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Local Renewables Conference 2016 *Energising the smart city and region*

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Local Renewables Conference 2016

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The **Local Renewables Conference 2016**, taking place in **Freiburg**, Germany and **Basel**, Switzerland from **26 - 28 October 2016**, will discuss how to develop local and regional strategies to increase renewable energy production and use, the opportunities and limitations of smart technologies for urban energy transformation, and the role of social innovation and citizen engagement. The Conference will put particular emphasis on the importance of putting cities and regions at the centre in making energy more secure, affordable and sustainable.

The conference will examine the collaboration with local stakeholders, the value of technological innovations and how to identify sources of financing local action. This represents a valuable opportunity for policy-makers, representatives from European institutions, energy service providers, experts and other interested professionals to share their views and knowledge on how to switch to renewable energy and improve energy efficiency while creating opportunities for the local economy.

Organised in cooperation with the City of Freiburg and the City of Basel, the conference will be interactive and engaging, featuring an interesting variety of panels, topic-specific workshops and study tours in Freiburg and Basel. This event is part of a conference series launched in 2007 and explores the different sources of local renewable solutions in order to promote sustainability at a regional and local level.

Join us and explore how cities and regions can embrace clean, sustainable energy solutions, and tackle financial, planning and regulatory challenges.

To register and learn more about the conference, please visit the Conference Website:

www.local-renewables-conference.org/freiburg-and-basel-2016



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Hosted by the **City of Freiburg**, Germany and the **City of Basel**, Switzerland, the Local Renewables Conference 2016 (**26-28 October 2016**) will focus on the importance of putting cities and regions at the centre in making energy more secure, affordable and sustainable.

The **7th edition of the Local Renewables Conference series** launched in 2007 will be interactive and engaging, featuring an interesting variety of panels, topic-specific workshops and study tours in Freiburg and Basel. The tours will provide participants with a hands-on look at urban development projects.

With 120 participants expected, the conference will examine the collaboration with local governments, decision-makers, energy service providers, business representatives and experts. This represents a valuable opportunity to share views and showcase practical and innovative examples of how to reduce energy use, as well as how to make best use of energy sources in the region.

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The importance of putting cities and regions at the centre in making energy more secure, affordable and sustainable shape regional development through energy transition will be the focus of **Local Renewables Conference 2016 - Energising the smart city and region (26-28 October 2016 – Freiburg and Basel)**.

The conference will be interactive and engaging, featuring an interesting variety of panels, topic-specific workshops and study tours in Freiburg and Basel. Representing a valuable opportunity for policy-makers, representatives from European institutions, energy service providers and experts to share views and knowledge.

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