EUFORES
European Forum for Renewable Energy Sources

...the European cross-party parliamentary network

“European Parliamentarians for a Sustainable Energy Future”
Who is EUFORES and what do we want?

EUFORES...
...is a European cross-party parliamentary network with Members of the European Parliament and the EU national Parliaments.
...integrates a wide range of non-parliamentary actors as supporting members.
...was founded in 1995 as an independent, non-profit organisation and is a leading promoter of renewable energy and energy efficiency.
...supports the development of both fields in the European Union and the transformation of good practice into coherent policies.
...promotes the systemic integration of renewable energy and energy efficiency as key solutions for a sustainable development.
...organises the exchange of information between European, national and regional Parliamentarians, as well as between Parliamentarians and relevant stakeholders.

Challenges of today's energy system
- EU's energy import dependency and insecurity of energy supply
- High energy prices and growing energy poverty
- Climate change - climate emergency
- Scarce energy resources and geostrategic tensions
- Difficult economic environment

What needs to be done?
- Promote renewable energy and energy efficiency
- Develop effective framework conditions and markets
- Implement intelligent energy policies and instruments in the EU Member States
- Facilitate exchange of experience
- Create political actions among Europe’s Parliamentarians

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EUFORES is the cross-party parliamentary network for renewable energy and energy efficiency in Europe

What does EUFORES do?

EUFORES...
...connects the leading members of the European Parliament, EU national and regional parliaments working on sustainable energy issues.
...integrates key actors from science, industry and civil society into its network to create new channels of communication.
...organises a variety of events and platforms (Inter-Parliamentary Meetings, national parliamentary workshops, MEP roundtables with EU Commissioners and EU Council Presidencies, EP dinners, Advisory Committee meetings etc.).
...provides access to political and scientific advice and disseminates up-to-date information.
...facilitates the exchange of views on EU and national legislation to support legislative initiatives and proposals.
...manages a diversity of projects supporting the implementation of EU legislation in the Member States.

Why join EUFORES?

• To be part of the European parliamentary network and its political action
• To support effective policies for renewable energy and energy efficiency
• To get involved in the exchange of experience among policy makers and key-actors in the field
• To include your practical experience and visions about renewable energy and energy efficiency for successful policy frameworks
• To support the management of EUFORES and strengthen its work force in the Brussels Secretariat
• To be part of a great vision, to support its transformation into policy and to contribute to a more sustainable energy future
• To make the EU energy transition real

Parliamentary Members
• Free participation in Inter-Parliamentary Meetings (IPM) & all other events
• Access to advice by EUFORES & its Advisory Committee
• Full integration into the EUFORES network
• Full voting rights in General Assembly
• MEPS & MPs can join forces and support each others political actions

Supporting Members
EU Industry Associations, Companies, NGOs
• Seat in EUFORES Advisory Committee
• Free participation in IPMs and other relevant EUFORES events
• Regular updates about EU policies
• Prominent position of name and logo on EUFORES website
• Reduced-rate sponsorship opportunities
Structure of EUFORES

Board of Presidents
President + 2 Vice-Presidents (MEPs)

Secretary General
Secretariat

Reports
Nominates & controls

General Assembly
Constitute
Exchange

Advisory Committee
Can be invited to attend

Extended Board
MEPs from all major political groups

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EUFORES Membership Application

Please fill in and return to EUFORES via postal mail or use our online membership form under www.eufores.org.

Personal Details

Name
Organisation
Position
Address

Telephone
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E-mail

Choice of Membership

Parliamentary Membership

- Member of Parliament EU Member State or Member of the European Parliament ............ Free of charge

Supporting Membership

- EU Industry Associations** ................. 5,300-21,000 Euro*
- Companies .................................. 10,600 Euro*
- Non-profit organisations (NGOs, scientific institutes, national associations and others) .......... 2,650 Euro*
- Individual Members ......................... 500 Euro*

Herewith I would like to apply for EUFORES Membership

Location & Date

Signature

* Amounts excluding VAT (21% VAT will be added where applicable). Fees are adapted regularly. Please check EUFORES website.

** Fee calculation based on your annual membership fee turnover, i.e. your annual fee = 5,300 EUR + 2.65% of your membership fee turnover of the previous year. A maximum of 21,000 EUR applies.