

# 27th European Energy Law Seminar

## Sunday 24 January

19:15 Welcome Drinks  
20:00 Meet & Greet Dinner Buffet

## Monday 25 January

### Developments in EU Energy Law

09:15 Welcome and Introduction  
*Martha Roggenkamp*  
09:30 From an Internal Energy Market to an Energy Union  
*Jacques de Jong*  
10:10 Energy Union: An EEA Perspective  
*Hanna Konradsdottir*  
10:30 Overview EU Case Law and the Energy Sector  
*Berend Jan Drijber*  
11:10 Q & A

### 11:20 Coffee and Tea

### Security of Supply

11:40 Security of Supply: EU LNG Strategy  
*Jeffery Piper*  
12:15 Regulating Security of Supply for Consumers:  
A Comparative Overview  
*Remco Frenken*  
12:45 Q & A

### 13:00 Lunch

### Gas Safety or Smart Developments in the Electricity Sector

13:45 Parallel Session

### 15:00 Tea

### Developments in Pan-European Energy Trade

15:20 From European to International Energy Charter Treaty  
*Ernesto Bonafé*  
15:50 Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership and Energy  
*Jeffery Piper*  
16:30 Q & A  
16:45 REMIT in Practice  
*Silke Goldberg*  
17:10 Energy Topics during the Netherlands EU Presidency  
*Frederik Wisselink*

## 17:30 End of Seminar Day I

18:00 Private Guided Tour to Panorama Mesdag with Drinks in the Museum  
20:00 Dinner

# Hilton The Hague, the Netherlands

## Tuesday 26 January

### Climate Change Developments

09:15 Climate Change Developments after COP 21  
*Matthieu Wemaere*  
09:55 The Role of Courts in reaching Climate Change Goals  
*Suryapratim Roy*  
10:30 Q & A

### 10:40 Coffee and Tea

### Electricity Developments in the North Sea

11:00 Developing an Offshore Electricity Grid  
*Hannah Müller*  
11:40 New UK Offshore Interconnector Concepts  
*Lidia Niedospial*  
12:20 Q & A

### 12:30 Lunch

### Tariffs and Infrastructure Investments or Heat Supply

13:15 Parallel Session

### 15:00 Tea

### Dispute Settlement in the Energy Sector

15:20 Arbitration in the Energy Sector  
*Brandon Malone*  
16:00 The Case of the Groningen Gas Field:  
Disputes and Claim Handling  
*Frans Stokman and Arjan Waayer*  
16:40 Q & A

## 17:00 End of Seminar

# 25 and 26 January 2016

## Parallel Session - Monday 25 January

### Gas Safety or Smart Developments in the Electricity Sector

13:45 Shale Gas Development: Balancing Safety and Supply Security <i>Ruven Fleming</i>	13:45 The Introduction of Smart Meters in the EU: National Experiences <i>Boas Bierings</i>
14:15 Offshore Safety: Implementation Directive 2013/30/EC <i>Xavier H. Maasarani</i>	14:15 Electricity Storage: Assessment of Possible Regulatory Framework <i>Stefan Unna</i>
14:45 Q & A	14:45 Q & A

## Parallel Session - Tuesday 26 January

### Tariffs and Infrastructure Investments or Heat Supply

13:15 Infrastructure Investment: The Norwegian Gassled Tariff Court Case <i>Thomas G. Michelet</i>	13:15 Heat Supply in Denmark: Any Lessons to be learned <i>Anita Rønne</i>
13:45 Infrastructure Investment: Review of Case Law in the Netherlands <i>Arjan Kleinhout</i>	13:45 Heat Supply in Sweden: Regulatory Framework and Recent Developments
14:15 Infrastructure Investment and Tariff Regulation in the UK <i>Silke Goldberg</i>	14:15 A New Approach to Heat Supply in the Netherlands <i>Robert Haffner</i>
14:45 Q & A	14:45 Q & A

# Speakers

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