

Venue: Centre for Research & Technology Hellas (CERTH/CPERI)
6th km. Charilaou-Thermi road, Thessaloniki, GR-57001 Greece

Preliminary Agenda

13:00 – 13:30	Registration
13:30 – 14:00	Opening and Welcome <i>CERTH, University of Limerick, Aristotle University</i>
14:00 - 16:30	<u>DIBANET scientific introduction</u> Selected feedstock from Europe and Latin America <i>Dr. Daniel Hayes, University of Limerick, Ireland</i> Levulinic Acid Reactor and Process Development <i>Dr. J.J. Leahy, University of Limerick, Ireland</i> Solid acid catalysts <i>Prof. Victor Teixeira da Silva, Federal University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil</i> Pyrolysis and gasification for biorefineries <i>TBC</i>
16:30 – 17:00	Coffee break & poster session parallelly
17:00 - 18:00	<u>SMART CHP scientific introduction</u> Sub-Biorefinery: Gasification of Biomass <i>Anastasia Zabaniotou, Ass. Prof. Auth and CERTH collaborator</i> Greek Biomass Resources and Biofuels <i>Spyros Kyritsis, Emeritus Prof. Agricultural University of Athens</i> Biomass Gasification activities in Thessaly Region <i>Bellis Vasileios, Chemical Engineer ANKA</i>
18:00 -	Poster session with reception

DIBANET (www.dibanet.org), the **Development of Integrated Biomass Approaches Network**, is a 42 month, € 3.73m research project that is funded by the EU's Seventh Framework Program. DIBANET offers the possibility of converting agricultural residues and wastes into sustainable diesel miscible fuels and additional value added products.

The Networking event will be co-organised with the LIFE project „**SMART - CHP Demonstration of a Small scale Mobile Agricultural Residue gasification unit for decentralized Combined Heat and Power production**”: <http://smartchp.eng.auth.gr/en>