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17 MARCH 2026 (TUESDAY) – KATOWICE



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18 MARCH 2026 (WEDNESDAY)

SIDE EVENT: WORKSHOPS IN INSTITUTE FOR FUEL AND ENERGY TECHNOLOGY (ITPE) IN ZABRZE

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- 08:00-09:00** • **Transfer from Katowice to Zabrze for workshop participants**
- 09:00-10:30** • **LECTURE SESSION: FUELS OF THE FUTURE**
- The role of ITPE in the energy transition of the economy and industry – decarbonisation and P2X technologies
👤 *Aleksander Sobolewski, PhD, Eng., Director of ITPE*
 - Challenges and risks related to the development and scaling of P2X technological processes – ITPE experience
👤 *Adam Tatarczuk, PhD, Eng., ITPE*
 - „Clean Coal Technologies Centre: P2X (CCTW+P2X)” project – current status and research perspectives
👤 *Tadeusz Chwola, Eng., ITPE*
- 10:30-11:00** • **Coffee break**
- 11:00-13:00** • **LECTURE AND WORKSHOP SESSION: FINANCING CCUS PROJECTS**
- Financing mechanisms for CCUS projects in Europe – from national initiatives to the Innovation Fund
👤 *TBC*
 - How can I finance a CCUS project in Poland? Overview of existing and planned CCUS financing mechanisms available in Poland
👤 *TBC*
 - Expert workshop session – from idea to a successful CCUS project application in Poland
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- 13:00-14:00** • **Lunch**
- 14:00-15:00** • **Technical visit to the unique, Europe-scale CCT+ research complex located at ITPE, currently being expanded with a Power-to-X (P2X) installation**
- The new research infrastructure, combined with existing facilities, will enable P2X technology research at a Technology Readiness Level (TRL) of at least 6–7. It will also allow for demonstration activities and encourage potential investors to pursue efficient electricity storage pathways based on photovoltaic installations, as well as hydrogen and synthetic fuel production – a key element of a sustainable energy economy.
(Duration: 1 hour)
- 15:00-16:00** • **End of the conference – transfer from Zabrze to Katowice**