

In the presence of

H.E. Shaikh Khalid bin Abdulla Al Khalifa Deputy Prime Minister Kingdom of Bahrain



26th GULF ENGINEERING FORUM

ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Conference & Exhibition 2025

⁶ Energy Transition Challenges

11-13 February 2025

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On behalf of the Bahrain Society of Engineers and the Gulf Engineering Union, I am pleased to welcome you to the 26th Gulf Engineering Forum, which is honored by the presence of His Excellency Sheikh Khalid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, Deputy Prime Minister. This forum is highlighted by the Energy Management Conference and Exhibition, which focuses on the important topic of "Energy transition challenges"

This conference focuses on the fundamental transformations facing the GCC countries in the energy sector. We are fully aware that fossil fuels have been a major driver of our economic growth, but our pursuit of a sustainable future requires a transition to environmentally friendly renewable energy sources. This energy transition journey requires us to find the right balance between energy security and sustainability. We realize that this balance represents a shared responsibility that falls on all of us. We must strive to promote sustainable economic growth, adhere to our environmental responsibility, while ensuring reliable and safe energy supplies. To navigate the complexities of the energy transition, we must actively pursue innovative solutions and collaborative efforts in adopting renewable sources, developing efficient infrastructure, and ensuring a smooth industrial transition.

The 26th Gulf Engineering Forum represents a vital platform for knowledge exchange, cooperation and innovation. It brings together an elite group of engineers, industry leaders and policy makers from the Gulf region and beyond, to engage in a serious dialogue about the complex challenges and broad opportunities facing us on our journey towards sustainable energy.



I am delighted to welcome each of you to the upcoming Energy Management Conference & EXPO, themed "Energy Transition Challenges," scheduled for 11 – 13 February 2025. This remarkable event, graced by the esteemed presence of H.E. Shaikh Khalid bin Abdulla Al Khalifa, Deputy Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Bahrain, is dedicated to addressing the pressing issues of global warming and the complexities surrounding the energy transition.

The global energy landscape is currently grappling with two significant challenges: the prevalence of greenhouse gas emissions from traditional energy production and the lack of access to energy for millions worldwide. To tackle these challenges head-on, energy transition initiatives are pushing for a shift towards sustainable and renewable energy sources, while effectively managing hydrocarbons the cornerstone of our current energy framework.

The upcoming conference will explore essential aspects of managing hydrocarbons and highlight the significance of implementing effective energy management practices. This includes reducing usage and embracing cleaner technologies to minimize environmental impact while achieving the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and operational efficiency. Ensuring long-term sustainability in energy management is paramount, requiring a delicate balance between meeting global energy demands and mitigating environmental concerns and legislations. Consumer expectations play a crucial role in shaping energy transition strategies, demanding minimal disruption to daily lives and energy supplies. Addressing these expectations and aligning them with a realistic transition plan is imperative for success. In summary, responsible management of hydrocarbons is indispensable for forging a cleaner, more sustainable energy landscape. The transition plan must navigate the fine line between aspiration and pragmatism, emphasizing the urgency for a well-defined affordable strategy to realize a sustainable future energy.



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OPENING PROGRAM

09:00-09:15 **EXHIBITION OPENING**

09:20-09:25 Welcoming Speech

Dr. Raida Al Alawi Chairperson of the Forum President of Bahrain Society of Engineers

> 09:25-09:30 **Official Sponsor Speech**

H.E. Kamal Bin Ahmed Mohamed Ahmed President of Electricity and Water Authority

> 09:30-09:35 **Gulf Engineering Union Speech**

Mohamed Ali Alkhozaae **Secretary General**

09:35-09:40 Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC) Speech

> H.E. Jamal Essa Al-Loughani Secretary General

> > 09:40-09:50 AWARD CEREMONY



PLENARY SESSIONS

DAY ONE

11 FEBRUARY 2025

10:35 - 11:05 | Gulf Convention Center | Gulf Hotel

KEYNOTE SPEECH



Dr. Kamel Ben Naceur Chairman - DAMORPHE Chief Executive Officer - Nomadia Energy United Arab Emirates

11:05 - 12:05 | Gulf Convention Center | Gulf Hotel

PANEL DISCUSSION

CLEAN ENERGY CHALLENGES IN GCC: AFFORDABILITY, AVAILABILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY

PANELISTS



Dr. Kamel Ben Naceur Chairman - DAMORPHE, CEO -Nomadia Energy, United Arab Emirates



Dr. Ahmad AlQattan Manager Performance & Development, Kuwait Petroleum, Netherland



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MODERATOR



Prof. Abdulwahab Al Musallam Department of Chemical Kuwait





Engineering, Kuwait University,

Prof. Mohan Kelkar

Professor - Petroleum Engineering University of Tulsa

09:10 - 09:40 Gulf Convention Center | Gulf Hotel

PLENARY SESSIONS DAY THREE

13 FEBRUARY 2025

09:10 - 10:10 | Gulf Convention Center | Gulf Hotel

PANEL DISCUSSION

COLLABORATION OF ENGINEERING DISCIPLINES TOWARDS NET-ZERO

PANELISTS



Mohamed Al Shehab Senior Vice President - Corporate Professor, Petroleum Engineering, Finance, Investment & Treasury University of Tulsa, United States **Bapco Energies**





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09:40 - 10:10 Gulf Convention Center | Gulf Hotel



Hesham Zubari Chief AI and innovation Officer Dragon Oil



Prof. Mohan Kelkar



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PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

10 February 2025 | Time: 09:00 - 13:00



Energy Transition Workshop

About the Instructor

Workshop Overview

This four-hour workshop provides an overview of current status of climate change and energy transition. The word "energy transition" implies that there is a transition from one energy source to another energy source. Historically, we have had energy transitions in the past and they took decades to mature. Because of climate change and its impact on the earth, United Nations is pushing for net zero transition by 2050 – which effectively eliminates fossil fuels by 2050. Is this a realistic goal? Where are the opportunities and what are the challenges in achieving this goal? The workshop discusses the importance of fossil fuels in current civilization and the alternatives that can be used to sustain the civilization while reducing the use of fossil fuels. We will also discuss the feasibility of CO2 capture and storage and consider the use of hydrogen as an energy carrier.

Who Should Attend

Anyone who is interested in how energy is used and how feasible it is to go from one type of energy to another source of energy



Opportunities in a Carbon Circular Economy and a Just Energy Transition

Workshop Overview

This Workshop is designed to give participants an overview about the drivers for a Carbon Circular Economy and a Just Energy Transition. It highlights the potential energy pathways to a Net Zero Emissions future. The historic deal struck at COP28 in December 2023, relates to "transitioning away from fossil fuels in energy systems, in a just, orderly and equitable manner... so as to achieve net zero by 2050 in keeping with the science.". The agreement shows the various tracks that will allow us to maintain the objective of 1.5 (degrees Celsius) in accordance with the characteristics of every nation and in the context of sustainable development.

While oil and gas will represent a major part of the energy mix in the future, energy systems will include a significantly larger share of renewables, and low/zero carbon fuels in addition to different initiatives relating to the sustainability aspects such as leveraging carbon capture, utilization and storage to enable sustainable energy supply. Energy efficiency from asset operations and advanced technologies for emissions (and specially methane) reductions will play a key role in lowering carbon footprint, and form key pillars of the value chain to achieve a Carbon Circular Economy and a just transition, help to bring resilience for a sustainable future.

The Workshop will provide insights through regional and national case studies, focusing on opportunities identification, integration and management in areas such as CCUS, hydrogen/ammonia/methanol projects consideration, and deployment for effective end-to-end value creation.

About the Instructor



Kamel Ben-Naceur is the CEO for Nomadia Energy Consulting, based in Abu Dhabi, and the Chairman of Houstonbased DAMORPHE. He was previously the 2022 President of the SPE (Society of Petroleum Engineers), and the Chief Economist for Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC). Prior to that, he was

Professor Mohan Kelkar is currently

Professor and Chairman of McDougall

School of Petroleum Engineering at

the University of Tulsa. He is author

or co-author of more than 70 refereed

publications and has made more than 250

technical presentations. He has authored

or co-authored three books in various

petroleum engineering disciplines. His current research

interest is understanding energy transition, and role of fossil

fuels in transforming the world. He is recipient of numerous

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the Director for Sustainability, Technology and Outlooks at the International Energy Agency. In 2014, he was appointed Tunisia's Minister for Industry, Energy and Mines. From 1981 to 2013, he held key positions with Schlumberger, including Chief Economist and Technology President. His assignments with Schlumberger included France, USA, UK, Algeria, Venezuela, UAE, Egypt, Russia and Brazil. He has more than 40 years of experience and knowledge in the energy and industry sectors around the world in both public and private service and is the (co-) author of 19 books and over 170 publications, as well as being granted several international patents. He has received several SPE/AIME Awards, including the Distinguished Member, the Distinguished Service, AIME Charles Rand Gold Memorial, and the Sustainability and Stewardship in the Oil and Gas Industry Award, and he was a SPE Distinguished Lecturer. He is a graduate from Ecole Polytechnique (Paris) and Ecole Normale Superieure (Paris).

Technical Program - DAY ONE **11 FEBRUARY 2025**

09:00 - 09:15	Exhibition	Opening
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09:40-09:50	Award Ce	eremony
09:50 - 10:35	Coffee and Net	tworking Break
	KEYNOTE SPEECH	
10:35 - 11:05	Dr. Kamel Ben Naceur	
	Chairman - DAMORPHE CEO - Nomadia Energy	
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	Panel Topic: CLEAN ENERGY CHALLENGES IN GCC: AFFORDABILITY, AVAILABILITY AND SUSTAINABILITY	
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	Muneef Alshameeri Coordinator Energy - Utilities, Offsites & Energy, Bapco Refining, Bahrain	
	Moderator:	
	Prof. Abdulwahab Al Musallam Department of Chemical Engineering, Kuwait University, Kuwait	
12:05 - 12:30	Coffee and Networking Break	
	AL DANA 1	AL DANA 2
	Track 1: Energy Transition Strategy	Track 2 Energy Transition Regulation
	Track Chair: Dr. Nahla Al Qassim	Track Chair: Abdulla Janahi
	Oman's Path to Net Zero: Clean Energy Strategy, Policies, and Decarbonization Initiatives	Regulatory Pathways Supporting The Energy Transistion
12:35 - 13:00	Abdullah Ali Salim Al-Busaidi Ministry of Transport, Communications and	Nicholas Carter Electricity and Water Authority, Rabrain

12:05 - 12:20	Kuwait's Energy Transformation: Strategic Initiatives and Overcoming the Barriers	Towards a Pro-Energy Transition International Trade Rules
13.00 - 13.30	Dr. Altaf Salman Albaho Ministry of Oil, Kuwait	Dr. Jameel Al Alawi Al Alawi & Associates, Bahrain
13:30 - 14:30	Lunch	Break
	AL DANA 1	AL DANA 2
	Track 3 Energy Technology and Innovations	Track 4 Energy Transition: Opportunities and Barriers
	Track Chair: Prof. Isa Qamber	Track Chair: Fareed Bushehri
14:25 15:00	Nuclear Fusion: The Ultimate Clean and Renewable Energy Source	Hydrogen Fuel Cells: Current Status, Major Challenges, and Future Prospects
14.35 - 15.00	Prof. Shawqi Al Dallal Ahlia University, Bahrain	Prof. Sayyad Zahid Qamar Sultan Qaboos University, Oman
15:05 - 15:30	An Alternate Integration of a Wind Driven DC machine With the Power Grid Dr. Maamar Taleb University of Bahrain, Bahrain	Transitioning to Green Hydrogen: Small Power Generation Units and Environmental Sustainability Faraj Abdulmohsin Alqahtani
		Saudi Arabia
15:25 16:00	Global Energy Alternatives and the Adopted Artificial Intelligence Technology	Energy Transition Challenges and Imperatives in an age of Slowbalization
15.35 - 10.00	Prof. Dr. Issam Mohammed Ali Aljubury University of Baghdad, Iraq	Ahmed Ijaz Ericsson, Saudi Arabia
16:05 - 16:30	Impacts of PV Systems Integration on Petroleum Development Oman (PDO)	Decarbonizing HVAC Systems through Energy Optimization and Optimal High Efficiency Unit Selection in Oman
	Faiza Mohamed Said AlHarthy Petroleum Development Oman Oman	Shahid Ali Khan Military Technology College, Oman
	End of Day One	

Technical Program - DAY TWO 12 FEBRUARY 2025

	09:00 - 09:10	Opening Remarks	
		KEYNOTE SPEECH	
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	09:40 - 10:10	Hesham Zubari Chief AI and innovation Officer, Dragon Oil	
	10:10 - 10:40	Coffee and Networking Break	
		AL DANA 1	AL DANA 2
		Track 5 Energy Transition Projects	Track 6 Energy Efficiency
		Track Chair: Nezar Al Shammasi	Track Chair: Dr. Hassan Al Alawi
	10:45 - 11:10	Alba Power Production Journey to Sustain Competitive Advantage Khaled Mersal Alba, Bahrain	Energy Technologies And Innovations Innovations In Energy Efficiency And Their Potential To Reduce Energy Consumption (An Overview of Energy-Efficient And Low-Global- Warming-Potential Technologies In ACs)
			Hasan Ali Mubarak Supreme Council For Environment, Bahrain

11:15 - 11:40	Sustainability Purpose and Strategy - Sohar Port & Freezone Al Mukhtar Saleh Al Saifi Sohar Port & Freezone, Oman	Revolutionizing Utilities with Private LTE: A Case Study of Bahrain's Electricity Distribution Automation Mahmood Abdul Nabi Khalaf Electricity & Water Authority (EWA), Bahrain
11:45 - 12:10	Exploring LCO2 import terminals to connect to sequestration in the Arabian Gulf Caroline Metcalf	The Impact of Renewable Energy in mitigating of the Climate Change Effects: The Sultanate of Oman's Net Zero Strategy
	Bechtel Limited, United Kingdom	Prof. Khalifa Al-Jabri Sultan Qaboos University, Oman
12:10 - 12:25	Coffee and Ne	tworking Break
	Track 7 Energy Transition Projects	Track 8 Energy Efficiency
	Track Chair: Mohammed AbdulAziz Al Atawi	Track Chair: Faisal Ahmad Raza
12:25 - 12:50	Optimizing Solar and Wind Energy Integration for Sustainable Water Desalination in Bahrain	GPIC Environment Management Reem Al Bastaki
	Kamal M. Sassi Almuteer University of Bahrain, Bahrain	GPIC, Bahrain
	Energy Consumption in Municipal Water in Bahrain	Sustainable Energy Systems For Energy Transition: A Techno-Economic Viability
12:55 - 13:20	Rehab Abdulmahdi Mohsin Hasan Ministry of Works, Bahrain	Dr. Muhammad Asif KFUPM, Saudi Arabia
12:25 - 12:50	Upstream Emission Reduction using Nature-Based Solution	Nanofluid as Heat Transfer Solutions for Enhancing Sustainable Technologies
13.20 - 13.00	Younis Al Rawahi Bauer Nimr, Oman	Dr. Zafar Said University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates
13:55 - 14:20	The Carbon Neutral Alternatives To Revive Safety And Integrity Of Aging Oil & Gas Wells	Safe Depressurisation of Dense Phase CO2 Pipework.
	Muhammad Abou Amad Adnoc Offshore, United Arab Emirates	Simon Clarke Saudi Aramco, Saudi Arabia
14:20 Onwards	Lunch Break & End of Day Sessions	
17:00 - 19:00	Social F	Program
19:00 Onwards	Gala Dinner	



Technical Program - DAY THREE

13 FEBRUARY 2025

09:00 - 09:10	Opening Remarks		
	Panel Topic: COLLABORATION OF ENGINEERING DISCIPLINES TOWARDS NET-ZERO		
	Prof. Mohan Kelkar Professor, Petroleum Engineering, University of Tulsa, United States		
	Faisal Senior Principal Solution Co	Baksh nsultant, Aspen Technology	
09:10 - 10:10	Martin Manuhwa Chairman, Capacity Building Committee, World Federation of Engineering Organizations		
	Mohamed Al Shehab Senior Vice President - Corporate Finance, Investment & Treasury Bapco Energies		
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10:10 - 10:40 Coffee and Naturaling Progle			
10:10 - 10:40	Coffee and Networking Break		
	Track 9 Challenges for e-Mobility	Track 10 Applications of Renewable Energy	
	Track Chair: Zeyad Hammooda	Track Chair: Raj Jhajharia	
10:45 11:10	Autonomous POD System for Sustainable Smart Cities: A Case Study of MISK City, Saudi Arabia	Qatar Rail Maryam Alsayeri Qatar Society of Engineers	
10:45 - 11:10	Ali Talal Alkhars King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals, Saudi Arabia	Qatar	
1115 11:40	Achievements and Innovations in Oman's Energy Transition: Decarbonizing Transportation and Maritime Sectors	Model for PPA Solar Energy Project Coordination in The Kingdom of Bahrain	
11:15 - 11:40	Juhina Alshamsi Ministry of Transport, Communcations and Information Technology, Oman	Bahrain	
	Investigating the impact of Electric vehicles integration on Bahrain's distribution network	Revitalization of Endorsed Renewables' Targets Through Investigating the Feasibility of Utilizing	
11:45 - 12:10	Ebrahim Adel Alsaleh Electricity & Water Authority, Bahrain	Kingdom of Bahrain Sara Ali Bahrain	
1015 10 40	Environment and Sustainability: Integrating Innovative Practices for a Sustainable Future	Investigating Motivational Factors Affecting Residents' Decision of Shifting Towards Solar Energy Sources in Bahrain	
12:15 - 12:40	Al-Ayuni Investment & Contracting Co. Saudi Arabia	Abdulla Madan Electricity and Water Authority Bahrain	

Host Assessment of GIS & AMI/MDM Integration-Based Simulation Tools & RTDS for Distributed Renewables & EV Chargers by Electric Utilities: A Case Study of EWA, Bahrain 12:45 - 13:10 **Ali Salman Ali Salman** Electricity & Water Authority (EWA) Bahrain 13:10 - 14:10 Raffle, Conference Closing & Lunch

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Smart infrastructure connects energy systems, buildings, and industries intelligently to adapt and evolve the way we live and work. We work with clients and partners to create an ecosystem that intuitively responds to people's needs and helps customers use resources better. It helps our clients thrive, helps societies advance, and supports sustainable development. We do this from macro to micro-level from connected digital products, components, systems, and services. From smart grid and electricity control to energy efficiency solutions and renewable energy systems and their applications, from building automation to control and protection systems. Advanced United Systems Ltd. (AUS) is a leading provider of innovative and comprehensive solutions in the fields of energy, automation, and technology integration. Founded with a commitment to excellence, AUS has rapidly established itself as a trusted partner for businesses seeking to optimize operations, enhance efficiency, and drive sustainable growth. Our core expertise lies in delivering end-to-end solutions that encompass solar energy systems, EV charging infrastructure, smart grid technologies, automation and SCADA systems, and advanced energy management services. With a strong focus on innovation, we leverage cutting-edge technologies to design and implement customized solutions that meet the unique needs of our clients across various industries.

Our team of highly skilled engineers, technicians, and project managers works closely with clients to ensure seamless integration of systems, from initial concept through to final deployment and ongoing support. At AUS, we are committed to providing not just products and services, but also valuable partnerships that contribute to the long-term success of our clients. Our dedication to quality, safety, and sustainability is reflected in every project we undertake, as we strive to exceed industry standards and customer expectations.

With a growing portfolio of successful projects across the region, AUS continues to be a key player in the energy and technology sectors, driving innovation and creating value for our clients and the communities we serve.

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BAHRAIN SOCIETY OF ENGINEERS

BSE is a professional voluntary organization concerned with engineers in Bahrain and looking after their interest and seeking to develop their capabilities through its technical and social programs. The official incorporation of the Bahrain Society of Engineers (BSE) was announced in the Official Gazette on 1.7. 1972.

BSE objectives include contributing in the industrial and urban development in Bahrain, regulating engineering profession and enhancing its standards, expressing the professional interests and rights of its members. Furthermore, its objectives also include conducting scientific and practical researches and encourage the same through conferences, seminars, scientific visits and exchange of information between BSE and other engineering societies.

The total registered BSE member stands now at approximately 1300 from all categories, disciplines and nationalities including Bahrainis, Arab and foreign members. The BSE has given intensive attention to raising the professional awareness among its members and updating them on the latest developments through organizing various technical symposiums, seminars and visiting on-going projects. However, organizing exhibitions and conferences play greater role in this respect since they provide valuable opportunities for members to meet with prominent experts, speakers and participants in such conferences.

BSE has opened a training center to organize courses and workshops on various vital topics in the field of engineering, technical and administrative matters and development of human resources. The training center was officially licensed by the Ministry of Labour in the in 2003. It is well equipped with the latest advanced equipment to facilitate learning and adoption with the latest know-how in order to enable it to conduct solid training courses that are recognized by major educational institutions worldwide.

Additionally, the BSE contributes actively in encouraging students to enroll in engineering disciplines through awarding grants to support students while studying.

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