



Invitation to the Heliosthana 2020 Game

Simulating the Sustainable Energy Revolution in a Mediterranean Country

Barcelona, 27 June 2011, 09 – 18h

The Fundació Nous Horitzons, the Heinrich-Böll-Stiftung and WWF are pleased to invite you to a one-day training session on sustainable energy in the Mediterranean.

The aim of the training will be to introduce the participants to the basics of sustainable energy policies. The guiding question will be: How to organise within one decade a turnaround in national energy provision from current inefficient and carbon-intensive energy production modes towards more efficient, smart and renewable energy supply?

The scenario: Heliosthana 2010

Back in his country from the climate negotiations in Copenhagen, the president of Heliosthana, a small island Mediterranean country, is convinced of the urgency of setting his/her country on the sustainable energy track. Together with major stakeholders of his country, s/he launches the Heliosthana 2020 Forum. This Forum is to devise a New Heliosthana Energy Strategy towards renewable, energy-efficient, reliable and citizen-friendly energy provision for the decade 2010 - 2020.

The simulation game

After a brief presentation of the scenario, a game session will simulate the Heliosthana 2020 Forum. The participants will take over the roles of the major stakeholders of the fictive country Heliosthana. Together, they will draft the New Heliosthana Energy Strategy and an Action Plan for implementation.

What is the purpose of simulation games?

Simulation games allow the participants to jointly develop solutions for complex problems in a creative and playful manner. They often enable new and deep insights while being fun. The simulation game will be developed and conducted by planpolitik.



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