

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

DAY 1

DECEMBER 12 (THURSDAY)

08:15-09:30

Registration, networking

09:30-09:45

Opening speech:

👤 Miłosz Motyka, Minister of Climate and Environment

09:45-10:45

Session I: Policy and regulation

1/ The European biogas sector – where are we, where are we going?

👤 Marta Kamola-Martines, European Biogas Association

2/ EU agricultural policy – building sustainable and competitive agriculture

👤 Jerzy Plewa, PhD, Team Europe

3/ Biogas market in Poland 2024

👤 Łukasz Tomaszewski, Ministry of Climate and Environment

4/ Legal framework for biogas investments: perspectives and proposals for their changes

👤 Radosław Wasiak, Wardyński i Wspólnicy

10:45-11:45

Panel discussion. 2024 – acceleration or stagnation?

Moderated by Lech Bojarski, „Magazyn Biomasa”

Panelists:

👤 Sabine Dujacquier, Polska Grupa Biogazowa

👤 Józef Adam Kowalczyk, Fundacja Euro-Most

👤 Agnieszka Ozga, Gaz-System

👤 Marek Sawicki, Member of the Polish Parliament

👤 Representative of the PSG (TBC)

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11:45-12:15

Awards of „Magazyn Biomasa”, coffee break

12:15-13:00

Session II: Economy and ecology

1/ Taxonomy direction – sustainable investments in the renewable gas sector

👤 Katarzyna Harpak, European Climate Foundation

2/ Ambition levels of decarbonization targets for selected sectors according to scientific methodologies

👤 Tomasz Gasinski, PhD, Deloitte Advisory

3/ Biogas plants business models

👤 Paulina Walczak, Metropolis Doradztwo Gospodarcze

13:00-14:00

Session III: Agriculture

1/ Barriers to biogas development in the rural areas

👤 Michał Ćwil, Gobarto

2/ Agricultural biogas – market development trends

👤 Adam Orzech, NaturalnaEnergia.plus

3/ Biogas as a driver to reduce the carbon footprint of agriculture

👤 Kinga Flis, LipCo Foods

4/ Substrate in a biogas plant: where to get it and how to manage it?

👤 Marek Jedziniak, PhD., Eng., Biogas System

14:00-15:00

Lunch

15:00-16:00

Panel discussion. Competitive, modern, sustainable – agriculture of the future.

Moderated by Jolanta Kaminska, „Magazyn Biomasa”

Panelists:

👤 Roman Czernicki, Galia Green Power

👤 Jacek Dach, prof., PhD., Eng., Poznań University of Life Sciences

👤 Łukasz Karmowski, Association of Polish Distilleries

👤 Przemysław Krawczyk, Confederation Lewiatan

👤 Jerzy Próchnicki, PhD., Polish Association of Sustainable Agriculture and Food

👤 Wojciech Styburski, Agointegracja

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16:00-17:00

Session IV: Technologies, production optimization, substrate management

1/ Tanks – a key building block for agriculture, biogas, biomethane. How to choose a durable and tailored solution

👤 *Piotr Zajac, A-Consult*

2/ Solving ammonia problems in the fermentation process

👤 *Ángel Borruey, Ferro Bio*

3/ Lease of TEDOM cogeneration units – reducing risks and costs of biogas plant construction

👤 *Krzysztof Maciag, Tedom Poland*

4/ Solutions to increase the proportion of substrate in the form of manure and chicken manure in biogas and biomethane plants. Methodo know-how.

👤 *Kacper Tetera, Methodo Poland*

5/ Energy management of food waste (brown bin) in a biogas plant

👤 *Klaudiusz Nowotny, Nahtec*

17:00-17:20

Session V: Investment financing

1/ Possibilities of financing the development of biogas plants in Poland – overview of available ones support programs and examples of completed investments

👤 *Daria Górna, Edoradca and Michał Szczepański, Enerbio Eco*

17:20-18:30

Discussion panel. Subsidies, credit, loan?

👤 **Moderator: Beata Klimczak, „Biomass Magazine”**

Panelists:

👤 *Zsuzsanna Iwanicka, BOŚ Bank*

👤 *Marcin Orłowski, Galia Green Power*

👤 *Kamil Radziwon, Santander Bank Polska*

👤 *Artur Wronkowski, A-RES*

👤 *Paweł Wójtowicz, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego*

18:30

Aperitif and networking

20:30

Evening banquet

DAY II

DECEMBER 13 (FRIDAY)

10:00-11:15

Session VI: Biomethane in Poland and around the world

1/ Biomethane – a new opening?

👤 *Jakub Safjański, Confederation Lewiatan*

2/ Making biomethane affordable for buyers & profitable for developers with yield improvements

👤 *K. R. Raghunath, KIS Group*

3/ Ammongas Biogas upgrading/polishing and CO₂ capture/liquefaction systems

👤 *Michael D. Pedersen, Ammongas*

4/ Biomethane in virtual gas pipelines

👤 *Algirdas Petreikis, Biokona*

5/ Biogas upgrading to biomethane: technology and process profitability

👤 *Maksymilian Gądek, Pure BioGas Solutions*

11:15-12:15

Discussion panel. Biogas as a product – wide application possibilities in the economy.

👤 **Moderator Maciej Roik „Magazyn Biomasa”**

Panelists:

👤 *Miłosz Krzyimiński, KWE AB Energy Polska*

👤 *Sylvia Koch-Kopyszek, Green Gas for Climate*

👤 *Bartosz Safiejko, Strategy&*

👤 *TBC*

Side event:

Biogas plant – how to trust trust community? Workshops for investors. Conducted by: Paulina Legutko-Kobus, Ph.D., Institute for Environmental Protection

11:30-14:00

12:15-12:45

Coffee break

12:45-13:10

Biomethane in Ukraine – opportunities for cooperation with Poland

1/ Biomethane investments in Ukraine – current status and future plans

👤 *Maksym Sysoiev, Dentons*

13:10-14:00

Discussion panel. Ukrainian potential for biomethane production and export.

👤 **Moderation: Łukasz Szelaq, Polish-Ukrainian Chamber of Commerce.**

Panelists:

👤 *Adomas Audickas, MHP*

👤 *Georgii Geletukha, Ukraińskie Stowarzyszenie Bioenergii*

👤 *Jacek Piechota, Polsko-Ukraińska Izba Gospodarcza*

👤 *Sergii Savchuk, Vitagro*

👤 *Maksym Sysoiev, Dentons*

14:00

Summary and conclusion of the 9th Biogas Congress