Belgium
  - Sean Lyons, Walton Institute for Information and Communication Systems Science, Ireland (TBC)
  Moderation: Stefanie Weiner, INFRASTRUKTUR & UMWELT, Professor Böhm und Partner, Germany

12.30 am  Lunch | RegEnergy Poster walk session
2.30 pm  Insight into Océanopolis’ energy retrofitting works and PV self-consumption

Speakers:
- Camille Lagarde, Administrator, Océanopolis
- Sylvie Mingant, Head of Energy Service, Department of Urban Ecology, Brest métropole
- Quénéa, installer based in Centre Ouest Bretagne
- Engie, operator

3.30 pm  Roundtable 3: Involve local authorities and engage citizens for the energy transition and the benefit of the territories

Speakers:
- Thomas Patenotte, Co-coordinator of ENR Breizh ALEC and leader of the TARANIS network of civic energy in Brittany
- EO, Energies Ouvertes (TBC)
- Communauté de communes du Kreiz Breizh (TBC)
- Plymouth City Council
- Rural Energy Community Advisory Hub

Moderation: Els van Praet, Project manager renewable energy & energy efficiency, Ecopower, Belgium

4.30 pm  Closing speech

5.00 pm  Visit of the Pavillon Bretagne Océanopolis (optional, registration compulsory)
Map

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