



EU - Pakistan - renewable energy capacity building & matchmaking project



Project summary

Activities	<p>Market information: Awareness creation in Europe for the business opportunities in the renewable energy (RE) sector in Pakistan</p> <p>Technical seminars: Organisation of two capacity building seminars in Pakistan for companies, getting involved in the RE sector</p> <p>Company matchmaking: Organisation of two partnership building events in Karachi and Islamabad for mutual business encounters between Pakistani and EU companies</p> <p>Reporting: information about the project status and outcomes via project internet homepage</p>
Sector	solar energy, wind energy, small hydro power
Partners	Bundesverband Solarwirtschaft e.V. (BSW-Solar), Germany (lead) Alternative Energy Development Board (AEDB), Pakistan Estonian Wind Power Association (EWPA), Estonia European Small Hydropower Association (ESHA), Belgium
Associate:	BWE (German Wind Energy Association) German Technical Cooperation (GTZ) Pakistan
Target group:	European and Pakistani companies of RE sector
Duration	April 2007 – July 2008, 16 month
Milestones:	<p><u>April, 2007</u> Launch of project homepage</p> <p><u>May, 2007</u> Kick-off meeting in Brussels with all European RE Industry associations</p> <p><u>July, 2007</u> Capacity building seminar on wind project development for grid-connected wind parks</p> <p><u>August, 2007</u> Solar gysler hybrid system installation training</p> <p><u>September, 5th-6th, 2007</u> Regional Conference in Islamabad, organized by the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ), with presentations of BSW and other project partners</p> <p><u>April 28th – May 2nd, 2008</u> Capacity Building Seminar (solar energy and small hydro power) in Islamabad</p> <p><u>June 30th – July 4th, 2008</u> Visit of European Companies (all renewable energy technologies) to Pakistan, Islamabad</p>
Funding:	EU ASIA INVEST (80%) Participating companies (10%) Project partners (10%)
Web page:	www.EU-Pakistan-renewables.com