

## INVITATION

You are cordially invited to the high-level roundtable "**Integrating Sustainability in Property Valuation**", a unique opportunity to discuss how policy makers can strengthen the role of property valuers as drivers of the market transition towards sustainable buildings.

The roundtable will be co-hosted by Sirpa Pietikäinen MEP (EPP, Finland) and Theresa Griffin MEP (S&D, UK).

The debate will be moderated by Ursula Hartenberger, Global Head of Sustainability, RICS, on behalf of the RenoValue Consortium.

**Date:** 26 January 2016 - Registration starts at 14.00

**Venue:** EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT, Room A5G305

The roundtable is part of the EU funded project RenoValue [www.renovalue.eu](http://www.renovalue.eu)

Please register to the event (only 35 seats available) by sending an e-mail to [info@bs-europa.eu](mailto:info@bs-europa.eu) by 15 January 2016. If not already in possession of a badge to access the European Parliament, please send also your personal details (complete names, date of birth and ID number).

We look forward to welcoming you on January 26

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### About the RenoValue project and partnership

RenoValue is a 2-year project funded by the Intelligent Energy Europe Programme of the European Union. The RenoValue consortium includes: RICS, the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, CBRE, the Polish National Energy Conservation Agency, Troostwijk Real Estate, Skanska and Business Solutions Europa.

In addition the research project is assisted by a high level European Valuation Steering Group including representatives from the following organizations: Casse des Dépôts, Cushman & Wakefield, Hermes Real Estate, European Group of Valuer's Associations (TEGoVA), United Nations Environment Programme's Sustainable Buildings and Climate Initiative (UNEP-SBCI), World Green Building Council.

### Why RenoValue is important

The use of property valuation is an essential aspect of the property lifecycle. Incorporating energy efficiency and renewable energy considerations into valuation practice is essential to raise awareness on the value of investing in energy efficiency and renewable energy installations amongst prospective buyers, sellers, lenders and investors. Being able to demonstrate the business case to these built environment stakeholders is a necessary prerequisite to accelerating the market transition towards sustainable buildings in Europe. In this context, RenoValue aims to develop and pilot tailored training material for practising valuation professionals from across the EU. The training material will provide professionals with a more profound knowledge base regarding the latest energy efficiency and renewable energy technological solutions, their respective impact on various economic building performance aspects, relevant information sources, as well as methodological and theoretical guidance so that valuation professionals can appropriately factor energy efficiency and renewable energy issues into the valuation process and advise their clients accordingly.

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