



“Research and Innovation Opportunities for a fossil-free Europe”

A **SUNERGY & CO₂ VALUE EUROPE** joint brokerage event on EU funding

29 April 2021, 13:00 – 16:15 (CET)

With the Green Deal and the Climate Law, the European Union (EU) has strongly engaged to take the global lead in mitigating climate change. To serve this effort, numerous initiatives and funding opportunities are arising to support R&I towards a more sustainable and fossil-free industry.

SUNERGY and CO₂ Value Europe are co-organising a brokerage virtual event to present and discuss EU funding opportunities related to Carbon Capture and Utilisation (CCU) and fossil free fuels, chemicals and materials.

The event will take place on **Thursday, the 29th of April 2021 from 1pm to 4:15pm (CET)** and will include presentations of the new Horizon Europe program as well as the Innovation Fund. Moreover, participants will be given the opportunity to pitch their ideas and to participate in match-making bilateral conversations and round-table discussions during the last hour of the event.

For more information, see agenda below.

Agenda:

Session content	Speaker	Time	Approx. duration
Welcome & introduction	Anastasios Perimenis, <i>Secretary General, CVE</i>	5 min	1 - 2 pm
About CO ₂ Value Europe	Célia Sapart, <i>Director Communications & Climate Science, CVE</i>	8 min	
About SUNERGY	Bert Weckhuysen, <i>Utrecht University, SUNERGY Coordinator</i>	8 min	
Horizon Europe – the EU Research & Innovation Programme 2021-2027	Lucia Fernandez Macia, <i>Project Manager in the Unit Industry, European Health & Digital Executive Agency</i>	15 min	
EIC Challenges: calls on Green Technologies	Francesco Matteucci and Marco Antonio Pantaleo, <i>EIC Greentech Programme Managers</i>	10 min	
Innovation Fund	Maria Velkova, <i>Policy Officer, Finance for Low Carbon Innovation, DG CLIMA</i>	10 min	
Q&As		5 min	
Break		10 min	2 - 2.10 pm
Most relevant calls in Horizon Europe cluster 4 & 5	Frédéric Chandezon, <i>CEA, SUNERGY Deputy Coordinator</i>	20 min	2.10 - 3 pm
Pitches	~ 6 pitches foreseen	30 min	
Networking meetings + breakout sessions (Conversation Starter platform)	All speakers and participants		3 - 4 pm
Conclusions & next steps	Maximilian Fleischer, <i>Siemens Energy, SUNERGY Industrial Board Chair & Anastasios Perimenis, Secretary General, CVE</i>		4 - 4.10 pm
<i>Moderator: Anastasios Perimenis, Secretary General, CVE</i>			

About the organisers:



SUNERGY is a pan-European research and innovation platform that gathers science, industry and other key players to work towards the conversion and storage of renewable energy into fossil-free fuels and chemicals to reach a climate neutral Europe.



CO₂ Value Europe is a non-profit organization representing the Carbon Capture and Utilisation (CCU) community in Europe. Its mission is to promote the development of sustainable industrial solutions that convert CO₂ into valuable products (materials, fuels or chemicals) to mitigate climate change and move away from fossil resources.