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ETN WELCOMES OUR NEW SWISS MEMBER

AST Turbo, a service provider from Switzerland, joined ETN in February 2018. We are pleased to welcome AST Turbo to the ETN network!

2 WEEKS UNTIL AGM & WORKSHOP 2018 IN BUCHAREST — STILL TIME TO REGISTER!

ETN Annual General Meeting (AGM) and Workshop will take place on 14-15 March in Bucharest, Romania, hosted by our member COMOTI. See below all the necessary information in a nutshell:

<u>Visit to COMOTI</u>: COMOTI has kindly invited the ETN members to visit their facilities in the morning of 14 March. The bus will depart from the Athénée Palace Hilton hotel at 08:00, and will bring the participants back to the hotel around 10:30.

<u>AGM:</u> ETN Annual General Meeting will be held on 14 March at Athénée Palace Hilton hotel. The programme will start at 12:00 with a welcome lunch and registration.

<u>Dinner:</u> COMOTI will host the AGM dinner on 14 March at Caru' cu bere restaurant, a traditional Romanian restaurant situated in the old town of Bucharest.

<u>Workshop:</u> ETN Workshop will take place on 15 March at the Polytechnic University of Bucharest.

<u>Transport:</u> There will be a bus pickup from the Hilton hotel to the Polytechnic University in the morning of 15 March, as well as from the Polytechnic University to the airport after the Workshop.

Registration: It is still possible to register for the AGM and Workshop via this link.



<u>Accommodation:</u> ETN has negotiated special rates for rooms at Athénée Palace Hilton hotel on 13-15 March. You may book your accommodation by following <u>this link</u> (no group code or account is needed). This offer is available until Monday 5 March.

Agenda: Updated agenda with more information is available on our website.

USER GROUP STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING (SGT-A35 & LM2500):

ETN held a meeting for the User Group Steering Committee members on 31 January 2018 in Florence, Italy, in conjunction with the BHGE Annual Meeting. The Steering Committee performed a review and prioritisation of reported GT related issues on these engines in preparation for the forthcoming meetings in April (SGT-A35) and June (LM2500). A meeting among the partners of the LM2500 Bearing Project also took place on 1 February at BHGE facilities in Florence. The next Steering Committee teleconference call will be held in the beginning of March.

EUROPEAN STRATEGIC ENERGY TECHNOLOGY PLAN (SET-PLAN) UPDATES

<u>SET-Plan Action 5 – New materials and technologies for buildings:</u>

On 31 January 2018, the temporary Working Group meeting was held in Brussels, where ETN presented the main research topics of micro-CHP technologies for buildings, according to the inputs received by the ETN members.

SET-Plan Action 6 – Energy efficiency for industry:

ETN attended the Working Group meeting on 26 February 2018 in Brussels, where the Working Group members discussed the organisation of the workshop taking place in Brussels in June 2018. This workshop will gather together experts to discuss the potential cooperation programmes to be funded at national level with the support of the EU. If you would like to join this workshop, please contact Ugo Simeoni at us@etn-gasturbine.eu.

SET-Plan Action 9 – Carbon Capture Utilisation and Storage:

ETN attended the Working Group meeting in The Hague on 30 January 2018, where the Working Group members met to monitor and discuss the Implementation Plan.

ETIP SNET GOVERNING BOARD MEETING

ETN attended the ETIP SNET Governing Board meeting on 24 January 2018. The meeting discussions focused on the development of the vision document for the Smart Networks for Energy Transition, which is being developed at a Working Group level. The representatives of ETN in the WG3 – Flexible Generation are contributing to the development of the vision.



UPCOMING EVENTS:

ETN meetings:

- **ETN Board meeting**: 14 March 2018, Bucharest, Romania
- ETN Annual General Meeting and Workshop: 14-15 March 2018, Bucharest, Romania
- ➤ SGT-A35 (Industrial RB211) User Group meeting: 26-27 April 2018, Sitges (Barcelona), Spain
- ➤ LM2500 User Group meeting: 20-21 June 2018, Berlin, Germany
- ➤ High Level User meeting: 9 October 2018, Brussels, Belgium
- ➤ International Gas Turbine Conference 2018: 10-11 October 2018, Brussels, Belgium

Other meetings and conferences:

- Frame 6FA User Conference 2018, organised by GTUsers.com: 17-19 April, Vienna, Austria
- NexTurbine: 24-25 May 2018, Kunshan (Shanghai), China
- > ASME Turbo Expo: 11-15 June 2018, Lillestrøm (Oslo), Norway
- > Electrify Europe: 19-21 June 2018, Vienna, Austria

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