

First results conference
**Towards a Meshed Grid:
Offshore Wind Energy and Interconnectors
in the Baltic Sea Region**

Venue: Tallink Hotel Riga, 24 Elizabetes Street, Riga

May 16th | 09:00 - 17:00

- 09:00 Registration & Coffee*
- 09:30 **Welcome & Opening by Andris Jaunsleinis** | Chairman of Latvian Association of Local and Regional Governments
- 09:45 **Dr. Olga Bogdanova** | Director of Energy Market and Infrastructure Department | Ministry of Economics of the Republic of Latvia | Coordinator of the Policy Area Energy of the EU Strategy for the Baltic Sea Region
- 10:20 **Kristaps Stepanovs** | Latvian Wind Energy Association
- 11:00 **River Tomera** | Elering A S
- 11:40 **Lasse Sundahl** | Project Manager | Group Regulatory Affairs | DONG Energy
- 12.20 Lunch break*
- 13:20 **White Paper on “North Sea Meshed Grids”**
NN | Industrial Energy Strategy and Implementation | Ecofys
- 14:00 **Insights into Baltic InteGrid and Baltic Offshore Grid Forum**
Anika Nicolaas Ponder | Project Manager | Institute for Climate Protection, Energy and Mobility
- 14:15 **Flashlights from the project and project partners**
- Policy & Regulation
 - Environment & Society
 - (Prefeasibility) case studies
- 15:30 Coffee break*
- 16:00 **Interactive discussion**
- 17:00 End of the conference

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