



Register of EUS partners' attendance at events

CSP Today, Cape Town 2015

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Before the event	
Name of event	CSP Today, 4th Annual Concentrated Solar Thermal Power Conference & Exhibition
Date	14-15 April 2015
Location	Cape Town, South Africa
Event organizer	CSP Today
Event website	www.csptoday.com
Description of the event (objective, target audience, etc.)	<p>The event focused on the following points, as stated in their website:</p> <p>FINANCING - Examine the technical and legal criteria you must meet to reach financial close and prove your bankability to overcome increasing competition for project finance</p> <p>REGULATION -Discuss key regulatory challenges with official decision makers behind the REIPPPP to simplify your path to winning projects in Window V and beyond</p> <p>TECHNICAL EXCELLENCE - Get the very latest methods for streamlined plant design, construction and O&M to guarantee record breaking efficiency and a competitive LCOE</p> <p>LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE - Analyse current transmission hurdles and identify future connection challenges for CSP to effectively work with Eskom and reduce your costs</p> <p>BEYOND THE REIPPPP - Unlock project opportunities in</p>

	Namibia and South Africa´s industrial energy market to boost your pipeline and grow your business”
(Draft) Agenda (external link, or in annex to be uploaded to Box)	http://www.csptoday.com/southafrica/conference-agenda.php
EU-SOLARIS partner(s) attending the event: name, entity, role (speaker, participant), etc.	Advanced Technology Centre for Renewable Energies – CTAER attendee, Sol LUCA DE TENA. She also represented the Board of the Spanish Chamber of Commerce in Southern Africa.
Communication / dissemination material needed (type of material and estimated quantities).	100 project brochures were printed. 50 of which were included in the Chamber’s communication material within their stand, optimizing the reach of dissemination. The other 50 were handed to interested parties
After the event	
Brief description of activities, conclusions, next steps, recommendations, etc.	<p>The delegate verbally presented the project to interested parties; they included government representatives, as well as industry and other RTD players.</p> <p>The main conclusions were that;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The project holds a lot of interest for third countries, as a focal point to access the EU RTD community. - Participation in similar events, such as this one, and project dissemination are important during this PP phase to awaken or maintain interest in the project. <p>It is recommended that strong project dissemination is activated to wide, albeit key, audiences, as the project leads up to Implementation Phase.</p>
Estimated number of participants, if possible.	According to the event website, “30 + Speakers / 190 + attendees / 15 + Sponsors / 17 different countries” attended
List of annexes	- Project brochure (available in the link)



E.g.: agenda, participants list, power point presentations, conclusion, pictures, etc. to be uploaded to Box here (EU-SOLARIS PROJECT\Official Documentation\Other\Events.)	
Other	N/A