



July 2024 Edition

Editorial

Dear Readers,

The month of July was crucial in the history of the European Energy Forum. On 16 July, the General Assembly of the EEF elected the new President **Tsvetelina Penkova** and the new Board for the term 2024-2029.

The EEF Board :

- **Tsvetelina Penkova**, President
- **Inese Vaidere**, Vice-President and Treasurer
- **Pilar del Castillo**, Vice-President
- **Seán Kelly**, Vice-President
- **Jens Geier**, Director
- **Christophe Grudler**, Director
- **Radan Kanev**, Director
- **Ondrej Knotek**, Director
- **Massimiliano Salini**, Director
- **Henna Virkkunen**, Director

We congratulate them on their election and thank them for the support to our Forum. We look forward to working with them in the upcoming five years.

We would also like to thank outgoing President **Jerzy Buzek MEP** for his 10 years as President and his 20 years following the EEF activities. Thank you Mr President for all the hard work, inspiration and support to the EEF community throughout your time in the European Parliament.

Working with you has been an honour and a privilege. We are left with a legacy of

accomplishments that will shape the future of our association for years to come.



EEF Team Updates

Welcome back Alessia!

Alessia, who previously held an intern position in our association through the Erasmus+ program, has now joined our permanent team. She is in charge of EU policy and events. Alessia will closely follow the work of EU institutions and the main developments in the energy and energy-related fields and will be in charge of the organisation of discussions.

We are pleased to welcome her back in our team!



EEF Past Discussions



EEF General Assembly

Tuesday 16 July

The EEF General Assembly elected the new President and Board. We look forward to cooperating with them in the future!



Looking back at the last 5 years' achievements and shaping tomorrow's energy policy with Energy Commissioner Kadri Simson

Tuesday 16 July

The dinner debate with Commissioner Kadri Simson was an opportunity to exchange, share ideas and points of view on what the EU has achieved in the past five years and to look at the future needs of the industry.

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EEF Agenda

Briefing on Energy **Going back to basics: gas molecules**

Thursday 5 September | EP Brussels

Working breakfast - Registration required

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The potential and benefits of electrification

Tuesday 17 September | EP Strasbourg

Dinner Debate – Registration required

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