



EnVIE Conference

Policies for millions of indoor environments

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Conference motto

Successful policies to ensure safe indoor environments for 400 million Europeans must involve not only building designers and regulators but also building construction and maintenance professionals, building managers, educators and professional associations. Following good practice is essential for success. Furthermore, in residential buildings the majority of indoor air problems can only be detected, assessed and remedies initiated by the occupants. Therefore, buildings should be 'fail-safe' in the sense that no failure in building systems or equipment should create a danger which is not obvious to a lay person.

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Tentative Programme

1st Day, September 16

Time	Topic
09.30-10.00	Registration
10.00-11.30	<p>Opening Session – EnVIE Outcome for EU Policies</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: E. Oliveira Fernandes P. Harrison</i></p> <p>Welcome.</p> <p>EnVIE Outcome. Proposals for EU Policies on IAQ & Health. ...<i>Matti Jantunen (25min)</i></p> <p><i>Comments by:</i> DG Research...<i>Tuomo Karjalainen</i> DG Health & Consumers...<i>Giulio Gallo</i> DG Enterprise & Industry...<i>Manfred Fuchs</i> DG Environment...<i>Andrej Kobe</i> DG Energy & Transport...<i>Pirjo-Liisa Koskimäki</i> DG Joint Research Centre...<i>Dimitrios Kotzias</i></p>
11.30-12.00	Coffee break
12.00-13.00	<p>International and European actors views</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: G. Gallo A. Bartonova</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> The WHO work on indoor environments ...<i>Matthias Braubach</i> US-EPA ...<i>Laura Kolb</i> VITO ...<i>Rudi Torfs</i></p>
13.00-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.30	<p>EnVIE Results: context and fundaments</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: T. Karjalainen Ivana Holcatova</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> WP1 (Health effects) ...<i>Paolo Carrer</i> WP2 (Exposure) ...<i>Matti Jantunen</i> WP3 (Characterisation of spaces and sources) ...<i>E. de Oliveira Fernandes</i></p>
15.30-16.00	Coffee break
16.00-18.00	<p>Comments from stakeholders</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: J. Sundell G. Ventura</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> EFA ...<i>Susanna Palkonen</i> Eurima ...<i>Aymon de Reydellet</i> Standardisation related to Indoor Environmental Quality ...<i>Bjarne Olesen</i> Industry policies: sustainable contributions to healthy indoor air ...<i>Loredana Ghinea</i> BEUC ...<i>Laura Degallaix</i> Health & Environment Alliance ...<i>Christian Farrar-Hockley</i> Information and communication ...<i>Tom van Teunenbroek</i></p>

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2nd Day, September 17

Time	Topic
9.00-11.00	<p>Experiences on IAQ policies and actions</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: D. Crump P. Bluysen</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> Ireland (Radon) ...<i>James McLaughlin</i> The French experience: from research (RSEIN, National Observatory on IAQ) to IAQ policies (Grenelle de l'environnement...) ...<i>Corinne Mandin</i> A German view on tools and measures to improve IAQ ... <i>Christine Däumling</i> Finland (Material labelling & IAQ Guidelines) ...<i>Jorma Säteri</i> Recent advancements on harmonization of European labelling schemes ...<i>Stelios Kephelopoulos</i></p>
11.00-11.30	Coffee break
11.30-13.00	<p>Policies for better IAQ</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: L. Molhave H. Gustafsson</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> Harmonisation of standards for testing emissions into Indoor Air ... <i>Jean-François Vicard</i> Ways to improve technical building services for better indoor air quality ...<i>Olli Seppanen</i> Moisture control ...<i>Aino Nevalainen</i> Consumer products ... <i>Dimosthenis Sarigiannis</i></p>
13.15-14.00	Lunch
14.00-15.30	<p>Policies regarding 'built environment'</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: G. Viegi M. Branis</i></p> <p><i>Speakers:</i> Housing conditions and health in Europe – a LARES snapshot ...<i>Matthias Braubach</i> Energy building codes and IAQ concerns: status, opportunities and threats ...<i>Peter Wouters</i> IAQ & Sustainable Buildings ...<i>E. de Oliveira Fernandes</i></p>
15.30-16.00	<p>Closing Session</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>Chairs: E. Oliveira Fernandes B. Seifert</i></p> <p><i>Speaker:</i> <i>Matti Jantunen</i></p>

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