



IEF Special Gas Market Dialogue



Thursday 28th October 2021



14:00 - 16:30 Riyadh | 13:00 - 15:30 CET | 11:00 - 13:30 GMT | 07:00 - 09:30 EST



Hybrid Session

Background and introduction

The recent rise in global natural gas and power prices along with low inventory levels represent a challenge to energy security and market stability, with impacts that will be costly and potentially dangerous for consumers.

As the winter season of peak demand approaches in the northern hemisphere, the crisis will likely deepen.

As a result, there is a need for enhanced international dialogue between gas producers and consumers, and greater cooperation to strengthen the resilience of energy systems, protect the vulnerable and mitigate the risks to the global economic recovery in the wake of the COVID-19 pandemic.

At the IEF Special Gas Market Dialogue, we will hear directly from energy ministers of both producing and consuming countries to better assess the current situation. We will also hear expert views from leading figures from industry and research institutes, who will provide insights into the causes of the crisis, its impact and the outlook.

This meeting is part of the IEF's commitment to convene global energy dialogue between producer and consumer nations to enhance energy security and market stability.



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DRAFT AGENDA

14:00 – 14:10



Opening remarks and welcome

- » **Joseph McMonigle**
Secretary General, International Energy Forum

14:10 – 15:30



Ministerial session

- » **H.E. Dr Tawfiq e-Elahi Chowdhury Bir Bikram**
Adviser (Minister) to the Prime Minister for Power, Energy and Mineral Resources Affairs of Bangladesh
- » **H.E. Shri Hardeep Singh Puri**
Minister of Petroleum and Natural Gas & Housing and Urban Affairs, India
- » **H.E. George Niculescu**
State Secretary, Ministry of Energy, Romania
- » **H.E. Kamal Abbasov**
Deputy Minister of Energy of Azerbaijan
- » **Hon. Amos Hochstein**
Senior Advisor for Energy Security, US Department of State
- » **H.E. Dr. Yury Sentyurin**
Secretary General, Gas Exporting Countries Forum

Roundtable Discussion

15:30 – 16:20



Industry session

- » **Dan Yergin**
Vice Chairman, IHS Markit; Chairman CERAWeek
- » **Patrick Pouyanné**
Chairman & CEO, TotalEnergies
- » **Charif Souki**
Executive Chairman of the Board, Tellurian Inc

Discussion/ Q&A

16:20 – 16:30



Concluding remarks

- » **Joseph McMonigle**
Secretary General, International Energy Forum