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News

BUILD UP interviews EASME on Horizon 2020 Call for Proposals

Following the Info Day presenting the Energy Efficiency Call for Proposals 2017, BUILD UP interviewed Dr Vincent Berrutto, Head of Horizon 2020 Energy Unit at the Executive Agency for Small and Medium-sizes Enterprises. [Read more](#)



European Commission launches Support Services for Exploitation of Research Results (SSERR)



SSERR helps to bridge the gap between research outcomes and commercial products on the one hand, and researchers and businessmen on the other. [Read more](#)

Have your say: Horizon 2020 interim evaluation

The European Commission has launched a public consultation on research and activities. The consultation, opened until 15 January 2017, consists of six parts and it will take around 20 minutes to respond. It will set the scene for the future discussions on the next EU research and innovation funding post-2020. [Read more](#)



News from our Partners

Strengthening Indoor Environment Quality in EPBD



Several BUILD UP partners teamed up and released a joint



position paper calling for action to strengthen Indoor Environment Quality (IEQ) in the revised Energy Performance of Buildings Directive. [Read more](#)

News from our Partners

Cost-effective potential of building automation and controls in EPBD

Based on a Survey conducted in 13 EU Member States (MS), eu.BAC provides recommendation for the application of building automation, controls and building technical management has been transposed and implemented in MS. [Read more](#)



Practices

Case of the month

Passivistas: The House Project



The aim of "Passivistas: The House Project" is to be considered as a best case in Greece on the road to the nZEB buildings by 2020 for the residential and non-residential uses following the idea that "consuming much less energy is achievable and cost effective". [Read more](#)

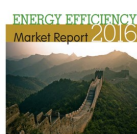
Overview Article

Nearly Zero-Energy Buildings - National applications of the EPBD definition

Member States are required to draw up national plans that include the countries' detailed of the EPBD. The deadlines are moving closer and many Member States have legally established a national definition of NZEB. But which national definitions are ready and what do they look like? [Read more](#)



IEA publishes key indicators of energy efficiency progress and policy development worldwide



This report focuses on the understanding of global trends in energy efficiency and tracks the status of energy intensity, energy efficiency investment and their impact, including progress on energy efficiency of buildings. [Read more](#)

Events

26-28 October

7th Local Renewables Conference

The Conference will focus on 'Energising the smart cities and regions' and will offer plenaries, break-out sessions and guides tours. [Read more](#)

11- 13 November

International Passive House Days

Passive House building owners can share their experiences and show what Passive House is all about by participating with their own Passive House home, office, or even construction site. [Read more](#)

15-17 November

European Utility Week

The conference programme is designed to cater for utility industry professionals looking for strategic discussions on business models and the latest market news, as well as case studies and pilots highlighting innovative technologies and solutions. [Read more](#)

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