

EVENT DESCRIPTION

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Title

- Study tour Castilla y León

Date & location: 8-11 September 2005,
Castilla y León, Spain

Organiser: O.Ö. Energiesparverband

Number of Participants: 11



Short description:

Background

A study tour for Upper Austrian green energy businesses was organised by O.Ö. Energiesparverband to Castilla y León in Spain as Spain is one of the biggest growth-markets in Europe regarding renewable energy.

Aim & programme

The aim of the study tour was to foster the co-operation and technology transfer between Upper Austria and Castilla y León. The programme for the export visit was organised together with EREN (Ente Regional de la Energía de Castilla y León).

In the frame of the four day trip, a seminar took place in León where the Upper Austrian green energy businesses received interesting information about the Spanish solar and biomass markets and could meet potential business partners from the region Castilla y León.

The study tour led also to typical installations in the region of Castilla y León, including:

- a small hydro power plant in the city of León (a pilot project)
- the wind farm "El Manzanal" with over 40 turbines in Torre del Bierzo



Results

Six partner companies and the OEC team took part in the cluster export trip to Castilla y León. The group got in contact with interested renewable energy companies from Castilla y León and used the opportunity to exchange experiences.

Further information:

http://www.oec.at/OEC/index.php?id=898&L=1&backPid=154&pS=1126691632&tt_news=453&cHash=da7aec3fe7