

EELS 2026 Programme

MONDAY 9 NOVEMBER

9.30 - 9.40 Welcome

Prof Em Dr Martha Roggenkamp, Chair NeVER

Case Law Developments

9.40 - 10.10 Review of EU Case Law

*Dr Carlo Tovo, Researcher in EU law,
University of Bologna (I)*

10.10 - 10.40 Review of Climate Change Case Law

*Dr Matteo Fermeglia, Assistant Professor,
University of Amsterdam (NL)*

10.40 - 11.10 Review of International Energy Investment Dispute Settlements

Dr Cees Verburg, Associate, Trip Law Firm (NL)

11.10 - 11.30 Break

Securing Investments in Wind Energy Offshore

11.30 - 11.50 The Hamburg Summit: A Step Forward to New Offshore Investments?

*Dr Lennard Visser, Ministry of Economic Affairs
and Climate (NL)*

11.50 - 12.20 Are CfD the Solution for Offshore Wind Energy Investments?

*Prof Dr Silke Goldberg, Partner, Herbert Smith
Freehills Kramer (UK) / Professor, University of
Groningen (NL)*

12.20 - 12.50 Protecting Offshore Energy Investments: Regulating Security Rights Offshore

*Jaap Waverijn, Senior Associate, Stibbe (NL) /
Researcher, University of Groningen (NL)*

12.50 - 13.10 Insights: View from the Industry

*Douwe Blacqui re, Senior Public Affairs Advisor,
Association FME (NL)*

SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER

19.15 Welcome Drinks

20.00 Meet & Greet Dinner Buffet

13.10 - 13.15 Q&A

13.15 - 14.15 Lunch

EU Grid Package

14.15 - 14.45 Addressing Bottlenecks with the EU Grids Package

*George Wuestner, Director Market Team,
ENTSO-G (B)*

14.45 - 15.15 Planning and Developing New Grid Connections – How are They to be Defined as Essential in the New World?

*Anna Butenko, Deputy Head of Legal Section,
ENTSO-E (B)*

15.15 - 15.45 Break

15.45 - 16.15 Anticipatory Investments to Develop the Grid Action Plan: Access to Finance and Affordability

*Dr Nadia Horstmann, Head of Section
International Coordination Energy,
Bundesnetzagentur (D) / Part-time Chair,
Florence School of Regulation (I)*

16.15 - 16.30 Q&A

Evening Event

17.15 Historic Tram Tour through The Hague and Scheveningen

19.00 Dinner at Hotel Des Indes

Dinner Speech by *Chris Rampling*,
British Ambassador to the Kingdom of
the Netherlands