

Minerals Policy Guidance for Europe

## MIN-GUIDE Annual Conference 2017 - Promotional kit





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The table below contains all the information related to the MIN-GUIDE Annual Conference 2017:

Title:	MIN-GUIDE Annul Conference 2017
Date:	13 – 14 December 2017
Venue:	Crowne Plaza Brussels - Le Palace, Rue Ginestre 3, 1210 Bruxelles,
venue.	Belgium
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Organiser:	MIN-GUIDE
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Short text	The MIN-GUIDE Annual Conference 2017, entitled "An Innovation-
Short text	Friendly Policy Framework along the Mineral Production Value Chain",
	will be held in <b>Brussels, Belgium on 13-14 December 2017</b> at the
	Crowne Plaza Hotel in Brussels.
	This year's MIN-GUIDE Annual Conference will provide insights into the
	cornerstones and future trends of an innovation-friendly policy
	framework for exploration and extraction, processing, waste
	management, and mine closure.
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Event description:	On 13-14 December 2017, you are invited to attend the MIN-GUIDE
(403 words)	Annual Conference 2017 which will focus on "An Innovation-Friendly
	Policy Framework along the Mineral Production Value Chain", and will
	take place in Brussels, Belgium.
	This year's MIN-GUIDE Annual Conference will provide insights into the
	cornerstones and future trends of an innovation-friendly policy
	framework for exploration and extraction, processing, waste
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	The Annual Conference will host up to 200 participants from all over
	Europe, in order to exchange knowledge and experiences on the
	Innovation-Policy Nexus - the relationship of good practice innovation
	cases and their underlying policy frameworks. In addition to high-level
	keynote presentations and interactive sessions, the MIN-GUIDE online
	Minerals Policy Guide will be presented. Moreover, the Annual
	Conference will provide a platform for networking and community
	building, allowing participants to make use of an informal meeting
	space to exchange with peers and stakeholders from related areas and
	communities.
	In the interactive part, the Conference will comprise four parallel
	working group sessions, introducing participants to good practice cases
	along the mineral production value chain:
	<ul> <li>Exploration and extraction (incl. Deep-Sea Mining),</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Mineral and Metallurgical processing,</li> </ul>
	Waste management and mine closure.



The "Innovation Island" format of these parallel sessions will allow participants to learn and exchange hands on about the innovation cases' success criteria, supportive policy framework factors, and crossvalue chain interactions. The Conference will provide participants with: 1. In-depth understanding of the Innovation-Policy Nexus: Keynote presentations and interactive sessions will offer participants an in-depth understanding of value chain innovations and what role policy can play in innovation. This will include presentations and innovation island formats on industry good practice innovations, their supporting policy frameworks and cross-value chain interactions. 2. A platform for networking and community building: Participants will have plenty of opportunities to interact, network, and exchange with one another via different formats, such as innovation islands or a networking dinner. This will set the basis for integrating the mineral production debates on multiple levels, in different policy settings, among diverse stakeholder groups, and among existing initiatives. 3. Synthesised and easily accessible MIN-GUIDE results: The conference will showcase the Online Minerals Policy Guide, which comprises results of three MIN-GUIDE Policy Laboratory workshops. This will enable future minerals policy experts and decision-makers to easily access and further develop a comprehensive, customizable, up-to-date online knowledge repository on EU MS minerals policy frameworks and good practice innovation. Register before 30 November 2017 at annualconference@min-guide.eu Read more about the event on http://www.minguide.eu/content/annual-conference-2017 **Event URL:** http://www.min-guide.eu/content/annual-conference-2017 Agenda: http://www.min-guide.eu/sites/default/files/minguide annual conference 2017 draft agenda 2017 10 30.pdf annualconference@min-guide.eu **Registration:** or on http://www.min-guide.eu/content/annual-conference-2017 Registration deadline: 30 November 2017



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