Thinksmartgrids promotes the expertise of its members in Barcelona

Paris, November 14th, 2016. The Think Smartgrids association will be at the European Utility week in Barcelona, from November 15th to 17th. They will be at the French pavilion (no.3D105.5), alongside Business France and the ADEME (French Environment and Energy Management Agency). (During the exhibition, the Association will be promoting the industry in an original manner through five themed visits: Managing network assets, Storage, Flexibility of the IoT network for smart grids, Smart homes and Smart buildings.

The five themed visits, lasting an hour and a half, organised daily and leaving from the French Pavilion, promote the innovation of “The Smartgrids France team” and the tangible results of collaborative and international projects. They are designed for network coordinators and electricity market stakeholders.

They will explain:

- How to design, manage and maintain an effective transport and distribution network using data collection, storage capacities, advanced analytical solutions and how to provide an efficient service with network flexibility.

- The possibilities for energy storage which improve the flexibility of electric systems and the range of possibilities that storage provides for the different stakeholders.

- How the IoT for Smart Grids will improve network performance and energy efficiency by creating flexible and connected networks bringing together software, data platforms and applications.

- How to prepare for the increase in the electricity consumption of buildings which will represent 80% of world consumption over the next 25 years, with highly efficient, flexible and connected buildings (smart buildings).

- How to develop network flexibility and energetic conservancy through the use of new processes and how France fits into this demand / response industry.

After a presentation of the French pavilion, the visitors will have the opportunity to meet the French companies involved in the solution in attendance at the European Utility Week.

Registration mandatory on contact@thinksmartgrids.fr
About the “Think Smartgrids” Association:

The association is presided over by Philippe Monloubou, Chairman of the Board for Enedis. Its Vice-Presidents are Olivier Grabette, member of the Management Board of RTE and Serge Subiron, CEO of the company Ijenko.
It is composed of members from the business world, universities, competitive clusters and stakeholders in the electricity industry and some small companies* (complete list of partners at the end of this release.)

The association also has two members with observer status: the CRE and the French state, through the Directorate General for Enterprise and the Directorate General for Energy and climate.

In particular, the association is in charge of:
➤ Federating and developing the smart grids Sector in France;
➤ Promoting the sector in Europe and across the world;
➤ Representing its members and their accomplishments among the industry’s key stakeholders.

- Find out more about the Think Smartgrids association on www.thinksmartgrids.fr.

*Associated members
ABB, Accenture, Atos, Capgemini, CEA, EDF, Enedis, EY, GE Grid solutions, Gimelec, Grenoble INP, Cofely INEO, Mines Paris Tech, Nokia, Omexom (Vinci), RTE, SAGEMCOM, Schneider Electric, Setec, Siemens

Partner members
National laboratory for metrology and testing, Ericsson, Ecole des Ponts, AFPA, Assystem, Bearing Point, Centrale/Supelec, Yélé, the 11 competitive clusters (Cap Energies, Systematic, Advancy, Alsace Energievie, Derbi, Images et Reseaux, Minalogic, S2E2, SCS, Systematic, Tenerrdis) and Médiée, 8 ELD (Anroc, ES reseaux, FNSICAE, GEG, Geredis, RSEIPC, SRD, URM), 3M, Itron France, SEE, SAFT, Landis +Gyr France, SNCF- innovation and research cluster, Orange, Nexans, Metal Deploye Resistor, Socomec, Seifel, Neoen, SENSEOR, groupe Cahors, Ciac international technologies, groupe Actia, ADEUNIS, Actility, Embix, Wi6-labs, IJENKO, Smartfuture, The Cosmo Company, WIT, Monabee, Levisys, Trialog, Promotelec, UFE, ZIV.

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