## **Technical Expert Meetings Green Guarantee Group**

Date	Topic	Speaker
April 11	Presentation of CPI study on the "Landscape of Guarantees", focusing on Guarantees for Climate Finance in EMDEs.	Climate Policy Initiative
April 23	Presentation on <b>state backed guarantees</b> . The nordic model of un-funded sovereign backed credit guarantees for development	Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (Sida), IFU (Investment Fund for Developing Countries) and Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA) of Denmark
May 7	Presentation on two approaches on risks and guarantees connected to <b>local currency financing</b> . The Currency Exchange Fund (TCX) and the Local Credit Enhancement Facilities (CEF) initiative and company GuarantCo and its service products.	Harald Hirschhofer (TCX); Marco Serena (Private Infrastructure Development Group (PIDG)) and Guillaume Carta (GuarantCo)
May 23	Presentation on the <b>Climate Syndication Platform</b> (CSP), that the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development (EBRD), together with BMWK, launched last year at COP28.	Hashem Fouad (EBRD)
June 6	Presentation on the <b>perspective of EMDE countries</b> on guarantees.	Yussuf Hussein (Climate Finance Lead, Office of the Special Envoy for Climate Change, Executive Office of the President Kenya)
June 20	Presentation on hedging instruments for equity and on MEAG's investment program.	Martin Ewald (Allianz); Harald Haas (Munich Ergo Assetmanagement (MEAG))
July 4	Presentation on Financing for Wind Energy Converter (WEC) Customers.	Thomas Baier (Enercon Sales & Finance Partners competence center)

July 18	Presentation on the <b>Energy Transition Accelerator Financing Platform</b> (ETAF) with special attention to the partners' guarantee offers.	IRENA
August 29	Presentation on the G20 Roadmap to increase sixfold investment in clean energy on EMDEs and its recommendations.	Lucila Arboleya Sarazola and Cecilia Tam (IEA)
September 12	Presentation on the work of the European Association of Guarantee Institutions (ACEM) and the EFSD+ guarantee scheme.	Katrin Sturm and Simon Thibaud (ACEM); Eirini Koutra (EIB)
October 10	Review of the latest GGG events and discussion on the recommendation areas.	
October 24	Presentation on lessons learned of the <b>African Energy Guarantee Facility</b> (AEGF). The AEGF brings together several actors, such as EIB and KfW, in order to provide an EFSD Guarantee as well as Munich Re as reinsurer and African Trade and Investment Development Insurance as the main local primary insurer.	Thomas Mahl
November 7	Presentation on <b>Euro-Mediterranean Guarantee Network</b> s (EMGN) structures, implementation experiences as well as persisting challenges and on the key features and structure of the Global Trade Finance Program.	Nagla Bahr (Euro-Mediterranean Guarantee Network (EMGN)); Makiko Toyoda (IFC)
December 5	Presentation on key messages of the <b>Blended Finance Guidance for Clean Energy Report</b> and in particular approaches/ best practices for targeted and tailored innovative finance solutions especially the deployment of energy savings insurances and guarantee instruments to overcome barriers to private investments.	Benjamin Denis and Valentina Bellesi (OECD)