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PITER International Seminar

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Role of regions in implementing
European Energy R&D strategies



Seventh Framework Programme for research and technological development,
Capacities programme, Regions of knowledge.



Context

PITER is a Franco-Italian cooperative project of the FP7 "Regions of knowledge" programme, implemented by 5 partners: 2 regional authorities (Région Rhône-Alpes and Regione Piemonte), 2 clusters (Tenerrdis and Environment Park) and a project management consultancy (Alma Consulting Group).

The Objective of this project is to promote renewable energies through joint actions in R&D, and common political and economical strategies.

Event

This seminar will raise the international visibility of the PITER project and disseminate the actions in progress.

At the event, updates on new European ambitions and regional driven actions will be given, and it will provide a suitable occasion for identifying opportunities to launch new initiatives in the energy sector.

Place

Alps-Mediterranean Euroregion Head Office
62 rue du Trône – Brussels



Programme

9:30-10:00 **Registration** and welcome coffee

10:00-10:20 **Opening** by *Olivier Brunet, DG RTD - Regions of knowledge*

10:20-10:40 **PITER project and actions in progress**, *Laurence Minne - Région Rhône-Alpes*
Massimo Da Via - Environment Park

New European orientations in the field of Renewable Energies

10:40-11:00 **Strategic Energy Technology Plan update**, *Dr Stefan Tostmann - DG TREN*

11:00-11:20 **Renewable Energies directive**, *Lucie Tesnière - EREC*

11:20-11:40 **Public private partnerships : Energy efficient Buildings PPP**
Christophe Lesniak - DG RTD

11:40-12:00 **Hydrogen & Fuel Cells Joint Technology Initiative**,
Philippe Vannson - DG RTD

12:00-12:30 **Discussion with the audience**

12:30-14:00 **Lunch**

Regional actions supporting Hydrogen sector

14:00-14:20 **Presentation of HyRaMP activities**, *Marieke Reijalt - HyRaMP Association*

14:20-16:30 **Round table : Regional strategies on Hydrogen & Fuel Cells**

- ✓ Strategy deployment in Piedmont, *Mauro Bertolino - Regione Piemonte*
- ✓ Strategy development in Rhône-Alpes, *Jean-Christophe Lanoix - Hincio*
- ✓ Example of Region Flanders - South Netherlands,
Adwin Martens - Flanders Waterstofnet

16:30 **End of the meeting – Coffee**

Consortium



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