

# EUROPEAN BIOGAS e-CONFERENCE 2020

## Green Gas for a Green Deal!

We go virtual...

- 4 thematic days
- From Tuesday 1st to Friday 4th September
- From 09:30 to 12:00

See you online!

## e-PROGRAMME



**TUESDAY 1st SEPTEMBER**

### GREEN GAS ACROSS BORDERS: NATIONAL PLANS FOR GLOBAL RESULTS

- **Moderator:** Harmen Dekker, Director of the EBA

#### 09:30 - 10:00 EBA welcome & keynote speeches

- Wolfgang d'Innocenzo, Energy Attache at EU Permanent Representation of Italy
- David Newman, President of the World Biogas Association: 'A global perspective'

#### 10:00 - 11:30 Next 'hot' markets for renewable gas *The national perspective*

- Francisco Repullo, President of AEBIG (Spain)
- Sylwia Koch-Kopyszko, President of UPEBI (Poland)
- Dirk Focroul, Product Manager at Fluxys (Belgium)
- Patrick Foody, Executive Vice-President of IOGEN (Canada)



**WEDNESDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER**

### BUILDING TODAY THE CIRCULAR ENERGY SYSTEMS OF TOMORROW

- **Moderator:** Philipp Lukas, EBA Board Member

#### 09:30 - 10:00 EBA welcome & keynote speeches

- Morten Helveg Petersen, MEP (Denmark) - Renew Europe Group: 'Getting the green transition right'
- Tommaso Bazzaro, Head of Sales IES Biogas 'Biogas from agricultural substrates, food by-products and organic waste: three European case histories towards carbon-neutrality'.

#### 10:00 - 12:00 Biogas: a game changer *Carbon-neutrality with renewable gas*

- Pharoah LeFeuvre, IEA Energy Analyst: 'Outlook for biogas and biomethane: Prospects for organic growth'
- Jerry Murphy, leader of IEA Task 37: 'Circular economy biogas systems'
- James Watson, Secretary General of Eurogas and chair of GasNaturally: 'Gas in the energy transition: what role for renewable and decarbonised gases'
- Dirk Hendricks, Secretary General of EREF
- Pekka Pesonen, Secretary General of Copa-Cogeca
- Vanya Veras, Secretary General Municipal Waste Europe: 'Anaerobic digestion as an organic waste management solution with return of organic matter to the soil and biogas as a fuel.'



## THURSDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER

### A GREEN EU TRANSITION WITH RENEWABLE GAS

- **Moderator:** Susanna Pflüger, Secretary General of the EBA

#### 09:30 - 10:00 EBA welcome & keynote speeches

- Nicolás González Casares, MEP (Spain) - S&D
- Jean-Marie Gauthey, GRDF 'Agricultural methanisation: What are the conditions for the sustainability of the sector?'

#### 10:00 - 11:00 From waste to fuel

*Sector integration across the EU Green Deal*

- Antonio Lopez-Nicolas, Deputy Head of the Renewable Energy Unit at DG Energy
- Andrea Vettori, Deputy Head of Land Use & Management Unit at DG Environment
- Alexandre Paquot, Head of Unit for Climate Strategy, Governance and Emissions from non-trading sectors at DG CLIMA
- Daan Peters, Representative Gas for Climate consortium: 'Gas decarbonisation pathways 2020-2050'

#### 11 :00 – 12 :00 Greening the European economy

*Applications of renewable gas*

- Paolo Basso, Policy Director EHI
- Ralf Wezel, Secretary General of EUGINE: 'Renewable & reliable – the future of gas power generation'
- Henrik Persson, Business Manager Commercial Trucks & Fleet Sales at VOLVO: 'Volvo LNG/LBG Truck – Our Most Sustainable Offer for Long Haul Operations'
- Representative of SSAB



## FRIDAY 4th SEPTEMBER

### SHAPING THE ENERGY SYSTEMS OF THE FUTURE

- **Moderator:** Rebecca Groen, Director Biofuels SHV Energy and VP Renewable Energy International DME Association

#### 09:30 - 10:00 EBA welcome & keynote speeches

- Representative of EVONIK
- Dennis Korthout, Commercial Director at BIOTHANE

#### 10:00 - 12:00 Renewable gas: the way forward

*Untapping the full potential of renewable gas*

- Jonas Svendsen, Head of Trading and Business Development at Nature Energy
- Johan Grön, Vice-President for Biogas at Gasum 'Towards fossilfree fuels with biomethane and an integrated gas infrastructure'
- Zoltan Elek, Managing Director at Landwaerme: 'A vision for biomethane trading in Europe'
- Marta Kamola-Martines, Gas Director, Global Industry Hub, ENGIE 'Contribution of bio-CNG and bio-LNG to the European 2030 targets'
- Representative of IVECO