

ENERGY PROSPECTS



PROACTIVE STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR ENERGY CITIZENSHIP TRANSFORMATION

9
PARTNERS

40
IN-DEPTH CASE
STUDIES

DATA BASE
OF
500
ENERGY
CITIZENSHIP
CASES

10 000
CITIZENS



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Project Summary

The transition towards clean-energy is ongoing, but urgent challenges remain regarding the pace of its development.



The EU Horizon2020 funded EnergyPROSPECTS project aims to explore the ways in which energy citizenship affects the clean-energy transition process across Europe.

Through in-depth case study work, EnergyPROSPECTS will develop evaluation frameworks, indicator sets and toolkits to critically assess the conditions favouring active energy citizenship.



We will match suitable models with different countries, and conduct a citizen survey to appraise the validity of various options.

At key points of the project we will produce practical policy outputs and discuss our results with policy actors in knowledge exchange workshops.



The proposed work advances critical assessment of the possibilities and limits of energy citizenship through innovative approaches.

Objectives

Develop an innovative conceptual framework for the understanding of energy citizenship;

Identify diversity of types of energy citizenship;

Distinguish constraining and enabling conditions to active energy citizenship;

Enhance engagement with citizens, practitioners and policy-makers and other stakeholders;

Translate findings and insights into tools and interventions.

Partners

The EnergyPROSPECTS consortium, led by NUI Galway, includes nine research partners (universities, research institutes, enterprises and NGOs) from Ireland, France, Latvia, Bulgaria, Belgium, Spain, Netherlands, Hungary and Germany.



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