



Department for
International Trade



Webinar: Opportunities in the UK Offshore Wind Industry

1 June 2021, 10h – 11:30h CEST (9 - 10:30am UK)

The UK is world leader in offshore wind with 10.5GW installed and operational and a target of 40GW by 2030, including 1GW of floating wind. Government support has unleashed the potential of this industry, which has seen the cost of offshore wind fall by two thirds in the last five years. This, together with the UK's clean growth objectives of net zero emissions by 2050 and recent commitment in the sixth Carbon Budget to cut 78% of emissions by 2035, will significantly boost the development of the sector.

The Prime Minister's [Ten Point Plan for a Green Industrial Revolution](#) announced in November 2020 sets out the milestones to deliver the UK's offshore wind objectives:

- £160million investment into modern ports and manufacturing infrastructure;
- Delivery of 60% UK content in offshore wind projects through more stringent requirements for supply chains in the Contract for Difference auctions;
- Building more network infrastructure, utilising smart technologies to integrate clean technologies like offshore wind.

At this webinar held in partnership with AEE, UK experts in offshore wind will present the business and investment opportunities arising from these commitments. Support from our international partners will be essential to reach the UK's ambitious targets in this sector.

We will also have a short session on rules for the movement of people in the UK as a result of the recent exit from the EU.

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Introductions

- Juan Virgilio Márquez – AEE Spanish Wind Association
- Marianne Carlin, Department for International Trade, British Embassy Madrid

Overview of the UK Offshore Wind Sector

Karl John, Renewable Energy Specialist, Department for International Trade

North of Scotland Offshore Wind Cluster: Scottish Offshore Wind Market Update

Paul O'Brien, Senior Development Manager, DeepWind

UK R&D Activity/Potential Collaborations: Introduction to the Floating Offshore Wind Centre of Excellence

Ralph Torr, Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult (ORE)

Opportunities for Spanish Supply Chain in UK Offshore Wind projects

Kirsty Adams, Senior Supply Chain Strategy Manager, Scottish Power

EU Immigration and People Movement

Juliet Oury, Managing Partner, Oury Clark

Q&A