

ELECTRICAL SAFETY & ENERGY TRANSITION: PREPARING BUILDINGS FOR A SAFE ENERGY TRANSITION

Date

Wednesday 20th November 2019

Location

L-42 Business Center
Rue de la Loi 42, Brussels

Electricity is poised to play a predominant role in our buildings, and clean, decentralized technologies will multiply electrical uses and transform electrical installations in our homes. What are the successful measures for minimising electrical hazards and fires in dwellings and what conditions enable a safe energy transition for buildings? This event will gather representatives of the electrical value chain, from manufacturers, to distributors and installers, electrical safety experts, building technologies experts, consumer and tenant interest representatives, fire brigades, insurance companies, and policymakers covering energy and building legislation.

Agenda

12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-13:05 Welcome & Introduction

- **Giorgia Concas**, Secretary General, European Electrical Contractors Association, AIE

13:05-13:30 Buildings of the Future

- **Paula Rey Garcia**, Team Leader, Buildings and Finance, Energy Efficiency: Buildings and Products Unit (C.4), DG ENER, European Commission
- **Benoît Dôme**, Deputy Delegate, International Federation for the Safety of Electricity Users, Fisuel

13:30-14:00 Are Buildings Ready for the Transition? Electrical Safety Data and Trends

Moderator: **Giorgia Concas**, Secretary General, European Electrical Contractors Association, AIE

- **Olivier Tissot**, Project Manager, European Copper Institute
- **Benoît Dôme**, Deputy Delegate, International Federation for the Safety of Electricity Users, Fisuel
- **Oscar Querol**, Secretary General, European Committee of Electrical Installation Equipment Manufacturers, CECAPI

14:00-14:15 Coffee Break

14:15-15:45 Key Measures to Minimise Electrical Safety Risks

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- **Marc Maslowski**, Member of the Board, International Federation for the Safety of Electricity Users, Fisuel
- **Paul Collins**, Technical Services Manager, Certsure LLP
- **Luke Osborne**, Energy & Emerging Technologies Solutions Advisor, UK Electrical Contractors Association, ECA
- **Francesca Talamo**, CSI officer, Italian Electrical Engineering and Electronic Industry, ANIE
- **Fredrik Byström Sjödin**, Technical Expert, Electrical Safety and Installations, Swedish Plumbing and Electrical Installation Association, Installatörsföretagen
- **Charles Low**, Policy Advisor, Insurance Europe

15:45-16:30 Measures to Guarantee Safety of Electrical Products

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- **Pierre Selva**, Director, Conformity Assessment & Market Surveillance Schneider Electric, Founding Member MSSI initiative, CECAPI
- **Christophe Richon**, Construction Products Regulation WG Chairman, Europacable
- **Michał Zakrzewski**, Smart Living and Competitiveness Policy Director, Home Appliance Europe, APPLIA

16:30-16:45 Coffee Break

16:45-17:45 Safety and New Technologies Solar PV, Batteries, Electric Vehicles

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- **Piet van Bavel**, Director After-Sales Support, Autarco
- **Ore Oluwatudimu**, Senior Solutions Engineer, ChargePoint
- **Phillippe Vollet**, Director, Standardization Schneider Electric, CECAPI
- **Mario Dionisio**, Direct Current expert, New Energy Technologies, Innovation and Clean Coal Unit (C.2), DG ENER, European Commission

17:45-18:00 Key Takeaways

- **Dany Sturtewagen**, Director Corporate Affairs, Niko Group

18:00-21:00 Reception offered by AIE

Register This event is free of charge but registration is required ([here](#))

Organisers

