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**“ENERGY AND MANAGING AUTHORITIES” – EMA NETWORK  
FIRST MEETING OF THE EUROPEAN NETWORK OF ENERGY AUTHORITIES  
AND MANAGING AUTHORITIES OF THE COHESION POLICY 2014-2020**

**Charlemagne Building, 170 Rue de la Loi, 1040 Brussels  
Room Sicco Mansholt (MANS)**

**AGENDA**

***Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2015***

14.00 - 14.30 *Registration & Coffee*

14.30 - 15.00 Welcome opening and keynote speech by **Dominique Ristori and Walter Deffaa**

<b>SESSION 1: Energy and Cohesion Policy – EMA Network</b>
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***Chaired by Colin Wolfe, DG REGIO***

15.00 - 15.30 EU Energy investments for the European Energy Union - **Tudor Constantinescu DG ENER**

15.30 - 16.00 EU Cohesion Policy-from planning to implementation - **Charlina Vitcheva DG REGIO**

16.00 - 16.30 EMA Network – Presentation and organisation - **Maud Skäringer DG REGIO**

16.30 - 17.00 Q&A

17.00 - 18.00 *Networking Cocktail*

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2015**

**SESSION 2: New approaches in implementing EU funding**

**Chaired by Stefaan Vergote, DG ENER**

08.30 - 09.00 *Registration and coffee*

09.00 - 09.20 Major Projects in Cohesion Policy - **Camelia Kovács DG REGIO**

09.20 - 09.40 Horizon 2020 opportunities and synergies with Cohesion Policy - **Andreea Strachinescu DG ENER and Gergana Miladinova DG REGIO**

09.40 - 09.50 Support for programme and project development: JASPERS and ELENA - **Ralf Goldmann, EIB**

09.50 - 10.10 Financial Instruments- General Overview and FI-Compass, the new platform for advisory services - **Robert Pernetta, DG REGIO**

10.10-10.30 Financial Instruments: Ex-Ante assessment and first lessons learned - **Ruta Dapkute-Stankeviciene, Ministry of Finance, the EU Structural Funds management department, LT**

10.30-10.40 Investment Plan for Europe: European Fund for Strategic Investments - **Peter Schulze, DG ECFIN**

10.40 - 11.00 *Coffee break*

11.00 - 12.00 Options to scale up FI for the energy sector (presentation followed by a discussion) - **Peter Coveliers and Manuel Dueñas, EIB; Milosz Momot, DG ENER; Robert Pernetta, DG REGIO**

**SESSION 3: Energy renovation of Buildings in Cohesion Policy**

**Introduced and Chaired by Paul Hodson, DG ENER**

12.00 - 13.00 Financing the energy renovation of buildings with Cohesion Policy funding 2014-2020

- 12.00-12.10 EU policies on buildings and energy use (incl. heating) - **Paul Hodson, DG ENER**
- 12.10 – 12.30 Addressing the drivers for energy efficiency investments in buildings – EEFIG Report – **Peter Sweatman, Energy Efficiency Financial Institutions Group (EEFIG) Rapporteur**
- 12.30-12.50 Developing and implementing measures for sustainable energy investments in buildings - **Timothee Noel and Roman Doubrava, DG ENER**
- 12.50-13.00 Activities of the EPBD Concerted Action core theme “Effectiveness of support initiatives” - **Kevin O’Rourke, Marchena Management Services, IE**

13.00 - 14.15 *Lunch*

14.15 - 15.40 Examples and sharing of good practices of Cohesion Policy sustainable energy investments in buildings from the 2007-2013 period

**Chaired by Marie Donnelly, DG ENER**

- Jessica - **Ruta Dapkute-Stankeviciene, Ministry of Finance, the EU Structural Funds management department, LT**
- London Green Fund - **Kenroy Quellennec-Reid, Greater London Authority, UK**
- Polish Fund for Environmental Protection – **Marcin Jamiołkowski, National Fund for Environmental Protection and Water Management, PL**
- Energy efficiency investments in residential buildings under the Romanian Regional OP 2007-2013 - **Ionut Trinca, Ministry of Regional Development, RO**
- Social housing in France - **Justine Bonenfant, Ministry of Ecology, sustainable development and energy** and **Laurent Ghekiere, l'Union Sociale pour l'Habitat (USH)**

15.40-16.00 *Coffee break*

<b>SESSION 4: EMA future activities and potential areas for working groups</b>
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**Co-Chaired by REGIO & ENER (Colin Wolfe & Tudor Constantinescu)**

16.00 - 17.00 Round table discussion on EMA working arrangements, future activities and potential areas for working groups

17.00 Conclusions and end of the meeting - **Tudor Constantinescu DG ENER**