

From Pipes to Platforms

New DSO Business Models

Thursday 24 January 2019
Hotel Bloom – Brussels

8.30–9.00 Registration

9.00–9.15 **Welcome & Opening**

Welcome Address

Kristian RUBY ([read more](#))
Secretary General of Eurelectric

9.15–10.45

Session I: Future Role of the DSO – Views from the Leadership

High level discussion on the changing role of network companies and the evolution of the network in itself. What is the pace for change, what are the strategic orientations to be taken by the DSOs and when? This session will streamline the views from regulatory, operational and customers' perspectives.

Moderated by: Marion LABATUT, Director Policy Issues, Eurelectric ([read more](#))

9.15–9.45

Presentation of the Joint EY–Eurelectric Report of Future DSO Business

Serge COLLE ([read more](#))
EY Global Power & Utilities Advisory Leader

9.45–10.45

PANEL DEBATE including above speaker

Joao TORRES ([read more](#))
CEO of EDP Distribution

Viviana VITTO ([read more](#))
Head of Market Studies and Strategic Analysis
Global Infrastructure & Networks business line
Enel Group

Nathan MACWHINNIE ([read more](#))
Head of Flexibility and Whole Systems
Ofgem

Knud PEDERSEN ([read more](#))
Chair of Eurelectric Distribution & Market Facilitation
Committee
VP of Ørsted, Chairman of the Board for Radius

10.45–11.15 Coffee Break

11.15–12.15

Session II: What do Customers expect from Network Value

Sustainability of DSO activities depend on how they support customers in their choices. This session provides an overview of how the network needs to change to accommodate the new players in the system, understand their expectations and create new value streams.

Debate between DSOs & Customers moderated by:

Carolina VEREDA, Chair of Eurelectric WG New Business Models ([read more](#))

Knud PEDERSEN ([read more](#))
Chair of Eurelectric Distribution & Market
Facilitation Committee
VP of Ørsted, Chairman of the Board for Radius

Erik LANDECK ([read more](#))
Vice Chair of Eurelectric Distribution & Market
Facilitation Committee
Managing Director Stromnetz Berlin GmbH

Monica IMMOVILI ([read more](#))
Vice-Chair of Eurelectric Customers & Retail Services
Committee
Head of Retail Energy Market Regulation, Edison

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Elias PÖYRY ([read more](#))
Chair of Eurelectric WG E-mobility
CBO & Deputy CEO Virta Ltd

Josh ROBERTS ([read more](#))
Advocacy Officer, ResCoop.eu

Katrin SCHWEREN ([read more](#))
Head of Regulatory and Public Affairs
tiko Energy Solutions

12.15–13.15 Lunch Break

Session III: New DSO Business Models in a Regulated Environment

13.15–13.45

This session will provide a deeper dive into the role of the DSO as neutral market facilitators and how they get ready for the future (operationally, technically). Cases studies will streamline the new pools of value and segmented approaches adopted towards integrating DERs, EVs, and prosumers. Challenges and lessons learned to ensure success in the future will be explored.

13.15–13.30

Vision Study 1: Alliander in transition

Mascha van VUUREN ([read more](#))

Director Customer and Markets
Alliander

13.30–13.45

Vision Study 2: DSO 2.0: Two smart examples bringing visions to national and European reality

Markus MERKEL ([read more](#))

Senior Advisor to the Board of Management
EWE NETZ GmbH

13.45–14.45

Concluding Panel Discussion: Can Regulators Cope with the Changing Landscape

This Session will conclude on the new roles and provide the roadmap needed to achieve this transformation. What ways of cooperation with tech, regulators, and stakeholders could be crafted? What priorities should be addressed by regulators?

Moderated by: Kristian RUBY, Secretary General of Eurelectric ([read more](#))

Annika VIKLUND ([read more](#))

Senior Vice President
Vattenfall Distribution

Susanne FABRY ([read more](#))

Head of Steering Energy Networks Germany
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Veli-Pekka SAAJO ([read more](#))

Deputy Director General at Energy Authority Finland
Vice-Chair CEER Distribution Systems Working Group

Anna COLUCCI ([read more](#))

Head of the Retail Markets, Coal and Oil Unit
DG ENER, European Commission

Q&A

14.45

Concluding Remarks

Kristian RUBY ([read more](#))

Secretary General of Eurelectric

End of Conference

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