

## 18th GAS FORUM

NH Danube City Hotel  
 Wagramer Strasse 21  
 Vienna, Austria  
**28 September 2023**

09:00-09:30	Registration	
9:30-10:00	<b>Part 1 – Introduction</b>	
	<b>Welcome Address</b>	<i>EC, ECS</i>
	Keynote speech	<i>Artur Lorkowski   Energy Community Secretariat</i>
10:00-11:15	<b>Part 2 – Securing gas supplies for winter 2023/24</b>	
	Winter preparedness outlook for the EU and Contracting Parties	<i>Kacper Zeromsky   ENTSOG</i>
	Implementation of the Storage Regulation in the Energy Community	<i>Predrag Grujicic   ECS</i>
	Security of supply in the EU – storage situation and joint purchasing of gas – experience for the Energy Community and the EU	<i>Jolanta Navickaite   EC</i>
	Discussion - Questions and Answers	Speakers and Audience
11:15-11:45	Coffee break	
11:45-13:15	<b>Part 3 – decarbonising the gas markets</b>	
	Moderator: Karolina Cegir Hydrogen and decarbonised gas markets package	<i>Jolanta Navickaite   EC</i>
	Ready for new TEN-E in the Energy Community	<i>Adam Balogh   ECS</i>
	Role of the gas industry in methane emissions mitigation	<i>Peter Zeniewski   IEA</i>
	Case study: opportunities to develop biomethane, synthetic gases and hydrogen in Ukraine	<i>Davide Rubini   Vitol and Oleksandr Dombrovskiy   PrJSC MHP Eco Energy &amp; Global 100% REnewable UA</i>

	Discussion - Questions and Answers	Speakers and Audience
13:15-14:15	Networking lunch	
<b>14:15-15:45</b>	<b>Part 4 - Designing a regulatory framework for future</b>	
	Introductory presentation: Gas markets and network regulation in the Energy Community Contracting Parties now	<i>Branislava Marsenic</i>   ECS
	Case study: corporate governance and unbundling	<i>Dirk Buschle</i>   ECS
	Panel discussion: Challenges of decarbonisation of the gas sector	Moderator: <i>Csilla Bartok</i>   ACER <i>Andrius Simkus</i>   Sorainen <i>Claude Mangin</i>   ENTSOG <i>Markus Krug</i>   E-Control <i>Rene Pollaschak</i>   Vienna Netze
	Discussion - Questions and Answers	Speakers and Audience
15:45-16:15	Coffee break	
<b>16:15-17:45</b>	<b>Part 5 – Traders’ opportunities in the Energy Community</b>	
	Introduction	<i>Gregor Weinzettel</i>   ECS
	Storing gas in Ukraine – lessons learned	<i>Andrii Prokofiev</i>   GTSOU <i>Dmytro Klimenkov</i>   JSC “Ukrtransgaz”
	Case study – attractiveness of Contracting Parties for traders	<i>Doug Wood</i>   EFET <i>Artem Petrenko</i>   Association of gas producers of Ukraine
	Discussion - Questions and Answers	Speakers and Audience
17:45-18:00	<b>Conclusions of the Forum</b>	