



Conference Programme

Energy Security and Citizens

Time: 19 October, at 09.00–12.00 (GMT)

Place: Hilton Reykjavik Nordica, 2 Suðurlandsbraut 108 Reykjavík Iceland

09.00

Welcome and opening

- Gudlaugur Thór Thórdarson, Minister for the Environment, Energy and Climate, Iceland

09.15

Setting the scene

- Karen Ellemann, Secretary General, Nordic Council of Ministers

Session I: Energy Security

Moderator: Halla Hrund Logadóttir, Director-General, The National Energy Authority, Iceland, & Co-founder of the Arctic Initiative at Harvard Kennedy School

09.20

The World Energy Trilemma Index and Humanizing Energy

- Masha Lukyanchuk, Senior Regional Manager for Europe, World Energy Council

09.30

[The Nordic Energy Trilemma – Security of Supply, Prices and the Just Transition](#)

- Klaus Skytte, CEO, Nordic Energy Research

09.40

Energy in geopolitical security of supply perspectives

- Izabela Surwillo, Senior Researcher, Danish Institute for International Studies – DIIS

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Moderated debate: Where and how can we best gain from Nordic collaboration?

- Gudlaugur Thór Thórdarson, Minister for the Environment, Energy and Climate, Iceland
- Karen Ellemann, Secretary General, Nordic Council of Ministers

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Coffee break

Session II: Citizens' Engagement

Moderator: Daria Shapovalova, Director of the Aberdeen University Centre for Energy Law and coordinator of the University's Just Transitions Lab

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Understanding citizens' opposition

- Dag Inge Fjeld, Assistant Professor, Kristiania University College, School of Communication, Leadership and Marketing

11.00

Citizen involvement in renewable energy

- Kristian Borch, Senior Researcher, Aalborg University and Ruralis, Institute for Rural and Regional Research, Trondheim University

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Policy tools for acceptance of onshore wind and solar

- Claus Meineche, Head of division, Danish Energy Agency

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Moderated debate: How can we safeguard and develop our Nordic tradition for democracy and active user participation?

- Gillian Martin, Minister for Energy and the Environment, Scottish Government
- Kalistat Lund, Minister for Energy, Greenland
- Kjell-Arne Ottosson, Chairman of the Committee for Growth and Development in the Nordic Region, the Nordic Council

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Closing of the conference

