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Switzerland Stakeholder Workshop

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We look forward to seeing you at the Swiss Stakeholder Workshop tomorrow. The following note sets out briefly the topics of discussion in the workshop. The event timetable is listed on the next page.

In this first session, Prof. Haris Doukas of the National Technical University of Athens, and head of the PARIS REINFORCE project, will give a brief overview presentation of the project. The presentation highlights the integrated assessment modelling capabilities and a range of other analytical tools to determine pathways to decarbonisation futures **that are co-created with stakeholder experts such as you.**

Dr. Baptiste Boitier from SEURECO then presents the results of the modelling work being carried out for the EU mitigation pathways. It focuses on analysing **where current emissions are heading**, implied by current policies and NDCs projected forward to 2050, without further reinforced ambition. Questions and discussions will conclude the presentation.

The next session will focus on understanding the range of new technologies and behavioural changes contributing to an economy with net-zero greenhouse gas emissions by 2050. Dr. Marc Vielle from EPFL will present **the related issues of full decarbonisation in the light of Swiss Energy perspectives.** This presentation is then followed by an open discussion amongst all participants.

The workshop will then **pose some final questions to stakeholders in an online poll** to explore whether the feasibility of certain policies to achieve the EU ambitious climate target and the significance of decarbonisation and of game-changing innovations for this ambitious next step.

We are very much looking forward to gaining your views, insights, and expertise at this important workshop. The event will take place online, via Microsoft Teams, and you may join using the link below.

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Event Timetable

Date of event: **Tuesday 18th May 2021.**

Timing: **14:30 - 17:00 European (CEST).**

14:30 - 14:40	Introduction to Paris Reinforce	<i>Haris Doukas (NTUA)</i>
14:40 - 15:00	Insights from existing EU modelling studies	<i>Baptiste Boitier (SEURECO)</i>
15:00 - 15:25	<i>Questions-Comments- Discussions</i>	
15.25 – 15.35	<i>Break</i>	
15:35 - 15:55	From Deep to Full decarbonisation in the light of Swiss Energy perspectives 2050+ & the PARIS REINFORCE Scenario	<i>Marc Vielle (EPFL)</i>
15.55 – 16.20	<i>Questions-Comments- Discussions</i>	
16.20 – 16.30	<i>Break</i>	
16:30 - 16:45	Voting session: top considerations for modelling scenarios	<i>Interactive voting tool. Ben McWilliams (Bruegel)</i>
16:45 - 17:00	Conclusions	<i>Project Consortium</i>

