



Case Study

The 6th Annual Brussels Climate Change Conference 2011

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Details

Date: 2nd - 3rd March 2011

Client: CEPS

Venue: Committee of Regions Building, Brussels

Length: 2 days

Type: Open

Number of Delegates: 207

The Client

The Centre for European Policy Studies

Founded in Brussels in 1983, the Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) is among the most experienced and authoritative think tanks operating in the European Union today. CEPS serves as a leading forum for debate on EU affairs, but its most distinguishing feature lies in its strong in-house research capacity, complemented by an extensive network of partner institutes throughout the world.



This joint **Forum Europe** and **CEPS** conference took stock of ongoing EU policy developments and discussed what framework and policies were needed to ensure continuity and even acceleration of the many promising local government initiatives that exist.

This conference brought together representatives from the EU institutions, local Governments, member states, business and industries as solution providers as well as other stakeholders.

“Our relationship with Forum Europe enables us to concentrate on the quality and relevance of our conference programmes, and supports the dissemination of information to a wider stakeholder audience. We would recommend Forum Europe as a partner to other EU orientated organisations for their professionalism and understanding and in their ability to deliver high quality events.”

Christian Egenhofer, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS)

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Speakers Included:

Günther Oettinger

Commissioner Responsible for Energy,
European Commission

Dr Jan Olbrycht MEP

Member, European Parliament

Ms Mercedes Bresso

President, Committee of the Regions

Ms Nicola Beer

Secretary of State for European Affairs,
Germany

Delegates:

Delegates included representatives from:
BMW, Chevron Corporation, EDF, Ernst & Young, European Commission Parliament and Council, European Investment Bank, Hitachi Ltd, Microsoft, Philips, Siemens, European Federation for Transport and Environment, Toyota Motor Europe, United Nations Environment Programme, Vodafone, World Bank.

▼ **Willy Tomboy**
Director of environmental affairs
Toyota Europe



◀ **Günther Oettinger**
Commissioner Responsible for Energy
European Commission

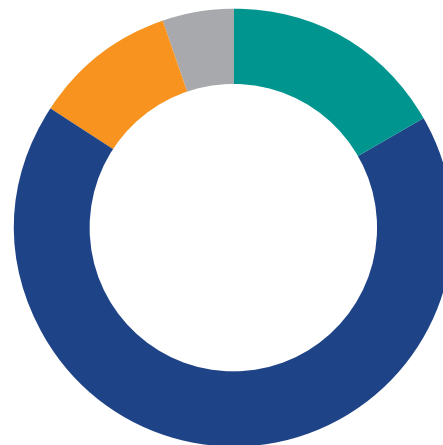
▼ The conference room in full flow



▲ **Ms Mercedes Bresso**
President
Committee of the Regions



▲ **Dr Jan Olbrycht**
Member
European Parliament



CEPS audience breakdown:

Based on 200 delegates

- 16% **European Institutions & National Government**
- 69% **Corporate Organisations**
- 10% **Not for Profit**
- 5% **Press**