



Programme 19-21 January 2020 - The Hague - The Netherlands

**Sunday 19 January 2020**

- 19:15 Welcome Drinks
- 20:00 Meet & Greet Dinner Buffet

**DAY 1 - Monday 20 January 2020**

- 9:00 Registration opens
- 9:30 - 9:40 Opening Speech  
*Martha Roggenkamp*

**Developments in the EU and EU Energy Law**

- 9:40 - 10:10 Review of the 20-20-20 Goals  
*Mihai Tomescu*
- 10:10 - 10:50 The ECT and Intra-EU RES Investment Disputes  
*Cees Verburg*
- 10:50 - 11:10 Break
- 11:10 - 11:50 Review of EU Case Law  
*Francesco Maria Salerno*
- 11:50 - 12:20 Brexit Process and Developments  
*Silke Goldberg*
- 12:20 - 12:40 Discussion
- 12:40 - 13:20 Lunch

**New Developments In Cross-border Energy Governance**

- 13:20 - 14:00 ACER: Is the European Regulator Growing Up?  
*Leigh Hancher*
- 14:00 - 14:40 Cross-border Electricity Transport in Europe: Towards an Electrical Schengen Agreement?  
*Christian Schneller*
- 14:40 - 14:50 Discussion
- 14:50 - 15:10 Break

**DAY 1 - Continued**

**Interconnectors with Third Countries**

- 15:10 - 15:50 Assessment of Nordstream 2 and the Amended Gas Directive  
*Anna Marhold*
- 15:50 - 16:20 Assessment of the Eurasia Interconnector connecting Europe with Israel and Egypt  
*Cedric Degreeef*
- 16:20- 16:30 Discussion
- 17:00 Visit to the Netherlands' Council of State
- 19:00 Dinner at the Littéraire Sociëteit De Witte  
*Dinner Speech by His Excellence Jens-Otto Horslund, Danish Ambassador to the Netherlands*

**DAY 2 - Tuesday 21 January 2020**

- 8:45 Registration opens

**Green Hydrogen: Securing the Gas Supply Sector?**

- 9:20 - 10:00 The Position of Hydrogen in the Energy Sector  
*Noe van Hulst*
- 10:00 - 10:40 Regulatory Framework for Hydrogen in the EU  
*Alexandru Floristean*
- 10:40 - 10:50 Discussion
- 10:50 - 11:10 Break

**Local Energy Communities**

- 11:10 - 11:50 EU Legal Framework for Developing Energy Communities: Challenges for Implementation  
*Mikolaj Jasiak*
- 11:50 - 12:30 Identifying Types of Local Energy Communities  
*Andreas Türk*

**DAY 2 - Continued**

- 12:30 - 12:40 Discussion
- 12:40 - 13:30 Lunch
- 13:30 - 15:10 Parallel Sessions

**State Aid Case Law: National Examples**

- RES Support and State Aid: Lithuania  
*Rita Paukštė*
- Capacity Markets and State Aid: Poland  
*Rafal Hajduk*
- Offshore Wind Energy and State Aid: France  
*Guillaume Dezobry*

**Local Energy Communities and Flexibility Services: National Examples**

- Spain  
*David Robinson*
- Norway  
*Enno Böttcher*
- The Netherlands  
*Job Swens & Lea Diestelmeier*

- 15:10 - 15:30 Break

**New Approaches to Greenhouse Gas Emissions**

- 15:30 - 16:10 Methane Emissions: Need for a Regulatory Framework?  
*Muhunthan Sathiamoorthy*
- 16:10 - 16:50 EU ETS versus Carbon Tax: National Approaches and EU Level Playing Field?  
*Jos Cozijnsen*
- 16:50 - 17:00 Final Discussion
- 17:00 End of Seminar & Drinks

## Speakers

**Enno Böttcher**  
CEO, NODES (N)

**Jos Cozijnsen**  
Carbon Specialist, Climate Neutral Group (NL)

**Cedric Degreef**  
Senior Associate, Stibbe (B)

**Guillaume Dezobry**  
Senior Lecturer in Public and Energy Law, Sciences Po, University Paris Dauphine and University of Amiens & Senior Associate, FIDAL (F)

**Dr. Lea Diestelmeier**  
Postdoctorate Researcher, Groningen Centre of Energy Law, University of Groningen (NL)

**Alexandru Floristean**  
Legal and Project Manager, HyLaw Project, Hydrogen Europe (B)

**Silke Goldberg**  
Partner, Law Firm Herbert Smith Freehills (UK) & PhD Researcher, Groningen Centre of Energy Law and Sustainability (NL)

**Rafał Hajduk**  
Partner, Infrastructure and Energy Practice, Head of the Energy Team, DZP (PL)

**Prof. dr. Leigh Hancher**  
Professor in EU Law, Tilburg Law School, University of Tilburg (NL) & Director Energy Union Law, Florence School of Regulation (I)

**Jens-Otto Horslund**  
Danish Ambassador to the Netherlands

**Noe van Hulst**  
Hydrogen Envoy, Ministry of Economic Affairs & Climate Policy (NL)

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**Mikolaj Jasiak**  
Policy Advisor, Vattenfall (B)

**Dr. Anna Marhold**  
Assistant Professor, Institute of Public Law & Grotius Centre for International Legal Studies, University of Leiden (NL)

**Rita Paukštė**  
Senior Associate, Motieka & Audzevicius (LT)

**Dr. David Robinson**  
President, David Robinson & Associates (E) & Senior Research Fellow, The Oxford Institute for Energy Studies (UK)

**Prof. dr. Martha Roggenkamp**  
Professor in Energy Law, University of Groningen & Director, Groningen Centre of Energy Law and Sustainability (NL)

**Dr. Francesco Maria Salerno**  
Managing Partner, Gianni, Origoni, Grippo, Cappelli & Partners (B)

**Muhunthan Sathiamoorthy**  
Group Carbon Manager, Safety & Operational Risk, BP (UK)

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Corporate Senior Manager Legal Affairs, TenneT TSO (D/NL)

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Owner / Consultant, J-OB (NL)

**Mihai Tomescu**  
Energy Expert, European Environment Agency (DK)

**Andreas Türk**  
Senior Researcher, International Climate Policy and Economics, Joanneum Research / Zentrum für Klima, Energie und Gesellschaft (A)

**Cees Verburg**  
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