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**ERA-NET SMART ENERGY SYSTEMS
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ERA-Net SES Family of Projects Event in Magdeburg, September 17-19, 2018

At the [ERA-Net SES Family of Projects Event](#) you will receive an update on recent developments of ERA-Net SES, **exchange** on your progress and results as well as **deepen your cooperation** with other projects of the ERA-Net SES focus initiative.

For example, you will get to know new projects and learn about the finalising projects of the ERA-Net SG+ joint call 2015. Furthermore, all projects will benefit from a **communication coaching** focusing on the new visibility guideline (see below) and how to promote your ERA-Net SES project. Profit from a **peer-to-peer feedback session** organised by the ERA-Net SES Support Team.

Moreover, a Knowledge Community meeting of all **working groups** will take place and the new Working Group on "Regional Matters" will be initialised.

All practical information (registration, agenda, preparatory tasks, logistic information) can be found [here](#). **Please remember to register for the event until August 29 on our [website](#).**

We are looking forward to see you in Magdeburg!

New Visibility Guideline for ERA-Net SES Focus Initiative SG+ and RegSys Projects

The **new umbrella initiative ERA-Net SES** comes with an updated visual identity for both SG+ and upcoming RegSys projects. Our **revised visibility guideline** explains those elements you are required to integrate in your communication activities, further it provides additional advice and templates. For example, it includes the **new logo and funding note required on your project websites and other published material**. You can download the visibility guideline and supplementary communication materials on [our website](#). Please **adjust your communication measures accordingly** and do not hesitate to contact us in case you have questions: knowledgecommunity@eranet-smartenergysystems.eu

Our Meeting at the Nordic Clean Energy Week (NCEW) in Malmö

We would like to thank all projects for their participation in the ERA-Net SES events at the NCEW from May 22 to 25, 2018. With a series of talks, discussions, co-creation and working group sessions, ERA-Net SES set off to boost research for regional energy systems.

A **review** of the ERA-Net SES events is **available on [our website](#)** for all participants as well as those who have not been able to attend. The results of the **knowledge community meeting** can be found in the working group repositories on [expera](#).

General information on ERA-Net Smart Energy Systems

ERA-Net Smart Energy Systems (ERA-Net SES) is a transnational joint programming platform of 30 national and regional funding partners for initiating co-creation and promoting energy system innovation. The network of owners and managers of national and regional public funding programs along the innovation chain provides a sustainable and service-oriented programming platform to finance projects in thematic areas like smart power grids, regional and local energy systems, heating and cooling networks, digital energy, smart services, etc.

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Co-creating with partners that help to understand the needs of relevant stakeholders, we team up with intermediaries to provide an innovation eco-system supporting consortia for research, innovation, technical development, piloting and demonstration activities. These co-operations pave the way towards implementation in real-life environments and market introduction.

Beyond that, ERA-Net SES provides a knowledge community, involving key demo projects and experts from all over Europe, to facilitate learning between projects and programmes from the local level up to the European level.

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