

Energy for all: Financing access for the poor

Room 1, IEA headquarters, Paris, 13th May 2011: 09h00– 18h00

- 09.00 – 09.30** **Registration and coffee**
- 09.30 – 09.45** **IEA focus on energy access for all in WEO 2011**
- Dr. Fatih Birol – Chief Economist, IEA
- 09:45 – 10.00** **Special address:** Ambassador Cristina Narbona Ruiz, Spain
Energy Access and The Rio+20
- 10.00 – 11.15** **Session 1: Identifying what works – Successes in financing energy access**
Identifying successful solutions adopted in Developing Countries to deliver energy access, the financing mechanisms used and how to scale up efforts.
- Chair: Dr. Mohamed T. El-Ashry , Senior Fellow, United Nation Foundation
 - Presentation: Mr. Ismail Ali Khan, Joint Adviser, Planning Commission, India
 - Presentation: Mr. Olav Kjørven, Assistant Secretary-General and Director, UNDP
 - Presentation: Mr. Andrew Barfour, Director, Energy Development and Access Project, Ministry of Energy, Ghana
- Roundtable discussion
- 11.15 – 11.35** **Coffee**
- 11.35 – 13.00** **Session 2: Leveraging private sector finance and expertise to deliver energy access**
Assess the current role, and potential, of private finance and expertise in delivering energy access. Identify the most suitable mechanisms and the commercial conditions required.
- Chair: Dr. Leena Srivastava, Executive Director, The Energy and Resource Institute
 - Presentation: Dr. Steve Lennon, General Manager, Eskom
 - Presentation: Mr. Assaad Saab, Vice-president, International Affairs, EDF
 - Presentation: Mr. Binu Parthan, Deputy Director General , REEEP
- Roundtable discussion
- 13:00 – 13:15** **Special address:** Ms. Eli Blakstad, State Secretary, Ministry of Petroleum and Energy, Norway
Energy access – the complementary roles of the public and private sectors
- 13:15 – 13:30** **Group photo**
- 13.30 – 14.30** **Lunch**

14:30 – 15:45 **Session 3: Government and non-governmental sector financing – what is being done and what more can be done?**

Examine the existing sources of government and non-government financing, where and how they are being deployed and seek to identify the financing “gaps”.

- Chair: Ambassador Irene Freudenschuss-Reichl, Austria
 - Presentation: Ms. Hela Cheikhrouhou, Director, Energy, Environment and Climate Change Department, African Development Bank
 - Presentation: Dr. Lucio Monari, Director, World Bank
 - Presentation: Mr. Samuel Tumiwa, Principal Specialist, Asian Development Bank
- Roundtable discussion

15.45 – 16:00 **Coffee**

16:00- 16:15 **Special address:** Mr. Sanjit Bunker Roy, Director, Barefoot college

16:15 – 17:30 **Session 4: Designing and delivering a new architecture for financing energy access**

Bring available and effective methods of financing, existing institutional frameworks and delivery mechanisms together to form a recommendation for a new financial architecture to achieve universal energy access.

- Chair: Mr. Petter Nore, Director, Energy Department, NORAD
 - Presentation: Mr. Rachid Bencherif, Senior Planning Analyst, OPEC Fund for International Development
 - Presentation: Mr. Mark Dominik, Vice-president, Deutsche Bank Group
 - Presentation: Mr. Morgan Bazilian, Special Advisor on Energy, UNIDO
- Roundtable discussion

17.30 – 18:00 **Summary and conclusions**

Wrap-up of the day’s discussion – Chairs of previous sessions
Summary and concluding remarks by Dr. Fatih Birol, IEA

18.00 **Drinks reception**