

Miguel Arias Canete
Commissioner for Climate Action and Energy
European Commission

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Speaking Invitation from *The Economist*
Energy Summit 2016, November 10th 2016, London

Dear Commissioner Arias Canete,

I am writing to invite you to speak at *The Economist's* **Energy Summit**, a major event taking place in London on November 10th 2016.

This summit will bring together the industry's foremost business leaders as well as policy-makers, international investors, innovators and influential commentators and academics for a series of debates around the future of the energy industry, exploring the drivers of innovation and outlining emerging business risks and opportunities that will emerge in the next couple of years.

The Economist's reputation for intellectual integrity, independence and clarity allows us to attract an audience of very senior decision-makers to our meetings and we are looking forward to a highly productive conference in London. We would be delighted if you could deliver a presentation on '**Towards a European energy union? The EU's energy strategy**', a theme where you would make an outstanding contribution.

I know that our audience would greatly appreciate the opportunity to hear your perspective.

The agenda for the conference is attached, and I will be delighted to provide further details as necessary. I look forward to hearing from you soon; please feel free to contact me at any time via the details below.

Yours sincerely,

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