



ener2i

ENERgy Research to Innovation

Reinforcing cooperation with Eastern Partnership (EaP) countries on bridging the gap between energy research and energy innovation

<http://www.ener2i.eu/>





ener2i – basic facts

- > **Project Coordinator** – Centre for Social Innovation (ZSI), Vienna, Austria
- > **Duration** – 36 Months, October 2013-September 2016
- > **EaP target countries** – Armenia, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova
- > **EU partners** – Austria, Hungary, Germany; (and Netherlands, Norway and others through eseia network)





ener2i – basic facts

- > Implemented by a consortium of 11 partners, including:
 - research organisations in the energy and innovation fields,
 - innovation funding agencies,
 - service providers, and
 - SME support agencies
- > **Project Budget** – around € 1 million, supported in the EU's 7th Framework Programme for RTD (FP7)





ener2i project partners

- Centre for Social Innovation – ZSI, Austria
- Regional Centre for Information and Scientific Development - RCISD, Hungary
- European Sustainable Energy Innovation Alliance - eseia, Austria
- Belarusian Institute of Systems Analysis and Information Support - BelISA, Belarus
- National Academy of Sciences – NAS-RA, Armenia
- Agency for Innovation and Technology Transfer - AITT, Moldova
- Technology Transfer Association - TTA, Armenia
- Belarusian Innovation Fund - BIF, Belarus
- Union “Energy Efficiency Center Georgia” – EEC, Georgia
- energy engineers - ee, Germany
- Organization for Small and Medium Enterprises Sector Development - ODIMM, Moldova





ener2i – project mission

- > Improve knowledge transfer and innovation support in the field of renewable energies (RES) and energy efficiency (EE)
- > Stimulate linkages between research and innovation with effective knowledge transfer methods (brokerages, etc.)
- > Establish sustainable cooperation between research and innovation actors across EU and ENP countries
- > Address EE and RES in the business sector, improving the innovation performance of business in EE/RES



Main project activities

Analysis & Recommendations

Brokerage events

Clustering

Training & Capacity Building

Twinning

Innovation Vouchers



Preliminary Results of ener2i





ener2i EE/RES country reports (I)

- Country reports on EE/RES in AM, BY, GE, MD published,

The screenshot shows the website interface for the ener2i project. At the top left is the ener2i logo with the tagline "energy research to innovation". At the top right is the European Union flag and a funding notice: "ener2i is funded by the European Union's FP7 Programme under grant agreement no 609532". A green navigation bar contains links for About, News, Events, Documents, Project results, Country reports, Innovation vouchers, and Related projects. Below the navigation bar is a breadcrumb trail: Home - News - News archive - ener2i Country Reports on the energy sectors in Armenia, Belarus, Georgia and Moldova.

ener2i Country Reports on the energy sectors in Armenia, Belarus, Georgia and Moldova

19. Nov. 2014

The ener2i project consortium has published four Country Reports on the energy sectors of [Armenia](#), [Belarus](#), [Georgia](#) and [Moldova](#) as well as a pre-final version of a comparative [cross-country report](#). The reports focus on the potential in energy efficiency (EE) and renewable energy sources (RES), and provide an overview of available technologies and technology providers, opportunities and barriers and address relevant policies and energy strategies. This analysis will be a basis for the formulation of policy recommendations and the definition of a joint roadmap on EE/RES at a later stage of the ener2i project.

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Attachments

- [Armenia_Country_Report.pdf](#) | PDF | 736.07Kb
- [Belarus_Country_Report.pdf](#) | PDF | 1.14Mb

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Latest entries

- ener2i Brokerage Event in Moldova
- ener2i Workshop on Innovation in Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy in
- Ener2i EU Brokerage Event

Event Calendar

November 2014

MO	TU	WE	TH	FR	SA	SU
27	28	29	30	31	1	2





ener2i EE/RES country reports (II)

- Country reports on EE/RES in AM, BY, GE, MD prepared,
- Discussed at local expert workshops organised in 2014:
BY 19 March,
GE 27 March,
MD 4 April,
AM 11 June





ener2i EU brokerages

- > **ener2i EU brokerage event: Brussels, 23 June 2014**
during EU Sustainable Energy Week, 41 participants from 15 countries, including AM, AZ, BY, GE, MD, UA
10 travel grants à €600 allocated to EaP experts, IncoNet EaP participates with another 6 travel grants for EaP experts
- > **ener2i EU brokerage event: Brussels, 2 December 2014** for preparation of H2020 and COST proposals with energy relevance; 30 participants from 14 countries



ener2i EaP brokerages & trainings



> **Belarus: 14-15 October 2014**, linked to Energy Expo in Minsk: <http://tc.by/exhibitions/energyexpo2014/>
48 participants from 8 countries,
with participation of Innover-East project;





- > **Moldova: 10-11 December 2014**, linked to Top Innovation event in Chisinau >><http://ener2i.eu/object/event/29> with participation of RERAM project

The screenshot shows the website interface for the 'ener2i Brokerage Event in Moldova'. At the top, there is a search bar and the ener2i logo with the tagline 'energy research to innovation'. A navigation menu includes 'About', 'News', 'Events', 'Documents', 'Project results', 'Innovation vouchers', and 'Related projects'. The main content area features the event title, a 'Project Event' indicator, and details: 'Date: December 11, 2014' and 'Location / Venue: Academy of Sciences of Moldova, 1 Stefan cel Mare bd., Chisinau, Moldova'. A 'Register here.' link is provided. Below this, a paragraph invites research institutions, universities, companies, and SMEs to participate. On the right side, there are two widgets: 'eJournal subscribe' with an email input field and a 'Send' button, and 'Latest entries' with a list of related events including 'Call for proposals in anticipation of the 1st Nogap Brokerage Event in Kyiv', 'ener2i Brokerage Event in Moldova', and 'ener2i Brokerage Event in Belarus'. A ZSI logo is visible in the bottom left corner of the screenshot.



R2I cluster

- > ENER2I is one project of a **cluster of EU funded projects supporting the link between research and innovation** in Eastern Partnership Countries, and with EU partners.
http://ener2i.eu/related_projects/r2i_cluster_east





ener2i Innovation Vouchers (I)

Innovation Voucher Competition (IVC)

Bring businesses and research organisations in direct contact; allocated to SMEs, including start-ups, in the EaP countries as a result of a merit-based competition



> **Innovation Vouchers - Belarus**
http://www.ener2i.eu/innovation_vouchers/belarus competition
May-August 2014, award ceremony: 14 October, at ener2i brokerage 4 projects à €4,000 awarded



ener2i Innovation Vouchers (II)

> Innovation Voucher - Moldova

competition launch: 11 December 2014

http://ener2i.eu/innovation_vouchers/moldova

11 Vouchers à € 4,000 available (6 financed by ener2i & 5 financed by CEI/ADA)

- > Additional Grant from **Central European Initiative / Austrian Development Agency** of about € 50,000 for
 - 5 Innovation Vouchers in Moldova
 - Study Visit of Moldovan colleagues to Austria
 - recording of energy and innovation seminar





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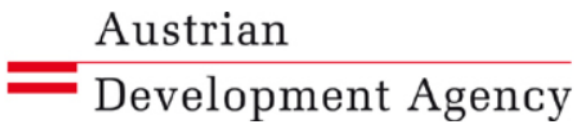
Moldova

The ener2i Innovation Voucher Competition in Moldova 2014 will be launched on Thursday, 11 December 2014!

A launch and information session will take place during the ener2i brokerage event in Chisinau, on that same 11 December 2014.

The EU FP7 funded project ener2i (www.ener2i.eu) together with support of CEI - KEP AUSTRIA with funding of the Austrian Development Cooperation invites **Moldovan Small and Medium sized Enterprises (SMEs)** with **energy related innovation targets in Renewable Energy Sources (RES)** or with the **aim to improve their energy efficiency (EE) performance** to participate in the ener2i Innovation Voucher Competition - Moldova.

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Latest entries

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[1] SME - definition: The category of micro, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) is made up of enterprises which employ fewer than 250 persons and which have an annual turnover not exceeding 50 million euro, and/or an annual balance sheet total not exceeding 43 million euro.



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