

REKK Energy Futures Workshop

Energy systems and climate mitigation

*Key Findings of the contribution of Working Group III
to the IPCC's 6th Assessment Report*

27 April 2022, 9:30 – 11:30 am CET

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About the event

The Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC), the United Nations body for assessing the science related to climate change, is currently in its sixth assessment cycle. The IPCC is producing **its Sixth Assessment Report (AR6)** with contributions by its three Working Groups and a Synthesis Report, and also three Special Reports, and a refinement to its latest Methodology Report. **The contribution to the Sixth Assessment Report by Working Group III, which focuses on climate change mitigation, is scheduled to be published in April 2022.**

Besides the latest climate science concluded by AR6, professionals of the energy sectors are most interested in the meta findings of Working Group III, including **emission drivers, mitigation options and costs, pathway scenarios, energy systems response, policy approaches**, policy instruments, technology development, investment and finance synergies and trade-offs.

The goal of the workshop will be to provide a concise technical summary of **the Working Group III's main findings to be presented by key contributors of the report**, who will be available to discuss viewpoints, draw conclusions, and answer questions from the audience.

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Agenda

- 9:20 – 9:30 Participant login
- 9:30 – 9:40 WELCOME by László Szabó, director, REKK
- 9:40 – 10:00 CLIMATE SCIENCE CONTEXT AND KEY MESSAGES OF THE 6TH ASSESSMENT REPORT
Diana Ürge-Vorsatz, Vice Chair of Working Group III of the IPCC
- 10:00 – 10:20 FRAMING AND FOCUS POINTS OF CLIMATE MITIGATION ACCORDING TO IPCC
Michael Grubb, Professor of Energy and Climate Change at University College London, Lead Author of AR6-WGIII
- 10:20 – 10:40 ENERGY SYSTEMS – TECHNOLOGY AND INFRASTRUCTURE OPTIONS, COST AND POLICY PERSPECTIVES
Goran Strbac, Professor of Energy Systems, Imperial College London, Author of AR6-WGIII Energy Systems chapter
- 10:40 – 11:15 PANEL DISCUSSION
Chaired by Gabriella Szajkó, senior research associate, REKK
Panellists:
- Diana Ürge-Vorsatz
 - Michael Grubb
 - Goran Strbac
- 11:15 – 11:30 Q&A WITH THE AUDIENCE AND CLOSING REMARKS

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