



# Institut Bauen und Umwelt Newsletter

## January 2015

Dear Ladies and Gentleman, dear IBU-members,

I welcome you with our best wishes for a successful year 2015.

With our current newsletter we would like to point out our events at the upcoming trade fair BAU in Munich again. In addition, you can find more IBU events you should already mark in your calendar.

The IBU team wishes all exhibitors and visitors a successful exhibition and look forward to seeing you at the IBU stand.



Yours Dr.-Ing. Burkhard Lehmann



# Announcements



## IBU on BAU 2015: Visit us!

IBU will have its own stand at BAU 2015 from 19th to 24th January and will inform fair visitors about construction products and the importance of sustainable construction.

Please visit us in hall B0, stand 207. Our stand at BAU gives us the opportunity to explain the importance of EPDs and their significance for sustainability to our potential new customers. Furthermore, we will show them how to create their own EPD for construction products.

We are also present with an information counter in Hall C2 at booth 311 of the DGNB and would especially like to invite you to our 20-minute presentations on the following subjects:

- 21st January 2015, 2 pm: From construction material to a sustainable building with EPDs – Environmental Product Declarations as a basis for the ecological quality in building certification schemes
- 23rd January 2015, 4 pm: EPDs: Current developments in Europe invite you

Dr. Burkhard Lehmann will give another presentation about IBU on Thursday, the 21st of January on 2 p.m. in hall B2, stand 318 as part of the "Forum Nachhaltig Bauen" from bauforumstahl. You also invited to this event.

## Introductory Webinar explaining the IBU-ÖKOBAUDAT interface"

On 5th of March 2015 from 11 to 12 a.m. IBU will offer an introductory webinar to the function of the new interface from the IBU EPD online system <https://epd-online.com> to the national product database ÖKOBAUDAT of the BBSR.



Detailed information will follow in the next IBU-Newsletter and on the IBU-Website.

## Save the day: General Meeting of Members 2015



Save the day - our next annual General Meeting of members will take place on 11th June 2015 in Berlin.

Please diarise this date already.

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In co-operation with IBU, Reflex Verlag (Reflex publishing house) publishes a special supplement we would like to draw your attention to:

“Neubau und Sanierung” (“New construction and refurbishment“ ) will be published in the German “Handelsblatt on 10th of March 2015 and will reach more than 386,500 readers.

Reflex Verlag is independent of the Handelsblatt and will look at the topics in question in a factual and objective manner.

Key issues are:

- New construction and refurbishment
- Heating and climate control technology
- Energy efficiency and renewable energy
- Technical building equipment and installation
- Material and resource efficiency
- Financing



Would you like to participate? You have the following possibilities:

1. Publishing guest articles and presentations
2. Publishing interviews
3. Publishing adverts

We will offer you a special discount of 20 %.

Booking deadline is 23th January 2014. Should you be interested, please directly contact:

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