

# IEA workshop Gaps and strategic opportunities in international collaboration on low- carbon technologies

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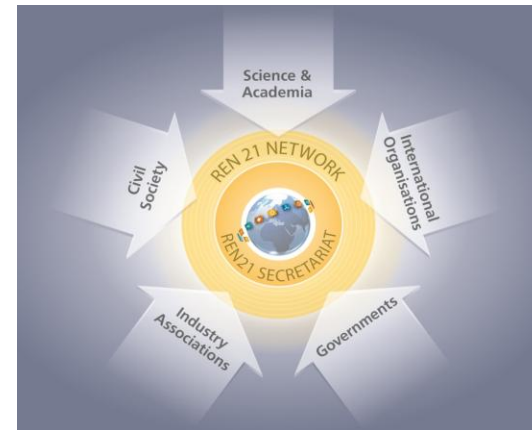
Renewable  
Energy Policy  
Network  
for the  
21<sup>st</sup> Century



# REN21's Mission

REN21 is the global renewable energy policy multi-stakeholder network that connects a wide range of key actors from:

- Governments
- International organisations
- Industry associations
- Science and academia as well as
- Civil society



to facilitate knowledge exchange, policy development and joint action towards a rapid global transition to renewable energy. REN21 promotes renewable energy to meet the needs of both industrialized and developing countries that are driven by climate change, energy security, development and poverty alleviation.

# REN21 was created at renewables2004



2004 Bonn	2005 Beijing	2008 Washington	2010 New Delhi	2013 Abu Dhabi	2015 Cape Town
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IRECs = International Renewable Energy Conference

Innovative and International dialogue of governments and stakeholders

Creating additional momentum for the advancement of renewable energy policies and technologies

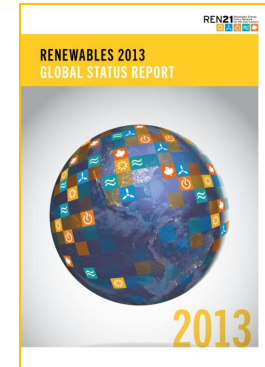
REN21 is a lead international partner of the host country and supports the host in planning and organising the IREC.

# REN21's objective: Support the rapid uptake of renewables worldwide



## ■ Providing high quality information on renewables

- Global Status Report,
- Regional Reports (MENA, ECOWAS....)
- Global Futures Report
- Renewables Interactive Map



## ■ Developing networks, expanding outreach efforts

- Contributors network
- Cooperation with other organisations to promote renewables



SUSTAINABLE  
ENERGY FOR ALL



IRENA

International Renewable Energy Agency

## ■ Catalysing discussion and debate

- REN21 Summer Academy 25-27 August 2014
- International Renewable Energy Conferences (IRECs): SAIREC 2015, South Africa
- Workshops and webinars

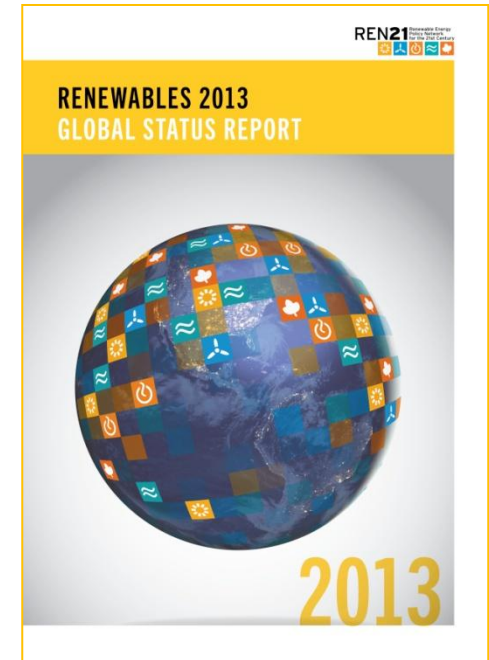


# Renewables Global Status Report

- Collaborative effort of a team of over 500 contributors, researchers and reviewers worldwide

The report features:

- Global Market Overview
- Industry Trends
- Policy Landscape
- Investment Trends
- Distributed Renewable Energy
- All renewable energy technologies
- Sectors: power, heating/cooling, transport
- Based on formal and informal data
- Feature in GSR2014:
  - *Tracking the Global Energy Transition: A Decade of Unprecedented Momentum for Renewables*



# Further information



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