



EUBIONET III workshop in Finland

It is our pleasure to invite you to participate in the EUBIONET III workshops to be held in Espoo, Finland, on 14 April, 2011.

The language of the Workshop is English. The workshop is free of charge. Maximum number of participants is 100. Videoconference will be organised to Jyväskylä and other VTT's facilities in Finland.

Biomass trade – focus on solid biofuels

Thursday, 14 April 2011

VTT, Vuorimiehentie 5, Espoo, Finland

The workshop will present the achieved results of the ongoing EUBIONET III project on biomass trade and utilisation. European level solid biomass stakeholders and authorities will participate also as speakers. Topics will range from biomass trade to logistics, from sustainability to biomass production, standards and price indexes. Special focus will be on wood chips and trading of solid biofuels in the Baltic Sea Region.

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Registrations before 7 April through internet:

<https://www.webropol.com/P.aspx?id=527135&cid=13026549>

VTT's location: See attached map in which VTT's auditorium is marked by number 14.

Accommodation

Accommodation is organised in Radisson Blu Hotel, Otaranta 2, 02150 Espoo. Single room is 90€/night and double room 110 €/night. The rates include breakfast, VAT and guest sauna. Reservations: reservations.finland@RadissonBlu.com. Please quote the allotment code EUBIONET when making a booking. The allotment is in force until 30 March 2011.



See programme overleaf!

Programme - Biomass trade – focus on solid biofuels - workshop
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<i>Biomass trade in Baltic sea region – Chair Juha Poikola, PVO</i>	
8.30	<i>Registration</i>
9.00	<i>Opening of the workshop – Bioenergy in Finnish energy system Petteri Kuuva, Ministry of Employment and the Economy, Finland</i>
	<i>Trading of wood chips in the Baltic Sea Region Björn Vikinge, Ekman & Co. AB, Sweden</i>
	<i>Energy wood resources and trade of wood chips from Russia Yuri Gerasimov, Finnish Forest Research Institute</i>
	<i>Coffee break</i>
<i>Price indexes and trade flows – Chair Eija Alakangas, EUBIONET III, VTT</i>	
10.30	<i>EUBIONET III results of price collection and price mechanisms Johan Vinterbäck, SLU, Sweden</i>
	<i>Price indexes for industrial wood pellets and wood chips Matti Sihvonon, Foex Indexes</i>
	<i>International trade of wood pellets – prices, trade flows and future trends Martin Junginger, Utrecht University, the Netherlands</i>
	<i>Wood pellet production and markets in Baltic sea region Martti Savolainen, Vapo Oy</i>
12.10	<i>Lunch break</i>
<i>Standards – Martin Junginger, IEA Bioenergy Task 40</i>	
13.20	<i>EUBIONET III survey for industrial wood pellets standard Eija Alakangas, VTT, coordinator of EUBIONET III project</i>
	<i>Fuel specifications of industrial wood pellets Yves Ryckmans, Laborelec, Belgium</i>
	<i>ENplus wood pellet certification Jean-Marc Jossart, AEBIOM/European Pellet Council</i>
14.20	<i>Coffee break</i>
<i>Sustainability of solid biomass – Jean-Marc Jossart, AEBIOM</i>	
14.40	<i>Sustainability issues for solid and gaseous biomass Luc Pelkmans, VITO, Belgium</i>
	<i>Dimensions of sustainability in forest biomass supply Antti Asikainen, Finnish Forest Research Institute, Finland</i>
	<i>Summary of EUBIONET III case studies and manufacturers of biomass heating and cooling – fuel switch from fossil to biomass Josef Rathbauer, FJ-BLT, Austria</i>
16.30	<i>Summary of the workshop – Jean-Marc Jossart, AEBIOM</i>
	<i>Evening programme</i>

See latest version of the programme on the EUBIONET III web at
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