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INVITATION

ENplus® / European Pellet Council

Training for auditors of pellet production plants

27-28 April 2020, Vienna

Overview

This training is organised for auditors of inspection bodies who want to perform ENplus® related audits of pellet production plants and pellet trader facilities. Participation in this training is considered adequate proof of qualification for persons intending to audit pellet plants (see requirements stated in the [ENplus® Handbook](#)).

The content of the training is provided by *BEA Institut für Bioenergie*, an organisation with extensive experience in auditing pellet plants and developing standards related to pellet quality. The main trainer will be Martin Englisch.

The training will include an introduction to the relevant standards, the requirements of ENplus®, practical training in determining physical parameters of pellets, and audits of two modern pellet production plants.

Time & Location

On Monday April 27th, participants will meet at Westbahnhof, Vienna at 09:00 (details will be provided to participants directly by the trainer). The training will begin with a visit of a pellet plant, before proceeding to the Hotel des Glücks, where lectures and practical training will take place.

On Tuesday April 28th, further lectures will take place in the morning, followed by an audit of a pellet plant in the afternoon. Participants will arrive back in Vienna at 18:00 on Tuesday evening.

Costs

The training costs 1.250 € (VAT excl). This fee includes training and documentation, accommodation for the 27th of April in the Hotel des Glücks, full board during both days and all transfer costs from Vienna to the training locations.

Participants must arrange and cover their travel costs to Vienna.

Language

The training will be held entirely in English.

Programme

Monday, 27th April

- 9:00 – 11:00 Transfer to Pellet plant „Waldviertel Pellets“
- 11:00 – 13:00 Visit Pellet plant
- 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch
- 14:00 – 14:30 Pellet markets and specific demands
- 14:30 – 15:00 Standards and certification procedure
- 15:00 – 15:30 Coffee
- 15:30 – 16:00 Physical and chemical properties
- 16:00 – 16:30 Quality parameters
- 16:30 – 18:00 Practical training

Tuesday, 28th April

- 9:00 – 10:30 Audit and documents
- 10:30 – 10:45 Coffee
- 10:45 – 11:00 Carbon footprint
- 11:00 – 11:45 Trade and remote audits
- 11:45 – 12:45 Lunch
- 12:45 – 13:45 Transfer pellet plant “RZ Ybbs”
- 13:45 – 16:00 Audit Ybbs
- 16:00 – 17:30 Transfer Wien
- 17:30 – 18:00 Visit of testing laboratory

Registration

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Note

The maximum number of participants is **12**. To ensure a place, please register early. Registration closes **March 27th 2020**.

The registration is only valid after the bank transfer of the participation fee has been received (an invoice will be sent once the registration is done). **Payment on site is not possible.**

Cancellation prior to March 27th will be reimbursed in full for the participants who cannot attend the training. Cancellations made between March 27th and April 1th will be reimbursed for 50% of the participation fee. Cancellation made from April 1th onwards will not be reimbursed. However, the participant may name a substitute to attend in their place.