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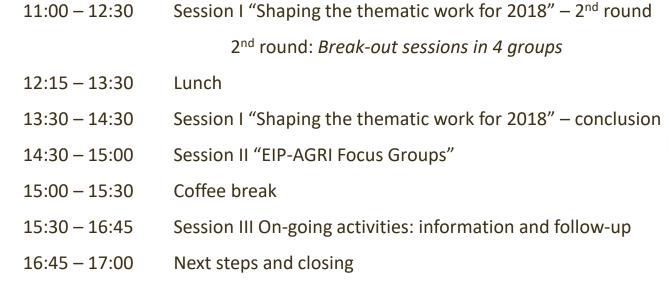
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08:00 – 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:10	Welcome & introduction
09:10 - 10:30	Session I "Shaping the thematic work for 2018" -1^{st} round
	Introduction
	1st round: break-out sessions in 5 groups
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee break





























FG 28 Enhancing production and use of renewable energy on the farm

Context

- Paris Agreement pushing for investment into low carbon innovation and transition to a clean energy system
- High potential by primary sector and rural areas to contribute to renewable energy production (bioenergy, but also wind, solar, geothermal, etc.)
- Renewable energy theme indicated as a priority by the Subgroup









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Main question

How to enhance the production and use of renewable energy at farm level and to seek for best solutions and innovative approaches?









Main issues addressed in FG Enhancing production and use of renewable energy on the farm

- Opportunities provided by renewable energy production
- Barriers in sourcing, transporting and collecting feedstocks, transformation into energy, distribution
- Best practices and innovative approaches for on-farm production and for collective selling of energy
- Synergies and trade-offs between various energy sources as well as between energy and food/feed/other non-food production
- Inspiration for future OGs and innovative projects
- Identify outstanding R&I and other needs