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PARTNER WORKING SESSION

The ACCESS Coalition and partners invite you to a Working Session on
'Last Mile First: Maximizing the impacts of energy access across the SDGs'

DATE and TIME:

2nd May, 2018; 4.00pm - 5.30 pm

VENUE:

'Rossio' meeting space, Convento de Beato, Lisbon

SESSION OVERVIEW

This session explores market activation and the provision of energy services beyond the household level for productive and community uses to enable resilient and inclusive local development. It will consider different approaches used by governments, CSOs and businesses to plan and deliver last-mile energy solutions in different contexts, aiming to identify best practices. It will highlight the key opportunities as well as the challenges for scaling-up last mile energy service delivery, particularly for higher levels of power.

Using evidence from concrete projects and approaches, the session will aim to identify the key challenges and success factors in planning and delivering energy solutions for critical community development needs (such as healthcare and education) and for livelihood activities, particularly for last mile, remote and vulnerable communities.

The session will begin with an overview from the World Bank's Global Energy Lead on the findings of recent research on current levels of energy access, followed by an interactive discussion structured around key questions for panellists, discussants and the audience. Audience members will be encouraged to share further relevant examples of successes and failures

SPEAKERS:

Chair: Dr. Davida Wood, Lead, Energy Access and Governance, World Resources Institute (WRI).

Speakers:

- Mr. Eng. Isaac N. Kiva, Director of Renewable Energy, Ministry of Energy and Petroleum, Government of Kenya
- Dr. Rianne Teule, Senior Energy Officer, Renewable Energy, SNV
- Dr. Sarah Wykes, Lead Analyst, Climate Change and Energy, CAFOD
- Ms. Carmen Dienst, Project Co-ordinator, WISIONS

Discussants:

- Mr. Andrew Scott, Senior Research Fellow, ODI
- Ms. Katrina Pielli, Power Africa Senior Energy Advisor and Lead for *Beyond the Grid*, USAID
- Mr. Luc Severic, Manager, Energy Access, United Nations Foundation
- Mr. Ben Garside, Senior researcher, Shaping Sustainable Markets, IIED
- Mr. Julien Jacquot, Director, GERES Expertise

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