

Best Practices in solar Operation & Maintenance – Workshop organised by ASOLMEX and SolarPower Europe, September 6th, 2018, Mexico City (The Green Expo)

As part of their recently launched partnership, SolarPower Europe and ASOLMEX are organising a joint workshop on O&M best practices and business opportunities in Mexico. The workshop is supported by the “Large Scale Solar Energy” Program (DKTI Solar) of the German-Mexican bilateral cooperation, implemented by SENER and GIZ on behalf of the German Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ). The workshop will take place on 6 September 2018 at the Green Expo in Mexico City and it will be the occasion of launching the Spanish version of SolarPower Europe’s O&M Best Practices Guidelines. In case of questions, please contact Viridiana Vazquez at vvazquez@asolmex.org.

Agenda

Time	Topic	Speakers
8:00-8:15	Registration and welcome coffee	
Session 1 – Introduction – O&M in Europe and Mexico		
8:15-8:30	Welcome notes and presentation of the associations ASOLMEX and SolarPower Europe	- Hector Olea, ASOLMEX - Aurélie Beauvais, Policy Director, SolarPower Europe - Joscha Rosenbusch, Principal Advisor DKTI Solar Program, GIZ
8:30-8:45	Overview presentation of the SolarPower Europe O&M Best Practices Guidelines	- Máté Heisz, SolarPower Europe
8:45-9:00	Utility-scale solar O&M in Mexico	- David Briseño, ASOLMEX
9:00-9:15	O&M in distributed solar in Mexico	- Arturo Duhart, ASOLMEX
Session 2 – Bankability of solar power plants and O&M services		
9:15-9:35	Risk mitigation, bankability and O&M	- Ulrike Jahn/Nelsy Santiago, TÜV Rheinland
9:35-9:55	Contractual framework for bankable O&M services (t.b.c.)	- Mario Pani, BayWa r.e. (t.b.c.)
10:00-10:30	Panel discussion - <i>What are the specificities of the Mexican O&M market and jurisdiction?</i> - Mexico in the “Install & Forget” phase?	- Ulrike Jahn/Nelsy Santiago, TÜV Rheinland - Mario Pani, BayWa r.e. (t.b.c.) - Jaime Martinez, Proyecto Terra - Sinuhe Moreno, Energon Moderator: Máté Heisz, SolarPower Europe
10:30-11:00	Coffee break	
Session 3 – Best Practice requirements in solar power plant operations, maintenance, monitoring and module cleaning		
11:00-11:20	Power Plant Operations and Power Plant Maintenance (title t.b.d.)	- Enel Green Power (t.b.c.)
11:20-11:40	Data & Monitoring requirements best practices (title t.b.d.)	- Marie Bartle, QOS Energy
11:40-12:00	Module cleaning best practices (title t.b.d.)	- Steve Williams, Clean Solar Solutions (t.b.c.)
12:00-12:30	Panel discussion - How can the best practices be adapted to the Mexican market? - How are the monitoring solutions evolving to help the O&M market?	- Enel Green Power (t.b.c.) - Marie Bartle, QOS Energy - Steve Williams, Clean Solar Solutions - Julian Willenbrock, Enlight - Carla Ortiz, RER Energy Moderator: Arturo Duhart, ASOLMEX
12:30-12:45	Closing remarks	- Hector Olea, ASOLMEX - Aurélie Beauvais, Policy Director, SolarPower Europe - Joscha Rosenbusch, Principal Advisor DKTI Solar Program, GIZ

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