



We are happy to summarize here for you the latest news and open opportunities about our **NeSSIE (North Sea Solutions for Innovation in Corrosion for Energy)** project: a 24-month operation (2017-2019) co-funded by the European Maritime and Fisheries Fund which aims to tackle the issue of corrosion on offshore energy facilities using renewable sources such as: wind, tidal and wave energy. The aim of NeSSIE is to develop and scope 3 offshore renewables demonstration projects relating to corrosion issues by drawing on existing maritime supply chain expertise...[read more](#)

ON THE MOVE: NESSIE COMPETITION – STAGE 2

NeSSIE Competition Stage 2 is now open! Supply chain companies are invited to express their interest in providing solutions to the NeSSIE demo cases. This stage of the NeSSIE Competition is developed in partnership with the successful project leads from Stage 1. It is focused on **inviting suppliers to put forward solutions to the specific live corrosion challenges** outlined by the three lead companies selected in Stage 1: EMEC, SSE and ATLANTIS...[read more](#)

The launch of the second stage of the NeSSIE competition was announced the 31st of October 2018 by MSP Paul Wheelhouse, Minister for Energy, Connectivity and the Islands, at the Ocean Energy Europe Conference and Exhibition in Edinburgh, alongside the announcement of the chosen stage one project developers: Simec Atlantis Energy, SSE and the European Marine Energy Centre (EMEC)...[read more](#)

Applicants are invited to express their interest in being part of a database of solutions providers for corrosion in harsh environments; companies with the most promising solutions will be selected for one-to-one meetings with the project developers. Applications can be submitted at any time **up to 30th November 2018** (at 18:00 CET)...[complete the Expression of Interest Form](#)

INSIGHTS

During the project lifetime, the NeSSIE project has released several **Studies and Reports** about the analysis of the **state of the art**, the **challenges** and **research works** about **anticorrosion solutions and new materials** used in offshore sector and the outcomes of the analysis of its economic impact. **These reports can be downloaded** and may give a more precise picture of the evolution of the technologies to fight against corrosion and the use of new materials in offshore locations...[read more](#)



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NEXT STEPS – STAY TUNED!

- **13.11.2018** NeSSIE Webinar - Competition Stage 2 - Q&A with the Project Developers: Webinar open to companies interested in presenting the Expression of Interest in providing solutions for NeSSIE demonstration cases...[read more](#)
- **24.01.2019** "Taming NeSSIE" Conference, Glasgow: The conference will provide a platform to share corrosion challenges, opportunities and solution development for the North Sea basin...[read more](#)
- **Jan – Feb 2019, Stage 3:** Business cases developed and finance identified to deliver the projects...[read more](#)

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MEET THE NeSSIE PARTNERS and THEIR EXTENDED NETWORK

The Nessie Project is made up of **eight Partners** from seven European regions with strong experience in energy, promotion and give support to companies to participate in new projects and markets. It also involves an **Industry Advisory Group** which represents the supply chain and end users within the offshore sector...[read more](#)

All partners are members of the **Vanguard Initiative**, a coalition of European regions committed to boosting the growth of their companies, based on technological development, inter-regional cooperation, bottom-up entrepreneurial innovation and industrial leadership...[read more](#)

Within the Vanguard Initiative, one of the areas of collaboration corresponds to **Advanced Manufacturing** with aim of making the EU the global leader in components for marine renewables and offshore energy applications...[read more](#)

If you want to know more about the NeSSIE Project and the opportunities for enterprises of the offshore renewables supply chain, please contact:

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