



News on Crowdfunding for Renewable Energy July 2017

[Incentive schemes for citizen:](#)

[Will the French energy r/evolution inspire the rest of Europe?](#)

Recent French and German incentives schemes to engage citizen in the roll-out of renewables demonstrate two things. Firstly, there is a real move towards greater financial involvement of citizen. Secondly, there is no common approach across EU Member States.

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[Crowdfunding boosts green power](#)

King's Lodge, in the English county of Wiltshire, has 96 solar panels producing around 20,000 kilowatt hours of electricity a year. The school is one of 19 in the UK that joined a project which attracted 770-thousand-euros of crowdfunding

Events



[European workshop "Crowdfunding PV projects"](#)

RAI Convention & Exhibition Centre, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, Monday 25th September 2017

The CrowdFundRES final workshop will take place on the occasion of the EU PVSEC, the European PV Solar Energy Conference and Exhibition, on Monday 25th September 2017. Join us and find out more about ideas and examples of successful PV projects financed via crowdfunding, as well as challenges and potential measures to overcome them.

[Registration form and draft agenda are available here](#)

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[When crowdfunding is Sharia compliant](#)

Starting at the bottom, creating a tangible project, sharing and limiting risk. This is what crowdfunding and Islamic finance is all about when they come together.



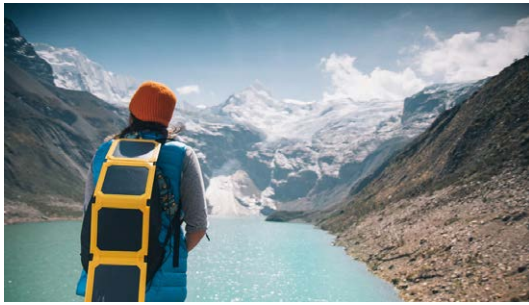
[Green energy and politics: crowdfunding to the rescue?](#)

The pressure's on for countries to honour their climate change commitments. But US President Donald Trump is threatening to tear up the Paris agreement and the UK's quitting the EU.

[Green energy: will French and German elections bring wind of change?](#)

The future of energy production is set to be a crunch issue in this year's big elections in France and Germany. The current leaders want to reduce nuclear and fossil-fuelled power. But could all that change?





[From teenager to pensioner: the green energy crowdfunders](#)

Boosting the use of renewable energy has long been an ambition in Europe. Now crowdfunding is pulling in a new generation of green investors.

[Crossing borders to crowdfund renewables](#)

Today energy crowdfunding platforms and investors experience many problems if they want to finance projects that cross the legal boundaries between the EU member states.



[Lumo & Oneplanetcrowd join on cross-border crowdfunding campaign for Solar project](#)

Lumo and Oneplanetcrowd have joined together to crowdfund a solar project located near Perpignan in the South West of France.

Guidelines



[Read our guidelines to boost the crowdfunding of renewable energy projects](#)

CrowdFundRES guidelines available for download:

[Guidelines for Investors in Clean Energy Projects via Crowdfunding](#) [Guidelines for Crowdfunding Platforms Interested in Hosting Renewable Projects](#) [Guidelines for Renewable Energy Project Developers](#)

Policy Recommendations



[Policy recommendations on regulatory and market framework improvements for crowdfunding RES projects](#)

The report collects the experiences gathered during the discussions and events organized in the framework of the CrowdFundRES project and presents a number of recommendations and measures to foster crowdfunding for renewable energies.

[Download the report here!](#)



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