

## Stronger Together: Showcasing Success of a Global 100% Renewable Energy System

*REN Alliance (Renewables Working Together) Side Event*

Date: 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Time: 11.30 – 13.00 CET

Venue: Room Pieniny, COP24, International Congress Centre, Katowice, Poland

Renewables (solar, wind, biomass, hydro & geothermal) are a real and ready solution to combat dangerous climate change, they provide jobs and improve health. This event will showcase the strength of renewables working together.

The event will start with a presentation of a new leading-edge study on 100% renewables in Europe across all energy sectors, developed by the Energy Watch Group & Lappeenranta University of Technology. Panelists, representing the leading international renewable energy associations, will discuss how to replicate and scale up this scenario and best practices worldwide.

### Speakers

- Hans Josef Fell, President Energy Watch Group, Germany
- Mathis Rogner, International Hydropower Association, UK
- Remigijus Lapinskas, World Bioenergy Association, Lithuania
- Tanay Sidki Uyar, World Wind Energy Association, Turkey
- Beata Kepinska, Polish Geothermal Society, Poland

The session will be moderated by Prof. Eicke Weber, Director, Vice President, International Solar Energy Society.

### About REN Alliance

The REN Alliance was formed in 2004 during the first International Renewable Energy Conference in Bonn, Germany. The REN-Alliance brings together five renewable industry organizations to promote the use of renewable energy technologies worldwide: **International Hydropower Association, International Geothermal Association, International Solar Energy Society, World Bioenergy Association, and World Wind Energy Association.** Since our formation, the REN-Alliance we have been reporting on and promoting how renewable energy technologies can work together to meet global energy security, economic, and environmental challenges.