

EU4Energy Policy Forum: Phasing Out Energy Subsidies, Demand Restraint, and Fuel Switching

Agenda

26-28th June 2018

Venue: Karven Four Seasons, Sary-Oi village, Issyk-Kul area, Kyrgyzstan

26 JUNE 2018 DAY 1 PHASING OUT ENERGY SUBSIDIES	
9h00-9h30	Registration
9h30-9h45	<p>Welcome</p> <p>Azamat Omorov, EU4Energy Country Coordinator Duarte Figueira, Head of Europe, Middle East, Africa and Latin America (EMAL) Division, Directorate of Global Energy Relations, IEA</p>
9h45-10h30	<p>SESSION 1: Data on Energy Subsidies</p>
	<p><u>Evidence on Energy Prices in the EU4Energy Focus Countries</u> <u>Presentation and Q&A</u></p> <p>Claire Morel and Markus Fager-Pintilä, EU4Energy Data Team</p>
10h30-11h00	<p>SESSION 2: Energy Efficiency and Energy Subsidies</p>
	<p><u>Presentation and Q&A</u></p> <p>Armin Mayer, Energy Analyst, IEA</p>
11h00-13h30	<p>SESSION 3: Common Challenges</p>
11h00-11h15	<p><u>Introduction</u></p> <p>Richard Bridle and Yuliia Oharenko, Global Subsidies Initiative</p>
11h15-11h45	Coffee break
11h45-13h30	<p><u>Breakout session</u></p> <p>Richard Bridle and Yuliia Oharenko, Global Subsidies Initiative</p>
13h30 - 14h30	Lunch
14h30-15h00	<p>SESSION 3: Country Case Study</p>
	<p><u>Presentation and Q&A</u></p> <p>Mirgul Aidarova, Head of Tariff and Price Regulation Department, Agency for Regulation of Fuel and Energy Complex, Republic of Kyrgyzstan</p>
15h00-16h30	<p>SESSION 4: International best practice</p>
	<p><u>Energy subsidy reform and sustainable development goals (SDGs)</u></p> <p>Yuliia Oharenko, Global Subsidies Initiative</p>
15h30 - 16h00	Coffee break
	<p><u>Public policies for the coal sector restructuring - the Polish case study</u></p> <p>Aleksander Szpor, Analyst, Institute for Structural Research</p>
16h30-18h30	<p>SESSION 5: Energy Subsidy Reform Scenarios</p>
16h30-18h15	<p><u>Breakout session</u></p> <p>Richard Bridle and Yuliia Oharenko, Global Subsidies Initiative</p>
18h15-18h30	<p>Conclusions</p>
19:00 - 21:00	<p><i>Welcome dinner hosted by the State Committee for Industry, Energy, and Subsoil Use of the Kyrgyz Republic</i></p>

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27 JUNE 2018 DAY 2 ENERGY SUBSIDIES AND DEMAND RESTRAINT	
9h30-11h15	SESSION 1: Communications and Subsidies
9h30 – 10h25	<u>Interactive presentation on proven practice techniques to build public support for energy subsidy reform</u> Sara Pasquier, Consultant, World Bank
10h25-11h15	<u>Developing Communications and Mitigation Strategies for Fossil Fuel Subsidy Reform</u> Richard Bridle, Global Subsidies Initiative
11h15 – 11h45	Coffee break
11h45-12h45	SESSION 2: Country Case Studies & Subsidies Wrap-up
	<u>Ukraine: Phasing Out Energy Price Subsidies</u> <u>Energy subsidies in Belarus</u> Borys Dodonov, Ukraine Country Expert, EU4Energy Andrei Molochko, Belarus Country Expert, EU4Energy
	<u>Subsidies Conclusions</u> Richard Bridle and Yuliia Oharenko, Global Subsidies Initiative
12h45 – 13h45	Lunch
13h45-15h00	SESSION 3: How to read an energy balance
	<u>Interactive exercise on long-term energy strategy and the use of data</u> Claire Morel and Markus Fager-Pintilä, EU4Energy Data Team
15h00 – 15h30	Coffee break
15h30-16h45	SESSION 3: Saving Electricity in a Hurry
	<u>Interactive presentation on techniques to mobilize consumers to conserve energy during electricity shortfalls</u> Sara Pasquier, Consultant, World Bank
16h45-17h45	SESSION 4: Intro to Demand Restraint: country views on electricity
	<u>Discussion</u> Cuau Lopez-Bassols, Consultant

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28 JUNE 2018 DAY 3 DEMAND RESTRAINT & FUEL SWITCHING		
9h30-11h00	SESSION 1: Oil and Gas Supply Security	
	<u>Oil and Gas supply security and emergency response policies</u> <u>Presentations and Q&A</u>	Cuau Lopez-Bassols, Consultant
11h00 – 11h30	Coffee break	
11h30-13h00	SESSION 2: Storage and Fuel Switching Issues	Moderated by Cuau Lopez-Bassols
11h30-12h15	<u>Future Cost of Electricity Storage</u>	Oliver Schmidt, PhD Researcher on Energy Storage, Imperial College London
12h15-13h00	<u>Country Case Studies & Discussion</u>	Aiyngul Kerimray – EU4Energy Country Expert, Kazakhstan Olena Chaikovska – Deputy Head, Department for Oil and Gas Complex, Ministry of Energy and Coal Industry of Ukraine Mariana Botezatu – EU4Energy Country Expert, Moldova
13h00 – 14h00	Lunch	
14h00-15h15	SESSION 3: Emergency Response Reviews	
	<u>Assessment frameworks for emergency response reviews for oil, gas and electricity</u>	Cuau Lopez-Bassols, Consultant
15h15 – 15h45	Coffee break	
15h45-17h15	SESSION 4: Data for Energy Security	
	<u>Interactive Exercise</u>	Claire Morel, Markus Fager-Pintilä and Talya Vatman, EU4Energy
17h15 – 17h30	Conclusions	