

ETIPWind public workshop 17 October, 9:30-15:30

Comet Louise, Brussels + Online

Help us define long-term R&I priorities and implement them in the most efficient way

Objective

The objective of this workshop is to consult wind energy R&I experts to define and discuss how to implement long-term research and innovation priorities for the wind energy sector. The discussion will build on the already established ETIPWind Strategic Research and Innovation Agenda (SRIA) 2025-2027 and the EERA's long-term research programme. The workshop will focus on how to safeguard and enhance the EU's technological leadership in wind energy and ensure that identified R&I priorities are effectively addressed at the EU and at the national levels. Participants will identify strategies for effective implementation of the R&I agenda and discuss with the European Commission on how to improve the current EU funding framework for wind energy.

Format

The workshop will be a mix of thematic presentations and interactive discussions, facilitated by questions to the audience and the online tool Slido to gather input from online participants.

Expected Outcomes

- Validation and potential refinement of the long-term R&I topics identified by the wind R&I community
- Strategic insights on how to effectively address and implement these R&I priorities at the EU and national levels
- An action plan on the next steps for safeguarding EU leadership in wind energy thanks to R&I, including recommendations for policy, R&I funding, and industry-academia collaboration.



AGENDA

9:30-10:00	Registrations and welcome coffee	
10:00-10:15	Introduction and scope of the workshop	Stephan Barth , ETIPWind Vice-Chair
10:15-10:30	Keynote speech from the European Commission	Jacek Truszczynski, Deputy Head of Unit, DG GROW, European Commission
10:30-11:00	EERA's long-term research programme and ETIPWind Strategic R&I Agenda	ETIPWind and EERA JP wind Secretariats
11:00-11:45	Definition of the long-term R&I priorities for the wind energy sector Inc. interactive session on Slido	Moderated by ETIPWind Secretariat and Stephan Barth, ETIPWind Vice-Chair
11:45-12:00	Coffee break	
12:00-13:30	Strategies for effective implementation of R&I priorities 3 rounds of discussion on: Stakehoders involved and their role Tools and actions needed Challenges faced for collaboration	Moderated by ETIPWind Secretariat and Stephan Barth, ETIPWind Vice-Chair
	Inc. interactive session on Slido	
13:30-14:30	Networking lunch	
14:30-15:20	How to optimise EU support for wind R&I 3 presentations from the European Commission focusing on: • the Horizon Europe programme • the Innovation Fund • the Net Zero Industry Act	Davide Amato, Head of Unit DG RTD, European Commission (tbc) Joao Serrano Gomes, Policy Officer, DG CLIMA, European Commission
	Inc. Interactive session on Slido	Andrea Hercsuth, Policy Officer, DG ENER, European Commission
15:20-15:30	Outcomes of the workshop and next steps	ETIPWind Secretariat
15:30	Closing remarks	Stephan Barth, ETIPWind Vice-Chair