



## Algeria-EU Energy Business Forum 2022

Ecole Supérieure de l'Hôtellerie et de la Restauration d'Alger - ESHRA

**Tuesday, 11 October 2022 - Algiers**

7:00-8:00	Registration and welcome coffee
8:30-9:15	<b>Official opening of the Business Forum</b> Speeches by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- H.E. the Minister of Energy and Mines Mr Mohamed ARKAB</li><li>- H.E. the Commissioner for Energy of the European Commission Ms Kadri SIMSON</li><li>- H.E. the Minister of Environment and Renewables Energies Ms Samia MOUALFI</li><li>- H.E. the Prime Minister Mr Aymen BENABDERRAHMANE</li></ul>
9:15-11:00	<b>Short video on Energy sector in Algeria in partnership with the EU (4 minutes)</b>  <b>High Level Panel: "Promoting investments and partnerships in the energy sector in Algeria and supplying the energy market"</b>  <u>Moderator:</u> Dr Djilali Benmahamed, Planning, Studies and Performances, Director, Sonatrach  <u>Speakers:</u> <b>Four high level representatives of European entities and companies:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Mr Guido Brusco, Chief Operating Officer Natural Resources, Eni</li><li>– Mr Thomas Maurisse, Senior Vice President LNG, TotalEnergies</li><li>– Ms Walburga Hemetsberger, CEO, Solar Power Europe</li><li>– Mr Rami Qasem, Executive Vice President Digital Solutions, Baker Hughes</li></ul> <b>Four high level representatives of Algerian entities and companies:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Dr Miloud Medjelled, General Director, Ministry of Energy and Mines</li><li>– Ms Samia Hamadache, Director of Gas Marketing Division, Sonatrach,</li><li>– Mr Aziz Ameyoud, Executive Director for Strategy, Information Systems and Organization, Sonelgaz</li><li>– Ms Safia Kouirat, Director for Investment Promotion, AAPI (ex ANDI)</li></ul>
11:00-11:30	<b>Press declaration of the Minister and the Commissioner</b>  Coffee Break
	<b>Session 1: Natural gas for sustainable development and energy security</b>  <u>Moderator:</u> Mr Nassim Hallal, Director, Sonatrach  Presentations (10 minutes each):

11:30-13:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– <b>Regulatory framework and incentives applicable to hydrocarbon activities</b> Mr El Hacene Louzazna, Director, ALNAFT</li> <li>– <b>The perspective of European companies and investors</b> Mr Thomas Ruttmann, Senior Vice President and Managing Director Algeria and Libya, Wintershall Dea Mr Bjorn Kare Viken, Vice President and Country manager Algeria, Equinor</li> <li>– <b>Investment opportunities in the natural gas value chain in Algeria</b> Mr Fethi Arabi, Business Development Vice President, Sonatrach</li> <li>– <b>The European market for natural gas: the medium and long term evolution favouring investments</b> Ms Cristina Lobillo Borrero, Director, DG Energy, European Commission</li> <li>– <b>Debate (30 min)</b></li> </ul>
13:30-15:30	Lunch
15:30-18:30	<b>Business to Business (B2B) sessions</b>
19:30-21:00	Dinner
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9:00-11:00	<p><b>Session 2: Renewable energy and energy efficiency</b></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Mr. Marco Berti Palazzi, Principal Administrator, DG Energy, European Commission</p> <p>Presentations (10 minutes each) :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– <b>Achievements in Renewables Energies: 400 MW project, 50 MW hybridization</b> Mr Walid Kremia, Director of Prospective, Sonelgaz</li> <li>– <b>The SOLAR 1000 MW call for investors launched by Algeria</b> Mr Samil Mougari, General Director, SHAEMS SPA</li> <li>– <b>European investors' expectations</b> Abdelkrim Dziri, Senior Business Developer – Renewables, Total Energies Algeria</li> <li>– <b>The Algerian industry perspective: the promotion of local content</b> Mr Mehdi Bendimerad, Director of Administration Council, Green Energy Cluster Algeria</li> <li>– <b>The role of financial institutions for the development of renewable energy</b> Mr Fouaz Sid, Director of Financing and Investment Banking, Société Générale Algérie</li> </ul> <p><b>The Algerian national strategy for energy efficiency and partnership opportunities</b> Mr Merouane Chaabane General Director, APRUE</p> <p><b>Debate (45 min)</b></p>

11:00-11:30	Coffee break
11:30-13:00	<p><b>Session 3: Renewable and low carbon hydrogen</b></p> <p><u>Moderator:</u> Dr Abdelhamid M'raoui, Director of hydrogen division, CDER</p> <p>Presentations (10 minutes each):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– <b>The EU hydrogen strategy and the evolution of European hydrogen demand</b> Mr Alessandro Polito, Principal Administrator, DG Energy, European Commission</li> <li>– <b>The national hydrogen strategy in Algeria</b> Dr Miloud Medjelled, General Director, Ministry of Energy and Mines</li> <li>– <b>The European industry's perspective</b> Mr Jorgo Chatzimarkakis, Secretary general, Hydrogen Europe Mr Antonio Gozzi, President of Federacciai, Federation of Italian Steel Companies</li> <li>– <b>The Algerian industry's perspective</b> Mr Bilel Kalache, Renewables Energies Director, Sonatrach</li> <li>– <b>Debate (30 min)</b></li> </ul>
13:00-14:30	Lunch
14:30-16:00	<b>Business to Business (B2B) sessions</b>
16:00-16:30	<p><b>Closing session</b></p> <p>H.E. Ms Lenka Pokorna, Ambassador of the Czech Republic in Algeria Mr. Abdelkrim Aouissi, Secretary General, Ministry of Energy and Mines</p>