

PROGRAMME

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## Sunday 22 January

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

## Monday 23 January

- 09:15 Welcome and Introduction  
*Martha Roggenkamp*

### Developments in EU Energy Law

- 09:20 Overview EU Case Law and the Energy Sector  
*Berend Jan Drijber*
- 10:00 State Aid Rules with a Focus on Renewable Energy  
*Ronald van de Ven*
- 10:40 Brexit and its Impact on EU Energy Policy and Law  
*Silke Goldberg*
- 11:10 **Coffee**

### Electricity Market Design

- 11:30 Repowering Electricity Markets: A Global Perspective  
*Manuel Baritaud*
- 12:00 Electricity Market Design Package:  
Market Parties' Perspective  
*Ruud Otter*
- 12:40 Q&A
- 12:45 **Lunch**

### Cross-Border Infrastructure - Projects of Common Interest

- 13:30 Project of Common Interest:  
PCI List and Permitting  
*Catherina Sikow*
- 14:00 Projects of Common Interest:  
CBCA Regulation and Disputes  
*Ákos Hofstädter*
- 14:50 **Tea**

### Energy Network Developments

- 15:10 Developing a New Type of Electricity Interconnectors:  
Combined Grid Solutions  
*Gert Elze*
- 15:50 The Future Roles of DSOs and TSOs  
*Luuk Spee*
- 16:20 Q&A
- 16:30 **End Official Programme Day I**

- 17:00 Visit Museum Mauritshuis  
Drinks and Dinner at Sociëteit De Witte  
*Invited Speaker: Ambassador of Norway, His Excellence  
Martin Sørby, on Dutch-Norwegian Energy Relations*

## Tuesday 24 January

### Developing Renewable Energy Projects

- 09:15** Renewable Energy Investments Disputes  
*Nikos Lavranos*
- 09:50** Danish-German Cooperation Agreement governing the Partial Opening of National Support Schemes for Solar PV Projects  
*Dijana Dmitruk and Camilla Brovang*
- 10:30** Recast of the Renewable Energy Directive  
*Ruud Kempener*
- 11:10** Q&A
- 11:20** Coffee

### Reliability of Energy Supply

- 11:40** Regulating the Production and Use of Hydrogen  
*Ruprecht Brandis*
- 12:10** Sector Inquiry on Capacity Mechanisms  
*Ruben Vermeeren*
- 12:45** Q&A
- 13:00** Lunch

### Parallel Session on Capacity Mechanism or Prosumers

<b>13:45</b> Capacity Mechanism in UK <i>Julian Roberts</i>	Prosumers Legislation in Norway <i>Erlend Sandnes</i>
<b>14:15</b> Capacity Mechanism in France <i>Thomas Veyrenc</i>	Prosumers Legislation in Germany <i>Matthias Lang</i>
<b>14:45</b> Capacity Mechanism in Germany <i>Kai Pritzsche</i>	Prosumers Legislation in The Netherlands <i>Lea Diestelmeier and Dirk Kuiken</i>
<b>15:15</b> Q&A	Q&A
<b>15:30</b> Tea	

### What happens in the European Gas Market?

- 15:50** Security of Gas Supply Package: How to Maintain Security?  
*Bart Jan Hoevers*
- 16:30** The Role of Gas in Developing a Sustainable Energy Sector  
*Torstein Indrebø*
- 17:00** Q&A
- 17:15** End of Seminar

## Venue

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