

UNFCCC CLIMATE CONFERENCE

INTERNATIONAL RENEWABLE ENERGY AGENCY (IRENA) SIDE EVENT

INTERACTIVE WEB TOOL ON
INTERNATIONAL STANDARDS &
PATENTS IN RENEWABLE
ENERGY - INSPIRE

Friday 5 June 2015 15.00 – 16.30

Meeting Room Berlin – 112 World Conference Center Bonn Platz der Vereinten Nationen 2, 53113 Bonn, Germany

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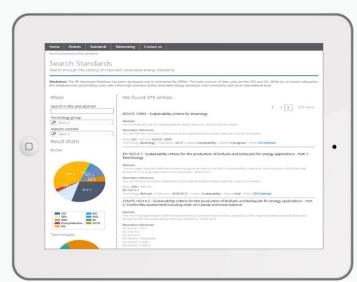
SUMMARY

The purpose of the information platform for RET patents and standards – INSPIRE - is to facilitate the access to such information by:

- Providing one entry point for information on RET patents and standards for the public interested in RE but nonexperts in standards or patents
- Relating the information to practical applications
- Informing the users on what are and how to use patents and standards for the deployment of RET
- Facilitating a dialogue between the different stakeholders on these topics

OBJECTIVES OF THE EVENT

- Launch the first version of IRENA's platform on "International Standards and Patents in Renewable Energy - INSPIRE". Present the features of the platform and the applications of this platform for policy-makers.
- Discuss with key partners, including the UNFCCC Technology Executive Committee (TEC), the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO) and the European Patent Office (EPO), the practical uses of standards and patents information relevant to policy-makers and other RE stakeholders.
- Obtain feedback from participants on how IRENA and other partner organizations can continue to support national policymaking processes concerning RET innovation.



PROGRAMME

Time	Description	Speaker
15.00 – 15.05	Welcome	Mr. Kunihiko Shimada, Chair UNFCCC TEC
15.05 – 15.20	International standards strengthening renewable energy markets	Thomas Robertson – International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC)
15.20 – 15.35	Use of renewable energy patent information for policy-makers	Victor Owade – World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO)
15.35 – 15.50	Patents and clean energy in Africa and Latin America	Alessia Volpe - European Patent Office (EPO)
15.50 – 16.10	IRENA's INSPIRE Platform	Francisco Boshell – International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)
16.10 – 16.25	Questions & Answers	Moderator: Mr. Kunihiko Shimada, Chair UNFCCC TEC
16.25 – 16.30	Closing remarks	Mr. Kunihiko Shimada, Chair UNFCCC TEC