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Agenda

Workshop on increasing public acceptance of wind energy projects in Japan and Germany

Japanese-German Energy Partnership

22.05.2023, 09:00 – 14:00 h (JST)

Venue: Roppongi Academyhills, Tower Hall
Roppongi Hills Mori Tower 49F,
6-10-1 Roppongi, Minato-ku, Tokyo 106-6149
Language: English – Japanese (Simultaneous translation)
Fee, Capacity: Free of charge, 40 participants
Moderation: Heiwa Hasegawa, Japanese-German Energy Partnership

Registration

Time (JST)

09:00 – 09:10 **Welcome and Opening Remarks**
Marcus Schürmann, Chief Executive Officer and Delegate of German Industry and Commerce in Japan

Jana Narita, Senior Manager, Japanese-German Energy Partnership Team, adelphi

09:10 – 09:20 **Developments in German Wind Energy Policy**
Anton Hufnagl, Deputy Head of Division, General issues of bilateral climate and energy cooperation, BMWK

09:20 – 09:30 **Developments in Japanese Wind Energy Policy**
N.N., METI (tbc)

09:30 – 09:40 **Q&A**

09:40 – 10:00 **Public acceptance for wind energy projects in Germany: Challenges, lessons learned and possible solutions**

Irina Rau, Researcher, IZES Institute

10:00 – 10:10 **Challenges with and possible solutions for public acceptance of wind energy projects in Japan**

Memi Motosu, Ph.D., Associate Professor, University Nagoya

10:10 – 10:20 **The Perspective of Japanese Prefectures**

Aomori Prefecture Representative (tbc)

10:20 – 10:30 **Q&A**

10:30 – 10:50 **Coffee Break**

10:50 – 11:35 **Panel Discussion: Insights in the implementation of wind projects**

Moderator: Kaoru Saito, Japanese Wind Industry Association

Panelists

- 2 German wind energy industry representatives (tba)
- Yuji Mitsutake, CO-CEO, Port & Harbor Bureau, Kitakyushu City
- Togo Uchida, Executive Director, ICLEI Japan

11:35 – 11:50 **Best practices from citizens' participation in Germany**

Wiebke Heider, Moderator and mediator, Energiewende Mediation.

11:50 – 11:55 **Q&A**

11:55 – 12:45 **Discussion on increasing acceptance of wind energy projects**

(In three groups with consecutive Interpretation)

- Financial participation
- Public participation & moderation of conflicts
- Improving public sentiments towards a zero-carbon energy system

12:50 – 12:55 **Presentation of results**

12:55 – 13:00 Closing Remarks by the moderator

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch and Networking