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REGISTRATION

Registration will take place daily between
9 a.m. and 6 p.m., starting 29/9/2018 in
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NOTE:

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DAY ONE

Monday 1/10/2018

OPENING SESSION

09:30 – 10:30

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Recitation from The Holy Koran.- Address by HE Aziz Rabbah, Minister of Energy, Mines and Sustainable Development, Morocco. Conference Chairman.- Address by HE Dr. Ahmed Aboul Gheit, Secretary General, the League of Arab States, Presented by HE Dr. Kamal Hassan Ali, Assistant Secretary General, Head of Economic Affairs Sector, League of Arab States. on behalf of the Sponsoring Organizations of the Conference.
11:00-12:30	Arab Countries' Vision on Energy Strategies.
12:30-14:00	Lunch.

First Ministerial Session

The Transformations in Global Oil and Gas Markets and their Implications for Arab Oil Exporters

14:00-15:30

Chairman:	HE Eng. Khalid Bin Abdulaziz Al-Falih, Minister of Energy, Industry and Natural Resources, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
Rapporteur:	Mr. Abdulfattah Arefi Dandi, Director of Economics Department, OAPEC.
Background paper by:	Dr. Bassam Fattouh, Director, Oxford Institute for Energy Studies (OIES).
Panelists:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HE Tarek El Molla, Minister of Petroleum and Mineral Resources, Egypt.• HE Eng. Jabbar Ali Hussein Al-Luaibi, Minister of Oil, Iraq.• HE Eng. Bakheet S. Al-Rashidi, Minister of Oil and Minister of Electricity & Water, Kuwait.• HE Mohammad Sanusi Barkindo, Secretary General, Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC).• HE Dr. Sun Xiansheng, Secretary General, International Energy Forum (IEF).• Ms. Peg Mackey, Senior Energy Analyst, International Energy Agency.

DAY TWO

Tuesday 2/10/2018

Second Ministerial Session

Energy Security as a Global Partnership

09:00 – 10:30

Chairman:	HE Eng. Tarek El-Molla, Minister of Petroleum and Mineral Resources, Egypt.
Rapporteur:	Dr. Samir M. Elkareish, Director - Technical Affairs Department, OAPEC.
Background paper by:	HE Dr. Sun Xiansheng, Secretary General, International Energy Forum (IEF).
Panelists:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HE Azhari Abdulgader Abdullah Ministry of Petroleum and Gas, Sudan.• HE Suleiman Al- Herbish. Director-General, OFID.• Dr. Ibrahim Al-Muhanna Consultant, KSA.

Third Ministerial Session

Investment Requirements in Arab Energy Sector

11:00-12:30

Chairman:	HE Dr. Mohammed Bin Saleh Al Sada, Minister of Energy and Industry, Qatar.
Rapporteur:	Mr. Mouzaffar H. Albarazi, Senior Economist, OAPEC.
Background paper by:	Dr. Ahmed Ali Attiga, Chief Executive Officer, Arab Petroleum Investments Corporation (APICORP).
Panelists:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• HE Mohamed Abdel Vetah, Minister of Petroleum, Energy and Mines, Mauritania.• Dr. Aabed bin Abdulla Al-Saadoun, Chairman, Arab Petroleum Investments Corporation (APICORP).• Dr. Imed Limam, Economic Advisor, AFESD.
12:30-14:00	Lunch.

First Technical Session

Arab and World Energy Resources: Reality and Prospects.

14:00-15:30

Chairman:	HE Azhari Abdulgader Abdullah Ministry of Petroleum and Gas, Sudan.
Rapporteur:	Dr. Attia Mahmoud Attia, Dean of the Faculty of Energy and Environmental Engineering, The British University in Egypt.
Paper 1	Arab and World Energy Resources. Presented by: Eng. Torki H. Hemsh, Petroleum Expert/ Exploration and Production, Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries(OAPEC).
Paper 2	Managing Control of Naturally Fractured Reservoir During the Hydraulic Fracture. Mr. Walter Suzart, Technology Leader/ Technical Advisor, Halliburton.
Paper 3	Renewable Energy Resources in the Arab World and its Uses in Electric Power Generation. Dr. Mohamed Farahat, Advisory Engineer, Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development.
Paper 4	Oil and the World Energy Transition. Dr. Majid A. Al Moneef, Consultant, KSA.

Second Technical Session

Petroleum Downstream Industries in Arab Countries and the World

16:00-17:30

Chairman:	HE Eng. Bakheet S. Al-Rashidi, Minister of Oil and Minister of Electricity & Water, Kuwait.
Rapporteur:	Dr. Osamah A. Alsayegh, Executive Director, Energy & Building Research Center, KISR.
Paper 1	Refining Industry in Arab Countries and the World. Presented by: Eng. Imad Makki, Senior Refining Expert, Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC),
Paper 2	Petrochemicals Industry in Arab Countries and the World. Dr. Abdulwahab Al-Sadoun, Secretary General, Gulf Petrochemicals and Chemicals Association (GPCA).
Paper 3	Natural Gas Industry in Arab Countries and the World.
Paper 4	Maintaining the Competitive Edge of Arab Petroleum Energy Resources in a Rapidly Changing World Energy Scene. Dr. Mamun Absi Halabi, Dr Saad Okasha, Dr Hassan Qabazard.

Third Technical Session

Arab Cooperation in Electric Power Field

09:00–10:30

Chairman:	HE Mohamed Abdel Vetah, Minister of Petroleum, Energy and Mines, Mauritania.
Rapporteur:	Dr. Mohamed Farahat, Advisory Engineer, Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development.
Paper 1	Agreements on Electrical Energy Trade among Arab Countries. Eng. Jamila Mattar, Director of the Energy Department, League of Arab States.
Paper 2	Expanding the Gulf Cooperation Council's (GCC's) Electric Power Interconnections beyond the GCC Electrical Grid System and Establishing Electric Power Regional Trade Markets. Dr. Mohamed Yusuf Al- Hamad, Power Trade Senior Executive Market Operations, GCC Interconnection Authority.
Paper 3	The Role of Arab Electric Interconnections in Maximizing the Exploitation of Generated Energy in Non-Dispatchable Renewable Energy Units. Dr. Samir AlKotob, Engineering Consultant, Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development (AFESD)

Fourth Technical Session

Energy Demand Management in Arab Countries

11:00-12:30

Chairman:	HE Eng. Jabbar Ali Hussein Al-Luaibi, Minister of Oil, Iraq.
Rapporteur:	Mr. Taher ElZaitoni, Energy Analyst, OAPEC.
Paper 1	Arab Energy Demand Outlook 2040. Presented by: Mr. Abdulfattah Arefi Dandi, Director of Economics Department, Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC).
Paper 2	Energy Subsidies Reform Policies in Arab Countries. Dr. Chadi Abdalla, Economist in the Expenditure Policy Division of the Fiscal Affairs Department, International Monetary Fund (IMF)
Paper 3	Improving Energy Efficiency in the Industrial Sector in Arab Countries. Dr. Mohamed Salah Elsobki, Professor of Energy Planning, Faculty of Engineering, Cairo University.
12:30-14:00	Lunch.

Fifth Technical Session

Energy, Environment, and Sustainable Development

14:00-15:30

Chairman:	HE Abbas Ali Al-Naqi, Secretary General, OAPEC
Rapporteur:	Mr. Abdul Kareem K.H. Ayed, Director of Library and Information Dept, OAPEC.
Paper 1	Developments in UNFCCC after Paris Agreement. Dr. Mohammed Alsayyad, Advisor at the Oil & Gas Holding Company (Nogaholding), Kingdom of Bahrain.
Paper 2	The Role of IOCs in the De-Carbonization Process using RE and EE, and the Challenges they Face. Dr. Ahmed Badr, Executive Director, Regional Center for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency (RCREEE).
Paper 3	Sustainable Development 2030 (case study of Morocco). Ministry of Energy, Mines and Sustainable Development, Morocco.
	Documentary Film on Renewable Energy in Morocco.

Closing Session

16:00- 17:00

Chairman:

HE Aziz Rabbah,
Conference Chairman, Minister of Energy, Mines and Sustainable Development, Morocco.

Address by **HE Abbas Ali Al-Naqi,**
Secretary General, OAPEC
on behalf of the Sponsoring Organizations of the Conference.

Conference Communiqué.

Statement by HE Chairman of the Twelfth Arab Energy Conference.

Statement of HE Aziz Rabbah,
Conference Chairman.

Day 4

Thursday 4/10/2018

Field Trip