



#### **FORUM**

# 5TH VIENNA FORUM ON EUROPEAN ENERGY LAW

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#### 4 - 5 May 2017

#### LOCATION

**Evening Debate: Energy and Geopolitics** 

Thursday, 4 May 2017: Constitutional Court, Freyung 8, 1010 Wien, Austria

Vienna Forum on European Energy Law

Friday, 5 May 2017: Supreme Court, Schmerlingpl. 10-11, 1010 Wien, Austria





## ■ DRAFT PROGRAMME

| <b>4 MAY</b> 18.00 - 18.15 | EVENING DEBATE: ENERGY AND GEOPOLITICS  Welcome  Janez Kopač   Director, Energy Community Secretariat  |
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| 18.15 - 20.00              | Chair: Jean-Michel Glachant   Director, Florence School of Regulation  |
|                            | <b>Andris Piebalgs</b>   Former Commissioner for Energy; Florence School of Regulation (RSCAS, EUI)  |
|                            | <b>Sigurd Schmidt</b>   Special Adviser in Energy Security to the High Representative, Vice-President of the European Commission, Federica Mogherini |
|                            | Olena Zerkal   Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, Ukraine   |
| 20.00 - 22.00              | Informal Dinner  |
| 5 May                      | Vienna Forum on European Energy Law  |
| 09.00 - 09.15              | Welcome and Introduction   |
|                            | Dirk Buschle   Energy Community Secretariat / College of Europe  |
|                            | Keynote Address  |
| 09.15 - 09.45              | What can we expect from the Energy Union?  |
|                            | <b>Jean-Arnold Vinois</b>   Jacques Delors Institute and Honorary Director, European Commission  |
|                            | THE ELECTRICITY SOFTWARE UPGRADE: THE NEW MARKET DESIGN  |
|                            | Chair: Rozeta Karova   Energy Community Secretariat  |
| 09.45 - 10.00              | Where do we stand?   |
| 33.13 10.00                | Philipp Offenberg   European Political Strategy Centre, European Commission  |
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| 10.00 - 10.15 | Views from the industry <b>Zuzana Mjartanova</b>   CEZ  |
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| 10.15 - 10.30 | New Market Entrants  Robert Klotz and Wim Vandenberghe   Sheppard Mullin  |
| 10.30 - 11.00 | Discussion  |
| 11.00 - 11.30 | Coffee Break  |
|               | THE SUSTAINABILITY SOFTWARE UPGRADE: THE RENEWABLE AND ENERGY EFFICIENY PACKAGE   |
|               | Chair: Kristof Ferenczi   Kinstellar  |
| 11.30 - 11.45 | Where do we stand? <b>Johannes Barbist</b>   Binder Grösswang   |
| 11.45 - 12.00 | Will we reach the targets?  Christian Egenhofer   CEPS  |
| 11.45 - 12.15 | Can auctions deliver?  Michał Motylewski   Dentons  |
| 12.15 - 12.45 | Discussion  |
| 12.45 - 14.00 | Lunch   |
|               | AFTERNOON KEYNOTE ADDRESS   |
| 14.00 - 14.30 | Physical and Virtual threats to Security of Supply : TurkStream or NordStream II or both; cyber security – the real threat? |
|               | Michaël Bittan   Deloitte   |
|               | A New Software Altogether : Market Integration and Market Governance  |
|               | Chair: Christopher Bremme   Linklaters  |
| 14.30 - 14.45 | Experiences with market integration - the bidding zones   |

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| 14.45 - 15.00 | Regional Operational Centres - a step forward or into the abyss?  Charles Verhaeghe   FTI / Compass Lexecon         |
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| 15.00 - 15.15 | Integrated National Plans - A Member State View  Nadia Horstmann   BNetzA   |
| 15.15 - 15.30 | Does ACER need a refit - a critical view?  Walter Boltz   ACER  |
| 15.30 - 15.45 | Discussion  |
| 15.45 - 16.00 | Coffee break  |
|               | GAS MARKET DEVELOPMENTS  Chair: Matthias Stoeckl   Trans Austria Gasleitung   |
| 16.00 - 17.00 | Roundtable Discussion   |
|               | Peter Hohaus   Uniper SE  |
|               | Pawel Pikus   Ministry of Energy, Poland  |
|               | Borbala Toth   REKK, Corvinus University, Budapest  |
|               | Thomas Starlinger   Starlinger Mayer  |
| 17.00 - 17.15 | Closing remarks  Leigh Hancher   Florence School of Regulation / RSCAS / EUI; Tilburg University; Allen & Overy LLP |







