

About AEBIOM

IBTC is hosted by the European Biomass Association (AEBIOM) and takes advantage of the AEBIOM network and lobbying experience.

The European Biomass Association is the common voice of the European bioenergy sector with the aim to develop the market for sustainable bioenergy, and ensure favorable business conditions for its members through effective communication and engagement in the political decision making processes.

AEBIOM's main priorities are to:

Communicate as a single, united voice the opportunities and concerns regarding the development of bioenergy at European level to decision makers, business, representatives, the media, the public, NGOs and other stakeholders.

Develop and deliver effective strategic messages and initiatives to influence the political process towards a long-term, stable EU policy framework for bioenergy in Europe.

Ensure European bioenergy industry leadership through advanced research, innovation and technical quality.

AEBIOM Secretariat

The European Biomass Association

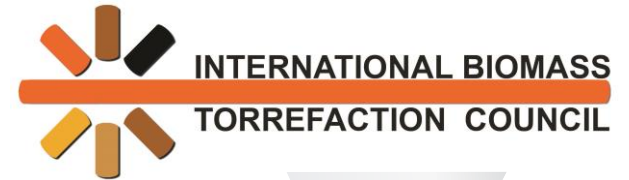
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Cooperation to accelerate progress

About IBTC

The **International Biomass Torrefaction Council (IBTC)** is a platform for companies, organisations and individuals dedicated to the promotion of torrefied biomass for energy.

Objectives

- Promote the use of torrefied biomass
- Help overcoming the barriers to market deployment.
- Express the views of torrefaction industry to the general public and propose and assist policy initiatives.
- Support and participation in initiatives and projects dedicated to biomass torrefaction market development such as: collection of statistical data, standardization issues, certification of and permissions for the product, communication initiatives, matters related to health and safety.
- The Council to help developing a common view and approach in non competitive matters (examples H&S, Logistics etc).
- IBTC generally assists in building the torrefaction industry providing special assistance to its members in building the market
- Promote the processing technology in general with project developers, financiers and resource owners.

IBTC Membership

IBTC has two membership categories:

- **Full Members (FM):** System or component suppliers of biomass torrefaction production and consumption installations, as well as operators of such installations, and companies trading torrefied biomass.
- **Supporting Members (SM):** Any other company, organisation or individual with an interest along the value chain of torrefied biomass and supporting the objectives of IBTC is eligible to become Supporting Member (e.g. ports/terminals, logistic providers, shipping companies, stevedores, consultants, associations, research institutions, certification companies, insurances).

AEBIOM membership is mandatory for all IBTC members.

IBTC working structure

- IBTC president is Michael Wild.
- The daily coordination of IBTC is ensured by Cristina Calderón, IBTC General Manager.
- IBTC meetings, conferences, workshops.
- Regular briefings via e-mail or phone on ongoing issues that are of the interest and relevance to IBTC members.

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Full Members



Supporting Members

