

ENABLING A CLIMATE-NEUTRAL EUROPE

Tuesday 13 February 2024

18h00 Cocktail – 18h30 Roundtable – 19h30 Dinner & Debate
Salons 3&4, Spinelli Building, European Parliament

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18h30 **PARLIAMENTARY HOST**

- Andreas SCHWAB MEP, Internal Market & Consumer Protection Committee

18h35 **EUROPEAN COMMISSION KEYNOTE SPEECH**

- Kurt Vandenberghe, EUROPEAN COMMISSION, DG CLIMATE ACTION, Director General

18h55 Q&A with the Director General

19h10 **PARLIAMENTARY RAPPORTEUR**

- Christian EHLER MEP, (EPP, Germany) Rapporteur on Net Zero Industry Act - Industry, Research & Energy Committee

19h20 **KEY PRIORITIES**

- Paolo Falcioni, APPLiA, Director General

19h30 **DINNER** & informal discussion

20h00 **DEBATE 1: BUILDING A EUROPEAN NET-ZERO**

- Martin Dieryckx, DAIKIN EUROPE, General Manager, ERC - Environment Research Center
- Davide Sabbadin, EUROPEAN ENVIRONMENTAL BUREAU, Deputy Policy Manager Climate & Energy
- Sandro Starita, EUROPEAN ALUMINIUM, Director Sustainability
- Oliver Blank, ZVEI, Germany's Electro & Digital Industry, Head of Global Affairs & Economics
- Phil Cole, WINDEUROPE, Director of Industrial Affairs
- Laure Duliere, ORGALIM -Europe's Technology Industries, Senior Adviser Climate, Energy & Innovation
- René Schroeder, EUROBAT, Executive Director
- Adèle Naudy Chambaud, SIEMENS, Senior Director Sustainability – EU Government Affairs
- Bert D'Hooghe, VOLVO Group, Adviser EU Public Affairs
- Hélène Lavray, DOW, Government Affairs Leader Europe, Climate & Energy
- Nils Poel, CLEPA – European Association of Automotive Suppliers, Head Market Affairs

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21h00 Coffee & mignardises

21h05 **DEBATE 2: UNLOCKING DECARBONISATION INVESTMENTS: FROM BUSINESSES TO CONSUMERS**

- Olivier Benoist, SAMSUNG, ESG Director
- Dimitri Vergne, BEUC– European Consumer Organisation, Sustainability & Energy Team Leader
- Giuseppe Lorubio, ARISTON, Director, Public & Regulatory Affairs
- Christophe CLERGEAU MEP, Environment, Public Health & Food Safety Committee
- Michael Villa, SmartEN, Director General
- Juan Ignacio Conrat, BSH HOME APPLIANCES, Director Technical Market Access
- Tomislav SOKOL MEP, Vice Chair Internal Market & Consumer Protection Committee
- Federico MagalinI, DSS+, Director Electronics & Tech Industry

21h45 **CLOSING REMARKS**

- Antony FELL, EUROPEAN FORUM FOR MANUFACTURING, Secretary General