

**VIRTUAL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES SEMINAR WITH BUSINESS FRANCE**  
*FOCUS IN THE ENERGY SECTOR IN SOUTHEAST ASIA & THE PACIFIC*

30 March 2022

9:00 – 10:55am (France time)

3:00 – 4:55pm (Manila time)

## AGENDA

France time (MLA time)

- 9:00am (3:00pm) Opening Remarks (5 minutes)  
Anne MARCHAL, Director's Advisor to the Executive Director, Constituency Office for France, Belgium, Italy, Spain, Portugal, and Switzerland, ADB
- 9:05am (3:05pm) Opening Remarks on behalf of Business France (5 minutes)  
Sylvain BIARD, Head, Industries & Cleantech Department, ASEAN-Oceania Business France
- 9:10am (3:10pm) Introductory Remarks (5 minutes)  
Rustam ABDUKAYUMOV, Director, Procurement Division 2, Procurement, Portfolio and Financial Management Department (PPFD), ADB
- 9:15am (3:15pm) General Presentation of ADB's New Energy Policy (15 minutes)  
Priyantha WIJAYATUNGA, Chief of Energy Sector Sustainable Development and Climate Change Department (SDCC), ADB
- 9:30am (3:30pm) Business Opportunities in the Energy Sector in Southeast Asia and the Pacific  
BUI Duy-Thanh, Principal Energy Economist, Southeast Asia Department (SERD), ADB (15 minutes)  
Takeshi SHIIHARA, Senior Energy Specialist, Pacific Department (PAR), ADB (15 minutes)
- 10:00am (4:00pm) ADB Procurement System (15 minutes)  
Stéphane BESSADI, Senior Procurement Specialist, Procurement, Portfolio and Financial Management Department (PPFD), ADB
- 10:15am (4:15pm) French Private Sector Knowledge Sharing (10 minutes)  
*International Interconnections: The future of energy is a world-wide web of electricity allowing green energy to flow where and when it is needed*  
Christophe NAPPEZ, Commercial Director for Asia and Latin America, Electricité de France (EDF – CIST)

- 10:25am (4:25pm) French Private Sector Knowledge Sharing (10 minutes)  
*Pioneering Tidal Stream Energy (project in the Philippines)*  
Jérôme LE MOIGNE, Commercial Leader, SABELLA
- 10:35am (4:35pm) Business Support for French Firms at ADB (5 minutes)  
Anna AUSTRIA-LEMAY, Commercial Liaison to ADB for Business France
- 10:40am (4:40pm) Q&A (15 minutes)
- 10:55am (4:55pm) END