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RE-SOURCING Renewable Energy Sector Roadmap Workshop
*Responsible Sourcing in the Renewable Energy Supply Chain:
 A reality or still a long way to go?*

29th October 2020

13:00 – 17:00 (CET)

Virtual Event

Time	Topic	Speakers
12:30-13:00	Virtual conference room opens	
13:00-13:10	Welcome & Introduction	Michael Tost (Montanuniversität Leoben)
13:10-14:15	Session 1	
<p>The RE-SOURCING Project: Responsible Sourcing in the Renewable Energy Supply Chain</p> <p>The RE-SOURCING project is aiming to develop a roadmap for the renewable energy sector to achieve a sustainable and responsible value chain. The energy sector is subject to an enormous transformation towards the expansion of renewable energy and away from fossil fuels. In order to enable a just energy transition, increasing raw material demands, manufacturing processes, collection and recycling need to be conducted in an environmentally, socially, and economically acceptable way. RE-SOURCING addresses the existing and arising challenges along the entire value chain.</p>		
13:10-13:20	Introduction of the RE-SOURCING Project <i>Scope, Goals & Aspirations</i>	Andreas Endl (Vienna University of Economics and Business)
13:20-13:30	The Renewable Energy Sector & Responsible Sourcing <i>Introduction of Work package, State of Play</i>	Marie-Theres Kügerl (Montanuniversität Leoben)
13:30-13:50	The Importance of Raw Material's Traceability for the Responsible Sourcing Agenda	
	<i>Keynote Presentation</i>	Steffen Schmidt (Wolfram Bergbau und Hütten AG)
	<i>Respondent</i>	Rebecca Burton (Initiative for Responsible Mining Assurance IRMA)
13:50-14:10	Responsible Practices in the Renewable Energy Sector	
	<i>Keynote Presentation</i>	Raffaele Rossi (SolarPower Europe)
	<i>Respondent</i>	Jessie Cato (Business and Human Rights Resource Centre)
14:10-14:15	Workshop Introduction	Michael Tost (Montanuniversität Leoben)
14:15-14:30	Coffee Break & Change to Breakout Groups	



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14:30-16:00	Session 2	
<p>Working Groups</p> <p>The working groups are separated into three stages of the supply chain:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Mining, with focus on copper, rare earth elements, and silicon 2) Manufacturing of wind turbines and solar PV panels 3) Recycling of wind turbines and solar PV panels <p>The groups will jointly discuss the input paper "State of play and roadmap process for the Renewable Energy Sector" and develop further steps for the roadmap.</p>		
14:30-14:40	Introduction of Methodology Process & Tools	Facilitators
14:40-16:00	Workshop <i>Joint development of sectoral challenges, sustainability issues, objectives and milestones for the roadmap.</i>	Moderators: Philipp Hartlieb (Montanuniversität Leoben) Masuma Farooki (MineHutte) Stefanie Degreif (Öko Institut e.V.)
16:00-16:15	Coffee Break & Change to Main Conference Room	
16:15-17:00	Session 3	
16:15-16:30	Summary <i>Presentation of Working Group Results</i>	Working Group Moderators
16:30-16:50	Panel Discussion including Q&A <i>Discussion & Expert comments on the results of the Working Groups.</i>	Panelists: Andrew van Zyl (SRK South Africa) Iris Wunderlich (AHK Chile) Mathias Schlupe (World Resources Forum)
16:50-17:00	Bringing it all together & What's next? <i>Introduction of the next stages in the RE-SOURCING Project</i> <i>Wrap up</i>	Marie-Theres Kügerl (Montanuniversität Leoben)
17:00	Conference closed	

