

INVITATION

ENplus® / European Pellet Council

Training for auditors of pellet production plants
4-5 November 2019, 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 November 4th, 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 November 5th, 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 4th of November 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, 4th November

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, 5th November

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 September 30th 2019.

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 September 30th will be reimbursed in full for the participants who cannot attend the training. Cancellations made between September 30th and October 4th will be reimbursed for 50% of the participation fee. Cancellation made from October 4th onwards will not be reimbursed. However, the participant may name a substitute to attend in their place.