



27-29
SEPTEMBER
2022

hybrid format

ENERGY STRATEGIES SUMMIT 2022

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The Energy Strategies Summit - a knowledge and exchange platform bringing together some of the industry's most brilliant minds to share what is new and next in Lebanon, was created in 2020 with the goal of preparing the energy sector for a new start.

This year's edition will be held during Climate Week NYC, between the 27th and 29th of September 2022, in a hybrid format, offering both physical and virtual meeting places for the energy industry stakeholders. The Energy Strategies Summit is an inspiring mix of several analytic panel discussions, interactive workshops, in-person networking, and an interactive b2b matchmaking platform, where local, regional and international companies can highlight their products, services, and projects and connect with each other.

EVENT SCHEDULE

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SEPT

6:00 PM - 7.30 PM

Women in Energy Roundtable

Acknowledging that women have a crucial role in sustainable energy development as energy professionals, decision-makers and consumers, the Women in Energy Roundtable serves as an opportunity to accelerate the path to a just and inclusive energy transition.

The energy priorities on both energy efficiency and renewable energy open new opportunities in the industry to diversify the sector's workforce. The rise of a wide spectrum of new jobs in response to the greening of energy offers a timely window of opportunity to fundamentally change the current bias in the sector. Women must come out of the shadows in the energy sector, which is why the event integrates a first day dedicated to Women in Energy and Networking with the objectives to offer solutions to advance women's education, leadership, and employability in the energy sector and discover new opportunities, increase awareness, and meet energy sector stakeholders.

Potential topics:

- Investing in Women! Overcoming norms, stereotypes, and barriers
- Preparing for the future. Building the talent pipeline for the energy sector
- Advancing women's leadership. Time to change
- Women in clean energy systems. Making the just transition.

EVENT SCHEDULE

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SEPT

11:00 AM - 5:30 PM

Discussion Panels

Strategies for Integration

Long-term vision and market opportunities

The main actions to be taken in order to improve the regional integration of the Lebanese energy industry * What needs to be updated in the legislative or regulatory framework to encourage interconnections * Immediate gains vs. long-term development * Legal framework * National priorities * Challenges in capitalizing on market opportunities (international prices, new discoveries, redesign of regional energy relations, European policies)

Strategies for Investments

Legal framework and effective incentives

Significant amount of money is needed in the energy sector. National funds are barely available to cover a small part of what is needed to keep the power plants functioning and not be in complete darkness. What are the key elements of the legislative framework with impact on the energy policies for investments * What is the area of improvement of the legislative or regulatory framework for encouraging investments * What are the main planned investments and how are they evolving * Status of big projects that should be implemented on a national level.

Strategies for Transformation

New technology, expertise and business models

Impact of new technologies on the business models in the energy industry * Needed expertise in the field * Diversification vs specialization * Regional expansion or focus on the internal market * Energy transition for decarbonization: obligations, opportunities, risks * Local energy market – the impact of new technologies in the current crisis

Strategies for Integration

National and regional approach

How can different sectors collaborate, so they can find proper ways to implement solutions? It has become clearer this year that we need more than just renewables or gas or hydro; that green energy needs gas or coal or storage; those suppliers need generation; new financial instruments are needed, new alliances between private and public are needed; especially with the lift of subsidies and that state-owned company on the edge of collapse. Bringing together expertise and extra financing opportunities should be our main goal. A conversation on possible forms of cooperation for creating a stronger horizontal inter-sectorial industry.

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Workshops Day

TO BE CONFIRMED

10:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Quality and Performance of Solar PV Systems

More details soon.

Compliance and ethics in Energy

More details soon.

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

It takes a village!



Inspire. Drive Action. Accelerate Innovation

Meet, network, and hear first-hand from energy key players

Promote the development of a highly qualified and trained workforce for RE&EE sector and inclusion of women in the sector.

Increase awareness of benefits and challenges of renewable energy and energy efficiency.

Connect suppliers with buyers via the b2bmatchmaking platform and create long lasting relationships

LOCATION

To be Confirmed

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FREE TO
ATTEND, BUT
REGISTRATION
IS A MUST!**