



INVITATION: 29 May 2010



## HOW CAN MODERN ENERGY FOR DEVELOPING COUNTRIES BE FINANCED?

On Saturday 29 May 2010 the bi-annual YES-DC Debate on Energy and Development will be held in Utrecht. The general topic of the day is: **How can modern energy for developing countries be financed?** 





The focus will be on how to support the introduction of modern energy services in developing countries as a part of international climate change activities. Between the Copenhagen and the Mexico conferences on climate change, it is a good moment for energy professionals to obtain an overview of what is happening, which opportunities are arising, and what innovative approaches are emerging.

The day will highlight both the commercial side of the current developments as well the point of view from the actual project developers. The presentations from the international speakers will be a good basis for further discussions and debating. The possibility to network with other energy professionals will be supported as well.





The congress is organized by the Young Energy Specialists for Development Cooperation (YES-DC), a network of >225 young professionals within the Netherlands and another 50 young professionals living abroad. This debate is made possible with financial aid from NCDO and Hivos.









The event will take place at the <u>Catharijneconvent in Utrecht</u>. Admission costs: 10€, students price is 7,50€, including lunch. Please note that there is a limited number of seats available, therefore registration is essential through <u>DEO2010@yes-dc.org</u>. More information on YES-DC, and a preliminary DEO-day schedule can be found at <u>www.yes-dc.org</u>.

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## Programme 29 May 2010

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	SPEAKER
9.00 - 9.30	Registration with coffee / tea	
9.30 - 9.35	Moderator's opening remarks	Paul Hassing
9.35 - 9.40	Opening of DEO Day	YES-DC Chair
9.40 - 10.10	<b>Keynote Address:</b> Carbon Financing for Renewable Energy – Beyond the CDM	Durando Ndongsok, First Climate, Switserland/Cameroon
10.10 - 10.30	Support to Renewable Energy through Carbon Finance – An NGO approach	Harrie Oppenoorth, HIVOS
10.30 - 10.50	Carbon Finance: The potential development impact of Certified Emissions Reduction projects	Edwin Dalenoord, Do-Inc / Ecofys
10.50 - 11.10	Questions / Discussion	Moderator
11.10 - 11.30	Coffee / Tea break	
11.30 - 12.10	Focus Group Debates 1: The future of Certified Emission Reductions 2: Developing country perspective on the benefits of CERs 3: Development and Climate Change: clashing goals?	Moderated by resource people
12.10 - 12.30	Presentation of main outcomes of debates	
12.30 - 13.30	Networking Lunch break	
13.30 - 13.50	Innovative way to support Renewable Energy with carbon finance: the Fair Climate Fund	Neera van der Geest ICCO / Fair & Sustainable B.V.
13.50 - 14.10	Renewable Energy promotion: the role of Technology Transfer	Heleen de Coninck ECN
14.10 - 14.30	Trading Green: The current state of the CER market	Jan-Willem Martens Independent consultant on carbon finance
	Questions / Discussion	Moderator
15.00 - 15.30	Coffee / Tea break	
15.30 - 16.00	Breakaway Sessions: The way forward for 1: CERs 2: VERs 3: Technology Transfer	Moderated by resource people
16.00 - 16.30	Presentation of findings / Discussion	
16.30 - 17.00	Summary of the day	Moderator
17.00 - 18.00	Networking drinks	

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