

EVENT DESCRIPTION – Round-Table Energy Companies

Title (*local language & English*)

- Round-Table Energieunternehmen
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Date & location: 13.7.2006, Linz

Organiser: O.Ö. Energiesparverband

Partners: Energy companies

Number of Participants: 15



Short description:

Background

The coming 25 years will bring a lot of changes in social and economical aspects. Also, the energy situation in Upper Austria can be changed strongly.

Aim & programme

The target of the round-table was to discuss the energy situation in Upper Austria with the participating energy experts and to get input into the development of a regional strategy. At the beginning, there were two presentations from Gerhard Dell, energy commissioner of Upper Austria and managing director of O.Ö. Energiesparverband, as well as from Reinhard Haas, associate professor at Vienna University of Technology. Both informed about energy market and showed energy scenarios which led to interesting discussions about the potentials of renewable energy sources and energy efficiency, mainly green electricity, heat and transport.

Results, follow-up

In the frame of the discussions interesting opinions and ideas were mentioned. The main result was that the region should be as energy autarchic as possible. The biggest potentials are seen in hydro power and biomass.

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