

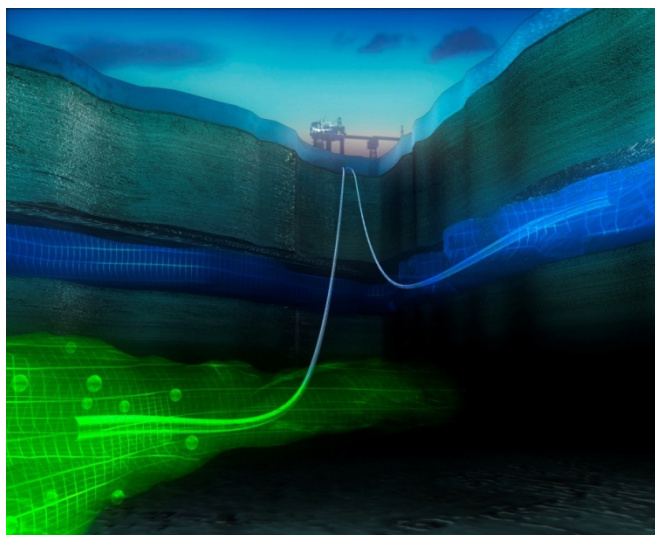
Carbon Capture and Storage in Europe

22 May 2013 from 12:00 to 14:00,

at The Palace of the Academies, Hertogsstraat 1 Rue Ducale, 1000 Brussels

Carbon capture and storage (CCS) is an important component of national, European and world-wide strategies to **tackle climate change**. It **reduces greenhouse gas emissions by capturing the CO₂** generated by large point sources before it is released to the atmosphere, and then transporting it to a **secure underground storage facility**.

The **European Academies Science Advisory Council (EASAC)** in its new report has **examined the challenges** that must be addressed to secure **CCS as a viable component of strategies to mitigate climate change**, and consequently to consider what **contribution it may make in Europe to 2050**.



A launch event for the new EASAC report opened and moderated by **Professor Anne Glover, Chief Scientific Advisor** to the President of the European Commission.

Scientific findings will be presented by the chair of the EASAC working group **Professor Herbert Huppert**, Director of the Institute of Theoretical Geophysics, **University of Cambridge**.

Followed by a panel discussion of the following experts:

- **Hans Van Steen**, Head of Unit, DG Energy, European Commission
- **Rebecca Collyer**, Deputy Director, Power Programme, European Climate Foundation
- **Sanjeev Kumar**, Senior Associate at E3G and founder at The Change Partnership
- **Paal Frisvold**, Chairman of Bellona Europa

To register, please send an e-mail to info@easac.eu with 'CCS' in the subject field.

A light lunch will be available from 11.30 am. The event will be followed by a coffee reception.