

SHC - New Country Workshop

Wednesday, October 15

16:00 – 19:00 h

Venue: CNCC – Room 209B

Background of this workshop:

Over the past three years several new countries and multinational research associations have joined the IEA Solar Heating and Cooling Programme. Most of these new members come from countries outside of the OECD and therefore will certainly bring new ideas, needs and approaches for collaborative research, training and dissemination activities to the Programme. This fresh look at the Programme's work combined with over 30 years of the Programme's R&D work and training materials will certainly lead to valuable future work.

This workshop will bring together "seasoned" SHC members and new SHC members to discuss and think about how to adjust the work and Task structure of the SHC Programme to the needs and requirements of the newest members how to transfer the comprehensive knowledge available to the new members.

Agenda

16:00 h	Welcome and presentation of the aim of the workshop Werner Weiss and Michael Köhl
16:20 h	Introduction of participants
16:30 h	Topics of completed and current Tasks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brief presentation of completed and current Tasks • Are all relevant R&D and dissemination topics covered by the current Tasks?
16:50 h	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Which topics are of high relevance for the new members and not covered to date? Topics which were mentioned already are: solar sea-water desalination, solar drying and reliability and durability of components and systems in hot and humid as well as desert climates • How can the new members profit from joint tasks?
17:20	Forms of collaborative work (Pam Murphy) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working group • Task • How can new members get access to the results of completed Tasks? • How to initiate a joint activity
17:30 h	Break
17:45 h	Know-how transfer of IEA SHC results of completed Tasks – the first steps to initiate a "Solar Academy" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Available training material and pool of experts • Interest in know-how transfer activities and how to organize it
18:15 h	Financing know-how transfer activities
18:45 h	Summary and next steps
	End of workshop