



Developing Onshore Wind Farms Summit

LILLE, FRANCE
20 – 21 NOVEMBER 2019

*Positioning onshore wind as a key
component of the European energy system.*

Key Topics

- Market Overview & Forecast for European Wind Farm Developments
- Discussing Opportunities for Investment in Subsidy-Free Wind Farm Projects
- Discussing Viable Routes to Market amidst Regulatory Uncertainty
- Ensuring Long-Term Profitability and Sustainability of New Potential Sites
- Facilitating Collaboration between End User & Developer to Increase Wind Energy Integration on the Grid
- Evaluating the Potential Benefits of Energy Storage for Wind Farm Developers
- Improving the Lifespan and Production Capacities of Existing Wind Farms
- Analysing the Feasibility of Developing Wind Farms within Local Communities
- Is Onshore Still Considered an Eyesore? Capitalising on the Shift in Public Opinion
- Streamlining Consent & Planning Systems to Encourage Market Growth

The Conference

ACI's Developing Onshore Wind Farms Summit will be taking place in Lille, France on 20-21 November 2019. The two day event will bring together key stakeholders from the wind farm industry, energy producers, developers, solution and technology providers, manufacturers, principal associations and consultants.



With wind energy being one of the world's fastest growing renewable power sources it is essential to stay updated. Join us in Lille to network with key industry players, discuss the current state of affairs, potential routes to market and the latest technological & strategic innovations.

Confirmed Topics for Discussion

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Who will be attending?

This conference invites experts and senior executives across the whole wind farm development value chain interested in meeting potential partners, creating business opportunities and gaining knowledge on the latest advancements to aid growth in markets.

Representatives from energy companies/utilities, onshore wind farm owners & operators, wind project developers, integrators and installers, technology developers & manufacturers, TSO's, maintenance & operation managers, energy analysts, financial stakeholders & investors, government officials & regulators and others will come to discuss perspectives & market opportunities for wind farm developments.

Registration is simple:

If you would like to register for this event or wish to find out more information, please contact **Angeliki Oikonomou** using either of the following methods:

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Speaking Opportunities:

If you would like to be considered for a speaking opportunity at the event, with a 20-30 minute presentation, please submit an abstract to **Rob Cheeseman**:

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Commercial & Sponsorship Opportunities

With leading companies and organizations from the industry attending and speaking at our event, we have the perfect vehicle to provide outstanding exposure to a senior level audience.

There are various sponsorship packages available, including sponsorship of a drinks reception on the first evening of the event and sponsorship of a networking lunch.

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DAY 1

Wednesday 20th November 2019

08:00 **REGISTRATION & COFFEE**

09:00 **CHAIR'S OPENING REMARKS**

09:15 **CONFERENCE PRESENTATION**
Market Overview & Forecast for European Wind Farm Developments

- Projections for the wind farms market across Europe over the coming years
- Examining the current state of play and how to boost the market

10:00 **CONFERENCE PRESENTATION**
Discussing Opportunities for Investment in Subsidy-Free Wind Farm Projects

- Adapting to the transition to subsidy-free to continue developing projects
- Assessing the financial viability and long-term implications

Ranjan Moulik
Managing Director - Head of Financing
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10:45 **MORNING REFRESHMENTS**

11:15 **SESSION ONE**
Discussing Viable Routes to Market amidst Regulatory Uncertainty

- Opportunities to innovate within the transition to non-supported projects
- Sidestepping the current lack of government support for developers
- Assessing the current state of investment for financially independent development
- The feasibility of power to X business models and how they can be financed

13:05 **LUNCH**

14:05

SESSION TWO

Ensuring Long-Term Profitability and Sustainability of New Potential Sites

- Examining the importance of accurate feasibility studies to assess wind resources
- Exploring technology developments for extending turbine life beyond 20 years

Baris Adiloglu
Technical Manager
3E

Luis Ferreira
Wind Consultant
3E

15:20

AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS

15:50

PANEL DISCUSSION

Facilitating Collaboration between End User & Developer to Increase Wind Energy Integration on the Grid

- Connecting wind farm developers with electricity companies seeking green energy
- Establishing a coalition to allow for greater production capacities
- Accelerating the relationship between key industry drivers

16:50

CONFERENCE PRESENTATION

Evaluating the Potential Benefits of Energy Storage for Wind Farm Developers

- Assessing the economic viability of integrating energy storage infrastructure onsite
- Overcoming the intermittent nature of wind power and ensuring functionality with the grid

17:35

CLOSE OF DAY ONE

DAY 2

Thursday 21st November 2019

08:30 **REGISTRATION & COFFEE**

09:00 **CHAIR'S OPENING REMARKS**

09:05 **SESSION THREE**

Improving the Lifespan and Production Capacities of Existing Wind Farms

- Discussing the repowering of existing farms as a viable alternative to developing new sites
- Considering the technical & regulatory implications of replacing older turbines with larger turbines
- Optimising operational efficiency to reduce cost

Jenny Hazzard
Director
ITP Energised

10:55 **MORNING REFRESHMENTS**

11:25 **SESSION FOUR**

Analysing the Feasibility of Developing Wind Farms within Local Communities

- Evaluating the economic viability of community ownership
- Assessing the grid infrastructure necessary to allow for site developments in rural areas
- How localised developments facilitate broader community engagement
- Taking advantage of current public interest in renewable energy

12:40 **PANEL DISCUSSION**

Is Onshore Still Considered an Eyesore? Capitalising on the Shift in Public Opinion

- How the increased social interest in renewable energy could be a driver for lobbying governments
- Evaluating the potential for community owned projects to shift the market

13:25 **LUNCH**

14:25

SESSION FIVE

Streamlining Consent & Planning Systems to Encourage Market Growth

- Considering the approval of taller towers & bigger rotors to increase production capacities
- Optimising process efficiency to overcome the current downturn in new developments

Speaker TBC
Senior Representative
Aquaterra

15:40

CHAIR'S CLOSING REMARKS

15:50

END OF CONFERENCE & AFTERNOON REFRESHMENTS

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Conference (Includes Documentation Packet)
20-21 November 2019

£1,695
(ex. Vat)

Documentation Packet Only

£470

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