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German American Forum on Offshore Wind Energy

Tuesday, December 3rd, 2019

German House, 871 United Nations Plaza, New York, NY 10017

08:30 am *Registration and light breakfast*

09:00 am **Welcome Remarks**

Jens Janik | Deputy Consul General

German Consulate General New York

Dietmar Rieg | President & CEO

German American Chamber of Commerce, Inc.

09:10 am **Energy Transition made in Germany – An introduction**

Camila Vargas | Consultant

energiewaechter GmbH

On behalf of the German Energy Solutions Initiative supported by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Energy (BMWi)

09:20 am **New York's Push for Offshore Wind: The Foundation and the Future**

Noah C. Shaw | Co-Chair of the Renewable Energy Practice

Hodgson Russ LLP and former General Counsel at NYSERDA

09:50 am **Grid Connection and Integration of Offshore Wind in Germany**

Dr. Lorenz Müller | Head of Regulatory Affairs

50Hertz Transmission GmbH

10:20 am *Coffee Break*

10:40 am **Presentations of participating German Companies in the Offshore Wind Program**

Dr. Henrik Hoff | Business Director

AP Sensing GmbH

Marcus Wübbelmann | CEO

CRANE & LOGISTICS Partner GmbH & Co. KG

Hagen Heesch | CEO

ElbeOne GmbH



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Karolina Pietrzak | Project Manager Portfoliodeswicklung Offshore Wind

EnBW Energie Baden-Württemberg AG

Christian Kemper-tho Seeth | Managing Director

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Stephan Lausmann | Sales Director Wind Energy

Liebherr-Components GmbH

Joshua von Hofe | Owner & Teamlead

PSA Zentrale – Offshore Rescue Training Center

Dr. Benjamin Vordemfelde | Managing Director

SeaReenergy Offshore Holding GmbH & Cie. KG

12:40 pm *Lunch Break*

01:20 pm **Offshore Wind in Germany & Europe – A pillar of the energy transition**

Tim Bruns | Senior Manager Public Affairs

Association of German Offshore Wind Farm Operators (BWO)

01:50 pm **James F. Bennet | Program Manager and Chief of the Office of Renewable Energy Programs**

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM)

02:20 pm *Coffee Break*

02:40 pm **State representatives' roundtable - Panel Discussion**

Moderator: Carrie Cullen Hit | Executive Director

National Offshore Wind Research and Development Consortium

Doreen Harris | Vice President (to be confirmed)

New York State Energy Research and Development Authority (NYSERDA)

Sy Oytan | Director, Sector Development – Offshore Wind

New Jersey Economic Development Authority (NJEDA)

Hilary Fagan | Executive Vice President Business Development

Rhode Island Commerce Corporation

Gerald Reid | Commissioner (to be confirmed)

Maine Department of Environmental Protection



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03:40 pm **Q&A**

04:10 pm Networking, Snacks & Drinks

04:40 pm *End of Event*



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