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DAY 1 - 16 MAY 2023, TUESDAY

- 08:00 Conference Registration
- 09:00 **CMT & Chairman's Welcome**
Yoshinobu Kusano, CEO, RENOVA Inc.
- 09:10 **Keynote Address**
Paul Sheffield, Chief Commercial Officer, Drax Group Plc.
- Yasuhisa Okamoto, Managing Director, Drax Asia*
- Seishi Narita, Chairman, Biomass Power Association; President & CEO, Marubeni Clean Power Corporation*
- 09:50 **Sustainable Bioenergy: A Critical Enabler to Decarbonizing the Japanese Economy**
Dr. Takano Aikawa, Senior Researcher, Renewable Energy Institute
- 10:20 Networking Coffee Reception at Biomass Pellet Trade & Power Exhibition Area
- 11:00 **Korean Wood Pellet Market & KOEN's procurement**
Kyemin Park, Senior Manager KOEN
- 11:30 **The Future of Biomass Power Generation & Biomass Demand in Taiwan**
Dr. Chia-Chi Chang, Senior Researcher, Taiwan Bio-energy Technology Development Association
- 12:00 **Agricultural Biomass Utilisation Outside the Power Sector**
John Robert McFarlane, Biomass Broker for Kilns and Boilers, AlbionDesign
- 12:30 Networking Luncheon Reception Sponsored by:
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- 13:45 **Afternoon's Chairperson**
John Robert McFarlane, Biomass Broker for Kilns and Boilers, AlbionDesign
- 13:50 **Raw Materials & Production of Wood Pellet in Vietnam**
Nguyen Thanh Phong, President; Chairman, Vietnam Wood Pellet Association, Phu Tai Bioenergy Development Corporation
- 14:20 **Opportunities & Environmental Benefits of the US-Japan Pellet Trade, with Focus on Residual Biomass in the US Pacific Northwest**
Indroneil Ganguly, Associate Professor, University of Washington
- 14:45 **Alternative Biomass & Where to Find them?**
Ryuu Lee, Head of Asia Trading, CM Biomass
- 15:20 Networking Tea Reception at Biomass Pellet Trade & Power Exhibition Area
- 15:50 Topic to be advised
Nicolas Viart, Technical Director Sustainable Biomass Program
- 16:10 **The Battle for Fibre in South East Asia**
Rachael Levinson, Biomass Research Manager, Hawkins Wright Ltd.
- 16:40 **Global Wood Pellet Panel**
Moderated by:
Rachael Levinson, Biomass Research Manager, Hawkins Wright Ltd.
- Vaughan Bassett, Senior Vice President, Biomass Sales & Logistics Drax*
- Mads Thomsen, Director CM Biomass Partners*

Dr. Kenneth Tran, Cofounder, Board Director Ayo Biomass LLC

David Wong, Executive Director Rainbow Pellet Sdn Bhd

17:30 Networking Cocktail Reception Sponsored by:
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19:00 End of Day One

DAY 2 - 17 MAY 2023, WEDNESDAY

- 09:00 **CMT & Chairman's Welcome**
- 09:10 **Biomass Co-Firing Prospect in Indonesia & Impact on Exports**
Santeri Rantala, CEO, Solcofin Pte Ltd
- 09:35 **Oil Palm Biomass as Means to Increase Renewable Energy Adoption & Reducing Carbon Emission to Sime Darby Plantation's Science Based Target Initiative (SBTi) net-zero commitment**
Hirzun Mohd Yusof, Head Innovation & New Ventures, Sime Darby Plantation Berhad
- 10:05 **Changes in Trading Dynamics for PKS: A Market Update**
Erisa Senerdem, Editor Argus Media Ltd
- 10:45 Networking Coffee Reception at Biomass Pellet Trade & Power Exhibition Area
- 11:10 **Global trend towards High Efficiency Wood Pelleting Plant**
Olaf Naehrig, Senior Area Manager, Amandus Kahl GmbH & CO. KG

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11:35 **Japan Black Pellet Forum & Recommendations to the Government on BP Utilization**
Naoki Kawamoto, Manager, Idemitsu Kosan Co Ltd

12:00 **Industrial Green Carbon Solutions**
Yvan Guay, Vice-President, Business Development Airex Energy Inc

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12:25 **Black pellet supply chains: from long-delayed dream to present reality**
Maarten Herrebrugh, CEO, Blackwood Technology B.V.

13:00 Networking Luncheon Reception
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14:30 **Roundtable 1-Feedback from Japan Domestic Biomass Industry (in Japanese Language)**
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Moderated by:
Keisuke Tanabe, Manager, Energy Dept 2, Renewable Energy Section Hanwa Co. Ltd.

Panel:
Seishi Narita, Chairman, Biomass Power Association; President & CEO, Marubeni Clean Power Corporation

Naoki Kawamoto, Manager Idemitsu Kosan Co Ltd

Shotaro Nakamura, Biomass Pellet Team Member Sumitomo Corporation

Yasuhisa Okamoto, Managing Director Drax Asia

Junichi Tobisawa, General Manager RENOVA Inc.

15:45 **Roundtable 2 – Dialogue between the Japanese Biomass Buyers & Suppliers (in English language)**
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Moderated by:
Dr. Takano Aikawa, Senior Researcher Renewable Energy Institute

Panel:
Douglas Tay, Director Provident Biofuels

Supun Nigamuni, Managing Director Control Union Malaysia

Seishi Narita, Chairman, Biomass Power Association; President & CEO, Marubeni Clean Power Corporation

Amandine Muskus, Executive Director US Industrial Pellet Association (USIPA)

Nguyen Thanh Phong, President; Chairman, Vietnam Wood Pellet Association Phu Tai Bioenergy Development Corporation

Nicolas Viart, Technical Director Sustainable Biomass Program (SBP)

Masato Yokoyama, Biomass Pellet Team Member Sumitomo Corporation

Ross McKenzie, Group Director, International Affairs Drax Group Plc.

16:45 **Closing Tea Reception at Biomass Pellet Trade & Power Exhibition Area**

17:15 End of Conference

DAY 3 - 18 MAY 2023, THURSDAY

Post Conference Site Visit
18th May 2023 - Post Conference Site Visit to Kanda Biomass Power Plant
(Limited availability, confirmation upon completion of payment & ticketing)



The Kanda Biomass Power Plant in Kanda Town, Fukuoka Prefecture, and is one of the largest power plants in Japan that uses 100% bio-derived woody biomass as fuel.
<https://www.kb-energy.jp/>

Output scale: About 75MW (annual power transmission of 500 GWh/year (approx.. 170,000 households))

Main biomass fuels utilised in this plant : Wood Pellets, PKS and Wood Chips

Shareholders: RENOVA Inc., Sumitomo Forestry Co.Ltd., Kyuden Mirai Energy Co.Ltd., Mihara Group Co.Ltd.

06:30	Depart Marriott for Haneda airport
08:00	Flight from Tokyo to Kita-Kyushu
09:30	Arrive at Kita-Kyushu airport
10:00 - 15:30	Proceed to KBE site visit and overview of projects in the vicinity (Bento lunch served during tour)
15:30	Depart for Kita-Kyushu airport
16:50	Flight back to Tokyo
18:20	Arrive at Tokyo, and bus transfer to Marriott
19:00	Arrival at Tokyo Marriott Hotel; End of site visit

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The main conference will provide a Japanese-English simultaneous interpretation

CMT's **13th annual Biomass Pellets Trade & Power** conference and exhibition returns to **Tokyo** May 2023. Join us at the largest gathering of biomass producers, including wood pellet, wood chip, palm kernel shell and etc, traders, utilities, independent power producers (IPPs) in Asia.

The 2023 event will be a 2 full days conference agenda on key and emerging issues, with keynotes, updates on supply and demand markets, panel discussions. The highlights of the Agenda will be added Soon!

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Highlights:

- Global **Wood Pellet availability** for the demand markets in Asia & Europe
- Supply & sustainability development of **Palm Kernel Shell (PKS)**
- Update on commercial availability of **Torrefied or Steam Exploded** biomass
- Alternative **Agricultural Residues** options for Japan's energy needs – **Sustainability & GHG** requirement for FIT
- Assessing **Industrial Boiler** use of biomass for heat & energy generation
- **Net-Zero** emission with **BECCS**
- **Carbon Markets** & role of **Bioenergy**
- Over **20 hours of networking time** with prospective partners and etc.

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