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**Wind Energy Finance Analyst**

As soon as possible

WindEurope is the association for wind energy in Europe. We represent the entire value chain: turbine manufacturers, power utilities, project developers, component suppliers, contractors, banks, insurance companies, and research institutes. Our members also include the national wind energy associations of all the countries in Europe.

WindEurope actively promotes wind power in Europe and worldwide. Our policy division analyses market and policy trends to formulate positions for the wind industry on strategic issues. It also cooperates with industry and research institutions on a number of market development and technology research projects. Our lobbying and communication activities aim to create an enabling policy framework at EU and national level that helps our members to successfully develop their businesses. [windeurope.org](http://windeurope.org).

As part of this effort WindEurope is seeking a **Wind Energy Finance Analyst** responsible for performing analyses, market research and policy dialogue relevant to the European wind energy and renewables sector. He/she will create market intelligence reports, databases and briefings related to green infrastructure financing, investment trends and analysis of corporate renewables sourcing strategies. He/she will also be responsible for coordinating member-based working groups and will be in direct contact with the finance community, banks, investors, credit rating agencies, etc.

In particular, the person will be responsible for:

**Finance and market intelligence:**

- Collect market and business information on the main investment and financial trends in wind energy in order to develop consistent and robust arguments aimed at implementing effectively WindEurope's strategy;
- Lead WindEurope's Market Intelligence on corporate green sourcing, long-term contracts and general investment strategies in wind energy, helping to shape existing products and initiating new ones;
- Support WindEurope with expert advice on market design and financial instruments available for wind energy and renewables at European and national level;
- Monitor climate, energy and finance legislation that impact the activities of WindEurope members;
- Support the publications of reports, internal briefings, interactive data tools, presentations;

**Project Management**

- Coordinate WindEurope's participation to the RE-Source Platform, which brings together renewable energy suppliers and large renewable energy consumers. This includes the organisation of an annual conference.

**Membership**

- Steer and coordinate the work of WindEurope's Finance Working Group, a forum representing the interests of major investors in the energy sector;

- Advise WindEurope members on relevant decisions and industry developments at national and EU level;
- Implement and execute membership services in line with WindEurope objectives and strategy.

#### Advocacy:

- Develop, strengthen and broaden investor dialogue related to renewable energy financing with key sectors and institutions (EC, EIB, OECD, export credit agencies, credit rating agencies and finance houses); Work with energy intensive corporates and governments to improve corporate practices in procuring green electricity (corporate renewable Power Purchase Agreements);
- Formulate policy recommendations for decision makers in order to improve political and legal frameworks for wind energy, especially at EU-level;
- Write policy positions papers, reports, presentations and general materials related to his/her specific areas of expertise;
- Participate in external events and perform presentations to promote and disseminate WindEurope's messages to external audiences;
- Answer external stakeholders queries related to his/her area of expertise, policies and other wind energy related topics or WindEurope work.

#### **Required Qualifications:**

##### Education:

- Degree in Finance and/or Economics
- Candidates with renewable energy and/or energy background will be prioritised

##### Experience:

- At least 2-3 years of relevant work experience in the finance sector, involving the collection and analyse of data and writing technical reports;
- At least 1-2 years of relevant work experience in the energy sector, involving the analysis of energy and climate policies, market design aspects, investment trends, etc.
- Experience with the coordination of multiple-stakeholder groups, including industry and policy makers is a plus.

##### Personal skills:

- Strong technical knowledge on finance and energy policy;
- Proven analytical and numerical skills;
- Good understanding of renewables sector;
- Computer literate (MS Office, Outlook, website management, internet search engines);
- Proven ability to manage complex organisational and political relationships;
- Ability to work as a team player as well as independently;
- Ability to engage with high level parties;
- Problem solving attitude;
- Strong ability to work under pressure and with tight deadlines;
- Good time management and ability to prioritise;
- Outstanding communication and presentation skills;
- Thrives in a multicultural and international environment;

Languages:

English (fluent written and verbal) is mandatory

Other languages are an asset to deal with external technical experts, subcontractors and members

Offer:

- Competitive remuneration package
- Challenging, international and enthusiastic environment

To apply, please send your CV and a cover letter by **13 May 2018** to [jobs@windeurope.org](mailto:jobs@windeurope.org) with reference code: **WindEurope/2018/07**

**Note: only short-listed candidates will be contacted 2 weeks post-deadline**