



WavEC Seminar 2019

Portugal and Norway: Marine Renewable Energy and Offshore Aquaculture

OPENING SESSION

09:00-09:30

- **António Sarmento**, President of the Board, WavEC
- **Anders Erdal**, Norwegian Ambassador to Lisbon
- **Ricardo Serrão Santos**, Minister of the Sea
- **Manuel Heitor**, Minister of Science, Technology and Higher Education

SESSION I – Floating offshore wind: Norway and Portugal in a leading position

09:30-11:00

Chair: Ricardo Morgado, Chief Commercial Officer, ASM Industries

- **Pedro Valverde**, Manager of Cleaner Energy Group, EDP Inovação, *EDP's offshore energy activities and new opportunities in Hydrogen*
- **Paulo Chainho**, Project Engineer, Electrical Components and Instrumentation, WavEC experience on Offshore Wind
- **Clara Santos**, Commercial and Strategy Manager, Principle Power, *Commercial Floating Wind – The WindFloat Role*
- **Michael Bullock**, Director, Renewable Risk Advisers, *Floating Wind – what Insurers care about*
- **Knut Erik Steen**, Director for wind, NORWEP, *Floating wind- A booming opportunity*

11:00-11:30 Coffee break & networking

SESSION II – Wave energy: building a new industry

11:30-13:00

Chair: João Gonçalo Maciel, Board Member EDP NEW Centre for New Energy Technologies

- **Elaine Buck**, Technical Manager, EMEC The European Marine Energy Centre, *Blue-GIFT and Innovation Fast-Tracked*
- **Francisco Correia da Fonseca**, Offshore Operations Specialist, WavEC, *DTOceanPlus – Developing advanced design tools for Ocean Energy Systems*
- **Patrik Möller**, CEO, Corpower, *High efficiency wave energy – enabling a deeply decarbonized future*
- **Jussi Åkerberg**, CTO, AW Energy, *Waveroller present and future developments*
- **José Varandas**, CEO, Kymaner, *Air turbines in wave energy – the efficiency challenge*

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13:00-14:00 Lunch

SESSION III – Offshore aquaculture and other ocean market opportunities

14:00-15:30

Chair: Joaquin Hernandez Brito, CEO, AIR CENTRE

- **Pål Bakken**, Founder, SES-Seaweed Energy Solutions and SeaForester, *Seaweed Cultivation and Restoration - Hand in Hand*
- **Pedro Encarnação**, Director Aquaculture, Jeronimo Martins, *Offshore aquaculture pilot project*
- **Karl C. Strømsem**, COB, Nørd AS & Nørd Portugal Ltd, *Open Ocean Salmon farming in Portugal, vision, perspectives for Portuguese industry and threats*
- **Harald Bjorn Hansen**, Manager Ocean Venture | Subsea Commercial – Norway & Russia, TechnipFMC, *Ocean Ventures in TechnipFMC*
- **Ricardo Conde**, Member of the Board of the Portuguese Space Agency, *Portuguese Space Agency*

15:30-16:00 Coffee break & networking

SESSION IV – Finance and Investment (Roundtable)

16:00-17:00

Chair: Luísa Carrilho da Graça, Senior associate in the Corporate Finance and Energy departments of Gómez-Acebo & Pombo Abogados

- **Tina Sølvsberg**, Senior Sector Officer - Environment, Energy, Climate Change and Low Carbon Economy, Financial Mechanism Office
- **Magnar Ødelien**, Programme Director for EEA Norway Grants in Innovation Norway
- **Rui Ferreira**, Executive Vice President, Portugal Ventures
- **Ruben Eiras**, Director General of Maritime Policy of the Ministry of the Sea, DGPM, *Portugal's Blue Ecosystem of Innovation*

17:00 Closing session

- **António Sarmiento**, President of the Board, WavEC

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