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German Norwegian Energy Forum, October 11, 2019

## Technologies for Sustainable and Prosperous Energy Transition

German Norwegian Partnerships in Politics and Business

Steigenberger Parkhotel, Königsallee 1a, 40212 Düsseldorf

### Programme

Programme Chair: Gerda Geyer, Innovation Norway

Moderator: Andrea Thilo

12:00 Registration and Lunch Buffet

13:00 **Welcome and Opening Address**

Petter Ølberg, Norwegian Ambassador to Germany

#### Welcome

Prof. Dr. Andreas Pinkwart, Minister of Economic Affairs, Innovation, Digitalization and Energy of the State of North Rhine Westphalia

#### Norway's contribution to the Energy Transition

Kjell-Børge Freiberg, Minister of Petroleum and Energy, Norway

13:40 **Panel Discussion: New ways to further Integrate Renewables and Balance the Grid**

**Keynote:** Andreas Feicht, State Secretary, Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy

Christian Rynning-Tønnesen, CEO, Statkraft

Gunnar Løvås, EVP, Statnett

Andreas Feicht, State Secretary

Gordon Gassmann, CEO, Mercedes-Benz Energy, Daimler AG

Dr. Johannes Teyssen, CEO, E.ON SE

14:40 **Contributing with Innovative Battery Foils to a Future Local Value Chain on Battery Production**

Volker Backs, SVP, Hydro Aluminium Deutschland GmbH

14:50 Coffee Break

15:20 **Panel Discussion: Energiewende for German Industry with Hydrogen from Decarbonized Norwegian Natural Gas and Offshore Carbon Storage**

**Keynote:** Stephen Bull, SVP, Equinor Low Carbon Solutions

Irene Rummelhoff, EVP, Equinor

Premal Desai, CEO, Thyssenkrupp Steel Europe AG

Rob Van der Meer, Director EU Public Affairs and Investor Relations, HeidelbergCement Group

Dr. Christoph Riechmann, Director, Frontier Economics

16:20 **Innovators and Disruptors – Opportunities for Cooperation**

TheExplorer.no – Digital Marketplace for Green Technology from Norway

Manuel Kliese, Director, Innovation Norway Germany

NO-Pitch: Christian Duun Norberg, CEO, Fieldmade AS

DE-Pitch: Jan P. Brugger, COO, Fuelsave GmbH

16:35 **Conclusions of the Day with an Outlook on the Energy Transition until 2050**

Dr. Andreas Schröter, EVP, DNV GL – Energy

16:45 Networking and Refreshments

19:00 Opening of the exhibition «Edvard Munch seen by Karl Ove Knausgård» by Their Royal Highnesses Crown Prince Håkon and Crown Princess Mette-Marit of Norway  
K20 Kunstsammlung Nordrhein-Westfalen, Grabbeplatz 5, 40213 Düsseldorf

Registered participants are invited to the official opening of the Exhibition