

EVENT DESCRIPTION

RES-e Regions

Title: Swedish study tour to Upper Austria
Date & location: 27.02.07 – 02.03.07
Organiser: KanEnergi/STEM
Number of Participants: 5

Short description:

After an invitation from ESV a group of five persons from West Swedish organisations visited upper Austria to learn more about the small scale RES-e market.



The group from West Sweden

The participants represent companies that manufacture equipment and biomass fuels as well as product development, business development and consulting services in the field of RES.

The study tour gave valuable input about the market situation as well as available technologies and products. As the study tour was arranged in conjunction with the World Sustainable Energy Days added value in terms of technology and market update and networking opportunities with actors from all over the world was achieved.

Background:

The World Sustainable Energy Days, arranged by ESV and the Energiesparmesse, is considered to be one of the main events for actors involved in the small-scale renewable energy sector. For several years discussions has been held with West Swedish market actors and other relevant organisations to arrange a delegation to improve the market and technology knowledge and to get valuable input to future developments in the region as well as for market actors in Sweden.



A CHP unit interesting for the West Swedish development of bioogas

This year the study tour finally came through, five persons wanted to join and STEM arranged all travel details etc for the group. A three day study tour from 27 February to 2 March 2007 was carried out.

Aim & programme:

The aim was to get an in-depth knowledge of the market development in areas such as small scale biomass and solar energy applications available and upcoming on the European market as well as initiatives to support a regional development in the field of renewable energy.



A wood pellet sterling machine that definitely has a future in Sweden

Programme:

27 Feb. Travel to Austria
28 Feb Participation on European Pellet conference and business events
1 March Energisparmesse and participation on business events
2 March Energisparmesse/Energy Future 2030, travel to Sweden

Results, follow-up:

All participants agreed that this was a very valuable study tour which gave a lot of additional knowledge and input in terms of technical and business development as well as supporting actions in West Sweden. A new tour will be arranged next year.

Further information:

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