Report on the BAEE Activities in 2016

In 2016, the BAEE continued to organise seminars and workshop, both in the Netherlands and Belgium. In addition, the BAEE is organizing the IAEE 2018 International Conference in cooperation with the University of Groningen and the Energy Academy Europe.

5th BAEE Research Workshops on Energy Economics

In Research Workshops, Master and PhD-students as well as experienced researchers present papers on energy economics. The purpose of these workshops is to facilitate networking between energy economics researchers in the Benelux. The fifth research workshop was held on November 4 at Delft University of Technology. It was a little smaller than other years, with about 20 participants from Belgium and the Netherlands, but a success nevertheless.

Joint workshop on Capacity Remuneration Mechanisms with the World Energy Council Chapter Belgium and the Reflectiegroep Energie (part of the Koninklijke Vlaamse Academie van België voor Wetenschappen en Kunst)

On May 11, the BAEE organized a workshop on Capacity Remuneration Mechanisms together with the World Energy Council Chapter Belgium and the Reflectiegroep Energie. Four speakers presented their views on capacity remuneration mechanisms, followed by a panel discussion. At the end of the afternoon, Prof. D'haeseleer of KU Leuven inaugurated the World Energy Council Chapter Belgium. An estimated 70 people attended the workshop.

Joint workshop with NeVER, the Dutch Association for Energy Law, on the trade in green certificates

On November 25th, the BAEE and NeVer organized a joint workshop on the trade in green certificates at the offices of Loyens & Loeff in Rotterdam that was attended by about 50 people. In three presentations, the juridical, economic and environmental perspectives were presented, after which a lively discussion developed among the participants. Evidence of the strong interest in the topic was provided by the continuation of lively discussion during the drinks afterwards.