



ICAP Side Event at COP19 in Warsaw, Poland

Emissions Trading Schemes Worldwide: Where Do We Stand, What Lies Ahead?

Monday, 18 November 2013, 1 PM – 3 PM

EU Side Events, Room Brussels,
1st Floor of the National Stadium, Warsaw

The use of emissions trading to address climate change is expanding around the globe. In 2013, several emission trading schemes (ETS) were launched and/or started their first compliance period. To date, ten ETS are in force, and many other governments are considering introducing ETS as part of their domestic efforts to reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

The ICAP side event will feature short presentations and a panel discussion of government representatives and carbon market experts showcasing ETS developments worldwide. Speakers will discuss recent developments in ETS in their jurisdictions, providing a representative sample of the latest trends around the globe. The discussion will highlight lessons learned from the establishment and operation of these schemes as well as prospects for further domestic ETS in the near future.

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Draft Program

1. Welcome Remarks

- **Leif Ervik**, Director General at the Norwegian Ministry of Finance and ICAP Co-Chair

2. Keynote Address

- **Yves-Francois Blanchet**, Minister of Sustainable Development, Environment, Wildlife and Parks, Québec

3. Panel Discussion

An international panel of ETS practitioners and technical experts will showcase recent developments in ETS legislation, implementation and plans in selected jurisdictions. Panelists will discuss lessons learned from the establishment and operation of these schemes as well as prospects for domestic ETS in the near future.

- **Si Jin Lee**, CEO, Korea Environment Cooperation (KECO)
- **Botagoz Khakimshanova**, leading expert at the Department of Low Carbon Development, Ministry of Environment Protection, Kazakhstan
- **Joris Pinkster**, Senior policy officer, Ministry of Infrastructure and the Environment, the Netherlands
- **Qian Guoqiang**, Strategic director of SinoCarbon, China
- **Jean-Yves Benoit**, Director carbon markets, Ministry of Sustainable Development, Environment, Wildlife and Parks, Québec

4. Closing Remarks

- **Leif Ervik**, Director General at the Norwegian Ministry of Finance and ICAP Co-Chair

Finger food and drinks will be served after the event.