

ENERGY COMMUNITY TALKS – EUROPEAN EXPERIENCES AND INITIATIVES IN SERBIA

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Žorža Klemansoa 19, 2nd floor, Room M1, Belgrade

EVENT PROGRAM

10:00 – 10:20 Registration of participants

10:20 – 10:30 Welcome remarks by the organizers

10:30 – 11:15 Presentation: Legal and Technical Framework for Energy Communities in Europe– Josh Roberts, Senior Policy Advisor, European Federation of Citizen Energy Cooperatives (REScoop)

- Introduction to energy communities
- Legal and technical framework for energy communities in Europe
- Examples of successful and unsuccessful practices from Europe

11:15 – 11:30 Discussion – Questions and answers

11:30 – 12:00 Coffee break

12:00 – 12:45 Panel discussion: Legal and technical framework for integrating energy communities into the energy market of the Republic of Serbia – challenges, overcoming them, and proposed solutions

- Dejan Kocić, Ministry of Mining and Energy of the Republic of Serbia
- Dušan Vukotić, Electricity Distribution of Serbia (EDS)
- Dunja Grujić, Serbian Energy Law Association
- Miloš Kuzman, Serbian Energy Law Association

Moderator: Aleksandar Kovačević, Serbian Energy Law Association

12:45 – 13:00 Discussion – Questions and answers

13:00 – 14:00 Continuation of panel discussion: Initiatives for establishing energy communities in the Republic of Serbia – challenges and the way forward

- Ana Džokić, Energy Cooperative Elektropionir
- Ivana Jovčić, Environment Improvement Center
- Marko Nedeljković, Platform for Energy Transition



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- Ilija Batas Bjelić, Energy Cooperative Sunčani krovovi (“Sunny Roofs”)
 - Bora Obradović, Regional Development Agency Srem – City of Sremska Mitrovica
- Moderator:* Vladan Ščekić, Environment Improvement Center
- 14:00 – 14:30 Final discussion: Concluding reflections and next steps**
- **14:30 – 15:30 Cocktail reception**