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Ren21 Renewables 2013 Global Status Report Webinar Series: Focus on Australia

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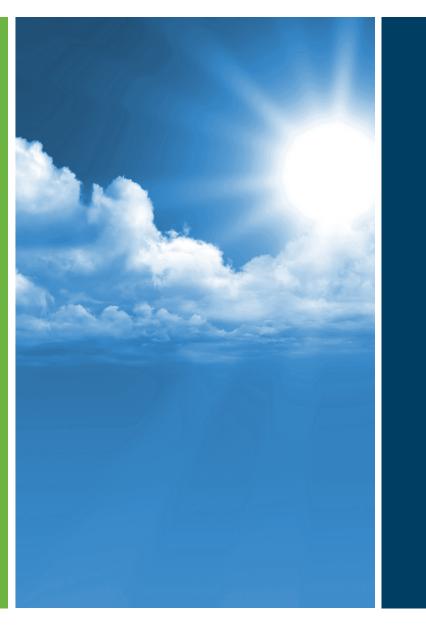
Sean Esterly - Moderator

Panelists:

Christine Lins- REN 21

David Green - Chief Executive of the Clean Energy

Council







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## Agenda

- ✓ Welcome and Introductory Remarks
- ✓ Overview of the <u>Clean Energy Solutions Center</u>
  - > Sean Esterly: National Renewable Energy Laboratory
- ✓ Presentations Panelists:
  - Christine Lins: Executive Secretary of REN21
  - > David Green: Chief Executive of the Clean Energy Council
- ✓ Survey
- ✓ Discussion and Closing Remarks





# Clean Energy Ministerial & UN Partnership Supporting the Solutions Center

- Clean Energy Ministerial (CEM) launched the Clean Energy Solutions Center in April, 2011 for major economy countries
  - One of eleven CEM Initiatives
  - Led by Australia and U.S. with other CEM partners
- Partnership with UN-Energy is extending scope to support all developing countries
  - Enhance resources on policies relating to energy access, small to medium enterprises (SMEs), and financing programs
  - Offer expert policy assistance to all countries
  - Expand peer to peer learning and training









# Clean Energy Solutions Center http://www.CleanEnergySolutions.org

#### Goals

- Serve as a first-stop clearinghouse of clean energy policy resources.
- Share policy best practices, data, and analysis tools across countries.
- Deliver dynamic services that will enable expert assistance, learning, and peer to peer sharing of experiences
- Foster dialogue on emerging policy issues and innovation across the globe.

#### Target Audiences

- Primary:
  - Energy policy makers and advisors
  - Analysts
- Secondary:
  - Private sector companies,
  - Energy entrepreneurs and investors
  - Non Governmental Organizations
  - Civil society
  - Others engaged in clean energy







#### Ask an Expert: Our Experts in Action

















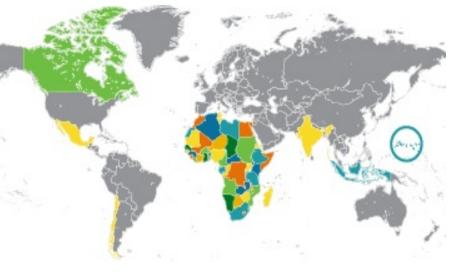




We connect you to a global network of energy experts for personalized attention and quick response technical assistance on **strategies**, **regulations**, **standards**, **financial incentives**, **and deployment programs** for a broad range of clean energy sectors and technologies including:



- ➤ Renewable Energy
- ➤ Energy Access
- ➤ Energy Efficiency
- **≻Smart Grid**
- ➤ Transportation
- **>**Utilities



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#### How You Can Get Involved

- Request expert assistance or tailored technical resources for your country
- Participate in webinars, training activities, and policy networks
- Offer advice and suggest resources to share
- Register for our newsletter







#### **Christine Lins:** Executive Secretary of REN21



**Christine Lins** Christine Lins was appointed as Executive Secretary of REN21, the Renewable Energy Policy Network of the 21st Century, in July 2011. During the last 10 years, she served as Secretary General of the European Renewable Energy Council, the united voice of Europe's renewable energy industry. Lins has more than 17 years of working experience in the field of renewable energy sources. Previously, she worked in a regional energy agency in Austria promoting energy efficiency and renewable energy sources. Lins holds a master's degree in international economics and applied languages.

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# **David Green**: Chief Executive of the Clean Energy Council



#### **David Green**

David Green is the Chief Executive of the Clean Energy Council. David is an Executive Director of the International Council for Sustainable Energy, having been the founding Chief Executive of the UK Business Council for Sustainable Energy, which built on his work as Director of the Combined Heat and Power Association. He holds the Award for Outstanding Contribution to Sustainable Energy made by the UK Parliamentary Renewable and Sustainable Energy Group. In his native UK, David cofounded and launched the national charity Neighborhood (nowNational) Energy Action that has worked, since 1981, with its local partners to secure warmer homes for many millions of lower income households. He is now a Vice President of National Energy Action. He was a member of the UK Government's high-level group on energy policy for the 10 years of its existence. David has worked as advisor to the Victorian State Government as well as the US Department of Energy and various institutions of the European Union. David is a Fellow of the Energy Institute; member of the Council of the UK Parliamentary Group for Energy Studies; member of the high-level UK Ministerial Advisory Group on Zero Carbon Homes; and member of the UK Government's Delegation to the World Summit on Sustainable Development.





## Time for Q&A

#### Questions







## Survey

- How did we do?
- Your feedback is important!









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