

## BEPA General Assembly & Polish Battery Ecosystem Workshop

### MONDAY, 19 MAY 2025 – 12:30-18:00

TIME	BEPA GENERAL ASSEMBLY- MEMBERS ONLY
12:30 – 14:00	<i>Lunch and registration process</i>
14:00 – 14:05	<i>Welcoming words from BEPA</i> <i>Michael Lippert, President, BEPA &amp; Director Innovations and Solutions, SAFT</i>
14:05 – 14:15	<i>Welcoming words from the Polish Government</i> <i>Dr Maria Smietanka, Vice- Director of National Contact Point, The National Centre for Research and Development</i>
14:15 – 14:25	<i>Welcoming words from the European Commission (video)</i> <i>Beatrice Coda, Head of Unit, Unit RTD.C.2. (Clean Energy Transitions), DG Research and Innovation, EU Commission</i>
14:25 – 14:45	<i>BATT4EU: Update on the Work Programme 2026-27</i> <i>Marina Urbina, EU Programmes Manager, CEA</i> <i>Franz Geyer, Head of Technology &amp; Strategy, BMW Group</i>
14:45 – 15:00	<i>BATT4EU Projects: first results</i> <i>Timothé Perruchoud, Policy Officer, BEPA</i> <i>Justo Garcia, Coordinator of RESPECT</i> <i>Silvia Bodoardo, Coordinator of GIGAGREEN</i>
15:00-15:10	<i>2025 BEPA Activities: Updates from the BEPA Office</i> <i>Wouter IJzermans, Executive Director, BEPA</i>

15:10-15:25	<p><b>What is next? Battery research in the next European budget</b>  <i>Fabrice Stassin, Secretary General, BEPA</i>  <i>Bozorg Khanbaei, Policy Officer, BEPA</i></p>
15:25-15:30	<p><b>New member applications – FOR DECISION</b>  <i>Edel Sheridan, Senior Business Developer, Sintef</i></p>
15:30 – 15:40	<p><b>Elections for the 3 open governing positions – FOR DECISION</b>  <i>Wouter IJzermans, Executive Director, BEPA</i>  <i>Manasa Sridhar, Innovation, Funding and Cooperation Manager, Iveco Group</i></p>
15:45-16:15	<p><b>Refreshment break /voting</b></p>
16:15-16:25	<p><b>Announcement of election results</b>  <i>Wouter IJzermans, Executive Director, BEPA</i>  <i>Manasa Sridhar, Innovation, Funding and Cooperation Manager, Iveco Group</i></p>
16:25 – 16:40	<p><b>BEPA Financial Accounts 2024 – FOR APPROVAL</b>  <i>Wouter IJzermans, Executive Director, BEPA</i>  <i>Daniel Gloesner, Treasurer, BEPA</i></p>

TIME	<i>The Polish battery ecosystem- WORKSHOP – OPEN TO NON-MEMBERS</i>
16:40-18:05	<p><b>16:40-16:55 Overview of Polish battery ecosystem</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Aleksander Rajch</b>, CEO, The Polish Association of New mobility (PSNM)</li> </ul> <p><b>16:55- 17:10 The Polish market for battery energy storage</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Krzysztof Müller</b>, President, Chairman of the Program Council of the Polish Chamber of Energy Storage and Electromobility – PIME, President PGE Renewable Energy</li> </ul> <p>- <b>17:10- 17:20 Polish involvement in European projects</b> <b>Prof. Marek Marcinek</b>, Technical University Warsaw</p> <p><b>Looking beyond Poland: the future outlook for Czechia, Slovakia and Hungary</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>17:20- 17:30 Magda Zemanov</b>, Vice-Chairman, Czech Battery Cluster (CBC)(online)</li> <li>- <b>17:30- 17:40 Patrik Krizansky</b>, Vice President at E-Mobility Europe, Director at SEVA (online)</li> <li>- <b>17:40-17:50 Dr. Péter Kaderják</b> , Managing Director, Hungarian Battery Association(online)</li> <li>- <b>17:50-18:00 Q&amp;A (10 minutes)</b></li> </ul>

- *18:00-18:05 Concluding Remarks*  
*Micheal Lippert, BEPA & Director Innovations and Solutions, SAFT*

18:30-23:00

*Networking Dinner at Presidential Hotel Restaurant, Floor N 2*