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As part of our **2025 Regional Carbon Market Dialogue Series** and to close off the year, we are thrilled to host the [IETA GLOBAL Carbon Market Dialogue](#) — an exclusive gathering of carbon market practitioners, experts, and government representatives from around the world.

This half day dialogue will take place afternoon of the 4 December in Paris, France, linked to the IEA-IETA-EPRI Workshop on GHG Emissions Trading (2-4 December).

This IETA organised Dialogue is held under Chatham House Rule and free of charge (limited capacity). Structured around highly interactive sessions, it offers a unique platform to learn and exchange with leading experts, deepen your carbon market knowledge, and expand your network of influential leaders. Together, we aim to drive bold climate action and scalable innovations. Attendees can look forward to networking opportunities and the latest insights on these topics and more:

- The international carbon pricing landscape and navigating challenges
- Emerging carbon market trends globally
- Key regulatory developments shaping the sector
- “What to watch” for next year

MORE INFORMATION:

REGISTER as a DELEGATE – contact Lisa Spafford, spafford@ieta.org
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AGENDA (Subject to updates)

13:30-14:00	Registration & Welcome Refreshments
14:00-15:30	Roundtable: Carbon Accounting Global Stock-Take ... and What's in Store for 2026? Join industry experts for a review of 2025's top carbon accounting developments, and what IETA's community is watching in 2026. The dynamic discussion will explore concrete opportunities for collaboration and impact, covering a range of interrelated topics such as: . Progress on harmonization of carbon accounting partnerships (COP30 highlights, ISO-GHGP collaboration, etc) . International, government, academic and industry-led work on product-level carbon intensity standards . Influence of EU CBAM and lessons learned while entering its 2026 'definitive period' . Other government and industry-led work on product-level carbon intensity standards . Recognition of credits and alignment with financial accounting treatment and disclosure rules . Emerging reporting and assurance guidance designed to sit alongside compliance regimes (EU, California, etc) Moderator: Katie Sullivan, Managing Director - IETA Panelists: . Tim Gould, Chief Energy Economist - International Energy Agency (IEA) . Kevin Birn, Head of Carbon and the Centre for Emissions Excellence - S&P Global Energy . Julie Mulkerin Ortiz, General Manager, Decarbonization Strategy - Chevron . Kel Coulson, Director of Policy - Carbon Engineering . Pedro Barata, AVP Carbon Markets and Private Sector Decarbonization – Environmental Defense Fund (EDF) . To be announced - Exxon . To be announced - Vale . To be announced - Modern West
15:30-16:00	Armchair: The Carbon Competitiveness Era This Armchair will explore the emerging carbon competitiveness era and the future of carbon markets: a world where carbon is counted for and valued consistently, where technology unlocks unprecedented transparency and participation, and where markets help build cooperation and confidence even amid a shifting geopolitical landscape. The conversation will draw on insights from the IETA 2025 GHG Report and cover topics such as:

	. Strategic vision and framing on where the market is heading . Reflections on recent developments and how they shape the path forward . Positioning what the Carbon Competitiveness Era could look like, and what it means for market participants . The role of AI and digital intelligence in powering carbon markets of the future Facilitator: Dirk Forrister, President & CEO - IETA Speakers: . Mark Lewis, Senior Climate Change Consultant . Lisa DeMarco, CEO & Senior Partner - Resilient . Sassan Saatchi, CEO - CTrees
16:00-16:15	IETA Annual General Meeting Welcome Networking Coffee Break
16:15-17:30	IETA Annual General Meeting (For IETA Members Only)
17:30-19:00	IETA Christmas Cocktail Reception

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