



How to mobilise investments in clean energy infrastructures?

Tuesday 12th July 2022

17.00- 19.00

European Parliament, Rue Wiertz 60, 1047 (room TBC)

While the need to decarbonize European electric grids is no longer in doubt, the war in Ukraine has also highlighted the urgent need for achieving long-term energy independence. Any decarbonisation process will require a sufficiently high carbon price that increases over time. But huge public and private investments in low-carbon and renewable energy sources must be made quickly in addition. So, what's holding back investments in decarbonised energy sources? How is that investments are not flowing faster? Towards what type of energy sources and infrastructures shall public and private investments be channelled? What criteria are being and should be used to make investment decisions: environmental, geographic, operational (national industrial know-how), political, economic or financial? How do infrastructure funds target their investments in energy infrastructure?

17:00-17:10 Welcome address

Dominique Riquet MEP, Co-Chair of the Sustainable, Long-term Investments & Competitive European Industry Intergroup

17:10-17:30 Keynote speech

Mairead McGuinness, Commissioner in charge of Financial Services, Financial Stability and Capital Markets Union

17:30 – 18:30 Panel discussion moderated by **Rebecca Christie, Researcher, Bruegel**

Herve Laffaye, President of ENTSO-E (European Network of Transmission System Operators) and International Officer in charge of International and European Affairs at RTE

Maxence Cordiez, Head of European public affairs, CEA (Commissariat à l'énergie atomique et aux énergies alternatives)

Jan Klasen, KfW, First Vice President and Head of KfW's Equity Investments & and European Affairs division

18:30 – 18:50 Q&A

18:50-19:00 Closing remarks