Who We Are

About Us

The event is co-organised by Green IT Amsterdam and the EURECA project - an EU Commission H2020 funded initiative designed to provide tailored solutions to help identify the cost saving opportunities whilst signposting the environmental impact of procurement choices.

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THE 5th EURECA WORKSHOP IN AMSTERDAM

AMSTERDAM

September 29, 2016

The Public Sector is moving to ever more digitisation and e-services to reduce costs under even tighter budgetary constraints. Amid growing concerns of increased energy consumption and the sustainability of IT and data centre facilities, over the past few years, many EU governments have started to push for more energy efficiency efforts, such as consolidation of public sector ICT services and uptake of innovative cooling and various Cloud initiatives.

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The event is suitable for both **public and private** sector:
- decision makers & CxO's,
- policy makers,
- ICT managers and practitioners,
- data centre managers,
- energy managers,
- procurement officers,

who will be able to share experiences and learn more about the support available under the EU EURECA project and get acquainted with current and ongoing Green ICT Practices.

The 5th EURECA Workshop

At the 'Tendering and Green IT Best Practices event, co-organised by EURECA project and Green IT Amsterdam

EURECA Tool Launch!

Thursday 29th September 2016

Center for Mathematics and Computer Science (CWI) Science Park (Congress Center entrance)

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Centrum Wiskunde & Informatica

TENDERING AND GREEN IT BEST PRACTICES EVENT

(Including EURECA Tool launch!)

The procurement of sustainable digital infrastructure allows organisations to not only contribute to CSR objectives, but also allows for considerate use of resources and materials and comprehensive cost-benefit analysis while creating new opportunities for innovative solutions.

The **EURECA project** and **Green IT Amsterdam** are pleased to announce their jointly organised event where Digital infrastructure, procurement and sustainability meet, on September 29 2016.

The day's programme provides a journey of exploration through topics such as:

- Opportunities for datacenters and serverroom improvements for when expanding, upgrading, retrofitting, consolidating, outsourcing or new build.
- What to incorporate in tenders, which KPI's and requirements to look for and what standards to use.
- Is there a relation between sustainability and functionality and performance?
- Examples and best practices: what savings potential can adopting power management bring, how do you approach a consolidation effort and which potentials are still to be uncovered in 'Green Clouds'.

The EU funded EURECA project will launch a new tool based on a framework that supports the procurement of sustainable digital infrastructure (services) by the Public Sector through facilitation of benchmarking, identifying improvement opportunities, showcasing innovative solutions and supplier matchmaking

Programme 29 september

09.45   Arrival, coffee and registration

10:00   Opening by Green IT Amsterdam

10:15   Keynote – "A consolidation programme for government datacenters experience" by Dennis Kerssens, Min of the Interior and Kingdom Relations

11:00   Keynote – "The Hague's square kilometre" by Pieter Duijves, HP Enterprise

11:45   "EAFIP – European Assistance for Innovation Procurement" by Ana Lucia Jaramillo, Corvers/EAFIP Project

12:00   Lunch

13:00   EURECA's Tool launch – Presenting and demonstrating the workings of EURECA's procurement support tool.

Coffee break

14:30   EURECA Training - Context & background

        Linking EU and national climate goals, datacenters and procurement

15:15   EURECA Training - "Magnificant 7":

        Seven main Standards & Best practices, with special consideration for DCMM and EUCoC.

        Followed, by CTO Tim Chambers on his experience of being a EUCoC participant

16:15   Green Software initiatieves -

        Showcasing several eyecatching results of case studies on the relation between (Green) software and managing energy consumption.

17:00   ***Reception drinks and networking.***

The project and event is supported by

Registration

To register, please follow this link:

https://www.dceureca.eu/workshop/the-5th-eureca-workshop

The event is free to attend and registration is on a first come, first served basis (due to space constraints).

Date

Wednesday 29th September 2016
09:30 – 17:00

Venue

The venue is Center for Mathematics and Computer Science (CWI) - Science Park Congress Center entrance

It is located at: Science Park 123, Amsterdam, the Netherlands

For more information on how to get here, please follow this link:

https://www.cwi.nl/contact-and-route