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EGEC Annual General Meeting: New board elected, coordinators for thematic panels, new auditors

On 16 November 2007 the members of EGEC had been invited for the Annual General Meeting 2007 in the Renewable Energy House, Brussels. The detailed minutes will be available for download soon in the member's section of the website.

The year 2007 marked the end of term for the 3rd board, and the election of the 4th board of EGEC, which consists of the following persons:

Burkhard Sanner, Germany, president
Tevfik Kaya, Turkey, vice president
Peter Seibt, Germany, vice president
Miklos Antics, Romania/France, secretary
Christian Boissavy, France, treasurer
Doina Cucueteanu, Romania, member
Olafur Flovenz, Iceland, member



Meeting in the REH on 19.11.2007

Also at the same meeting several persons have been appointed as **coordinators for thematic panels**, to assist the EGEC staff and the board in the relevant thematic areas:

Geothermal Electricity	–	<i>Ruggero Bertani</i> , Italy
Geothermal Heat incl. GSHP	–	<i>Erich Mands</i> , Germany
Research agenda 2020/2050	–	<i>Fabrice Boissier</i> , France, and <i>Rudolf Minder</i> , CH
Policy	–	<i>Pierre Ungemach</i> , France
Legislation and regulations	–	<i>Roisin Goodman</i> , Ireland

The panel on statistics for the public, EU-commission and interested groups will be coordinated by board members *Miklos Antics* and *Burkhard Sanner*.

Further themes and coordinators might be appointed as appropriate.

Three **new auditors** have been elected by the AGM participants, to review and audit the accounting and procedures of EGEC and report to the next AGM, as set forth in the statutes:

Jean-Louis Debeaumont, Belgium
Rudolf Minder, Switzerland
Ric Pasquali, Ireland

The president thanked the members of the outgoing 3rd board for their service, and expressed his gratitude in particular for Jean-Louis Debeaumont, who had hosted the EGEC office in Brussels from the foundation in 1998 until the move into the Renewable Energy House in the beginning of 2006. Without his help and support, EGEC could not have started and grown as it did.

The term of office of the new, the 4th board will be until the AGM 2010.



The new EGEC board (from left): Seibt, Orhan Mertoglu (guest, chairman of the European Regional Branch of IGA), Boissavy, Sanner, Antics, Kaya (missing: Cucueteanu, Flovenz)