

Summer School in Nice

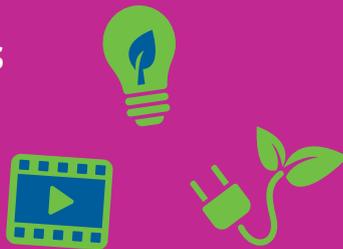
Energy transition and YOU!

Take part in the debate

Nice
9–13 September 2019

For young international
participants interested
in energy transition, democracy
and decentralisation

- ⇒ World Café sessions
- ⇒ Panel discussions
- ⇒ Simulation game
- ⇒ Video workshop



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The global energy transition can't succeed without the full participation of citizens. We need a paradigm shift towards more renewable energy which is sustainable, affordable and reliable, as well as an energy system that is more decentralised and digitalised. Our current energy system is highly centralised with states as the main players – we must reconsider the distribution of authority to include subnational actors as well as citizens themselves.

This summer school invites you to consider how this paradigm shift might materialise and its political, economic and social implications. The President of the European Commission in charge of the Energy Union, Mr. Maros Sefovic, has translated the present challenge into the 5D model: Decarbonisation, Decentralisation, Digitalization, Democracy and Disruption. These dynamic elements which will define the energy transition are sure to invite debates. How will the “democracy” and “decentralisation” elements materialise among different EU member states?

- ➔ **If you see yourself as an actor in the energy transition,**
- ➔ **if you want to negotiate a European directive taking into consideration the participation of the citizens in the energy transition,**
- ➔ **if you want to be part of a campaign to promote engagement on energy issues**

... this summer school is for you!

Target group:

young people interested in the energy sector

Fees:

250€ for early bird registrations until 18 May 2019

300 € for regular registrations from 19 May onwards

Please note that accommodation is not included in the fees.

Deadline for applications: 19 July 2019

Venue: CIFE, Nice

Dates: 9–13 September, 2019

Overview of the programme

Monday, 9 September

Presentation of the participants and the programme
Welcome dinner

Tuesday, 10 September

World café sessions on energy democracy and citizen energy

Wednesday, 11 September

Round table: How can the different levels of governance promote energy decentralisation and democracy?
Realising a video teaser to promote citizen commitment (in group)

Thursday, 12 September

Introduction to Multilateral negotiation techniques + preparation of the simulation game
Visit of a citizen energy installation in the PACA region
Dinner and projection of the video teasers

Friday, 13 September

Simulation game of a EU parliament session on energy democracy
Departure of the participants

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