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Navigating Hydrogen: Bridging Gaps, Driving Action

NOV 30 - DEC 4, 2025 | MUSCAT

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EU-GCC Agenda

Sunday- **NOV 30**

08:30 – 09:00	**Registration & Welcome Refreshments**
09:00 – 09:15	**Opening Remarks**

Opening Remarks

H.E. Christophe Farnaud

Ambassador
European Union Delegation to the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Kingdom of Bahrain, and the Sultanate of Oman

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09:15 – 09:45 | Fireside Chat: **Hydrogen Market Frameworks: Enabling Scale and Investment**

Moderator

Spyros Kouvelis

Team Leader,
EU-GCC Cooperation on Green Transition Project

Panelists

H.E. Luigi Di Maio

EU Special Representative for the Gulf Region

H.E. Mohsin Al Hadhrami

Undersecretary,
Ministry of Energy and Minerals,
Sultanate of Oman

Discussion Points:

A focused dialogue on how certification, regulation, and market readiness can unlock large-scale hydrogen trade between Oman and the EU. Gain insights from top-level policymakers and industry leaders on making projects bankable and investment-ready.

09:45 – 10:30 | Panel 1: **From Potential to Production – Leveraging EU-Oman Partnerships and Investment for Green Hydrogen Scale-Up**

Moderator

Frank Wouters

Senior Vice President & Hydrogen Expert
MENA Hydrogen Alliance

Panelists

Abdulaziz Al Shidhani

Managing Director
Hydrom

Markus Exenberger

Executive Director,
H2Global Foundation

Jorden van Dam

General Manager at Green Energy Oman LLC & Business Opportunity Manager (Low-Carbon Hydrogen and CCS)
Oman Shell

Akram Azerbayev

VP Business Development
OQAE

Erik van der Heijden

Business Manager
Port of Rotterdam

Discussion Points:

Discover how Oman's renewable potential and the EU's technological expertise can be combined to scale production. The discussion will explore infrastructure readiness, supply chain development, certification pathways, and strategies for attracting global investors.

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10:30 – 11:00	**Coffee Break & Networking**

11:00 – 11:45	Panel 2: **Hydrogen Ecosystems – Integration, End-Use Transformation, and Skills Development**

Moderator

Siddiqa Al Lawati

Advisor, Low Carbon Molecules
OQ

Panelists

Abdullah Al-Busaidi

Director General of Oman Logistic Center
Ministry of Transport, Communications and Information Technology

Jürgen Rechberger

Vice President (Hydrogen & Fuel Cell Powertrain Systems), AVL List GmbH

Raul Ochagavia

Development Director
ACCIONA Nordex Green Hydrogen

Ahmed Al Abri

Regulatory & Infrastructure Manager, Hydrom

Anton Geers

Climate Transition Developer
Port of Antwerp-Bruges

Mohsin Al Jabri

Director General
Oman Net Zero Center

*TBC

Discussion Points:

Explore the complete hydrogen value chain—from production to end-use in shipping, heavy industry, and advanced fuels. This panel will also spotlight skills development, workforce readiness, and community impact in driving a just energy transition.

11:45 – 12:00	**Closing Remarks & Next Steps**

Closing Remarks

Spyros Kouvelis

Team Leader
EU-GCC Cooperation on Green Transition Project

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Energy Transition Reality Check

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Sunday- **NOV 30**

12:45 - 1:30 PM | Opening Session

Welcome Note

12:45 - 1:00 PM

Dr. Abdullah Al Abri
Vice President of
Sustainability
SOHAR Port and Freezone

Keynote Address

1:00 - 1:20 PM

H.E Salim Al Aufi
Minister of Energy and Minerals
Sultanate of Oman

Transition Reality Check

1:20 - 1:30 PM

Data & Insights Presentation by BloombergNEF

Martin Tengler
Head of Hydrogen
BloombergNEF

1:30 – 2:15 PM | Panel 1: **Ministerial Dialogue**

Strategic Realignment:
Redefining the Energy Framework – From Security and Supply to Sustainability and Net Zero

Ministers provide a geopolitical and national policy-driven perspective on energy transition, highlighting macroeconomic shifts, energy resilience, and national strategies.

Moderator

Martin Tengler
Head of Hydrogen
BloombergNEF

Panelists

H.E Salim Al Aufi
Minister of Energy and Minerals,
Sultanate of Oman

H.E. Eng. Karim Badawi
Minister of Petroleum and Mineral Resources
Arab Republic of Egypt

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Sunday- **NOV 30**

2:15 - 2:45 PM | Networking coffee

Keynote Speech
2:45 - 2:55 PM

Jennifer Holmgren
CEO
LanzaTech

2:55 - 3:00 PM

Circular Business Review (CBR) Launch

3:00 – 3:45 PM | Panel 2: **CEO & Experts Dialogue**

Energy Transition Scale-Up: Technology, Capital, and Market Development

Explore commercial readiness, investment, and regulatory challenges for utility-scale projects in clean hydrogen, renewables, and storage. Hear directly from C-level leaders deploying infrastructure globally.

Moderator

Martin Tengler
Head of Hydrogen
BloombergNEF

Panelists

Abdul Wahid Al Murshidi
CEO
Sohar International

Name TBC
Designation
PDO

Jennifer Holmgren
CEO
LanzaTech

Name TBC
Designation
ACME

3:45 – 4:00 | **Q & A Session**

4:00 – 4:15 | **Closing Session**

Outcome Summary

Martin Tengler
Head of Hydrogen
BloombergNEF

A concise synthesis of the day's insights and priorities, helping shape dialogue and direction across Days 1–3.

Closing Remarks

Dr. Abdullah Al Abri
Vice President of Sustainability
SOHAR Port and Freezone

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Monday- **Dec 1** (Day 1)

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08:30 – 09:00	Networking Coffee

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09:00 – 09:30	Opening Ceremony

09:30 – 10:30 — Keynote Speeches

H.E Salim Al Aufi
Minister of Energy and Minerals
Sultanate of Oman

Jorgo Chatzimarkakis
CEO
Hydrogen Europe

Eng. Abdulaziz Al Shidhani
Managing Director
Hydrom

10:30 – 11:30 — 1. Ministerial Panel

Moderator

Martin Tengler
Head of Hydrogen
BloombergNEF

Panelists

H.E. Salim Al Aufi
Minister of Energy and Minerals, Sultanate of Oman

H.E. Eng. Karim Badawi
Minister of Petroleum and Mineral Resources
Arab Republic of Egypt

H.E. Yoji Muto TBC
Minister of Economy, Trade and Industry
Japan

11:30 – 12:00	MoU Signings (Bank Sohar, Hydrom, OQAE, and others for various agreements)
12:00 – 13:30	Lunch Break and Networking

13:30 – 14:15 — 2. Oman's Hydrogen Vision: Positioning for Global Relevance

Moderator

José Miguel Menéndez
Energy Technology Analyst
IEA

Panelists

Eng. Abdulaziz Al Shidhani
Managing Director
Hydrom

Ghalib Al Maamari
Acting CEO
OQ Alternative Energy

Dr. Abdullah Al Abri
Vice President of Sustainability
SOHAR Port and Freezone

Essam Al Shibany
Vice President of Sustainability
Asyad

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14:15 – 15:00

3. The Hydrogen Age: Redefining Global Alliances and Energy Dependencies

Moderator

Lionel Rabin
Founder
Haltiqa

Panelists

Pauline Raabe
Project Manager
H2Global

Rumaitha Al-Busaidi
Business and ICV Development Manager
Hydrom

Mark Geilenkirchen
Vice President of Business Development Middle East
Advario

Speaker Name
ACME

Mikaa Blugeon-Mered
Senior Researcher on hydrogen geopolitics
CRCCH

15:00 – 15:30 — Coffee Break and Networking

15:30 – 16:15

4. From Potential to Production: Lessons from Early Hydrogen Projects

Moderator

Akram Azerbayev
VP Business Development
OQAE

Panelists

Nicolas POIROT
CEO
Air Liquide Africa Middle East & India

Jorden van Dam
General Manager at Green Energy Oman LLC & Business Opportunity Manager
Oman Shell

Wesam Al Ghamdi
CEO
NEOM Green Hydrogen

Kamel El Kholy
H2 Business Development Director MENA
John Cockerill

Sumit Sinha
Associate Vice President
ACME

16:15 – 17:00

5. Green Hydrogen in Action: Driving Demand and End-Use Transformation Across Key Sectors

Moderator

Javier Doblas
Managing Director and Partner
BCG

Panelists

Wei wei
President
Baowu Clean Energy

Manfred Schuckert
Head of Automotive Regulatory Strategy - Commercial Vehicles
Daimler AG

Ellen Ruhotas
CEO
ECOLOG

Andrew Fang
Vice President Projects and Sustainability
Meranti Green Steel

Paul Louis Kiesow
CEO / Co-Founder
Hytra

19:00 – 20:00 — Women in Future Energies

20:00 – 21:00 — Gala Dinner and Future Energy Leaders Awards

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Tuesday- **December 2** (Day 2)

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08:00 – 08:30 | **Networking Coffee**

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09:00 – 09:30 | **Keynote Speeches**

H.E Pankaj Khimji
Foreign Trade and International Cooperation adviser
Ministry of Commerce

Anne Le Guellec
Director of the International Enterprise Department
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Netherlands

09:30 – 10:15 | **6. Infrastructure & Logistics: Building the Backbone for Export Competitiveness**

Moderator

Dr. Alessandro Zampieri
Partner and Associate Director Decarbonisation Solutions
BCG

Panelists

Salim Al Hashmi
Managing Director
OTTCO

Kirsten Raeymaekers
Manager MENA/Hydrogen, Port of Antwerp-Bruges International

Ahmed Al Abri
Regulatory & Infrastructure Manager
Hydrom

Mickael Naouri
Regional Sales and Business Development Manager E&C AMEI
Air Liquide

10:15 – 11:00 | **7. Integrating Energy and Technology Systems for Scale-Up**

Moderator

Raphaël Schoentgen
Founder and CEO
Hydrogen Advisors

Panelists

Lubna Alwahaibi
Managing Director
Siemens Energy

Dr. Li Shaohua
Chief Engineer, Green Hydrogen & Chemical Engineering Research Institute
Energy China

Paul Smith
SVP Global Sales
Energy Dome

Fatima Mutlu
Head of Business Development Electrolyzer MENA, BOSCH
BOSCH

Juergen Rechberger
Group Vice President Fuel Cell & Energy
AVL List GmbH

11:00 – 11:30 | **Coffee Break and Networking**

11:30 – 12:15 | **8. Strategic Offtake Agreements and Market Access**

Moderator

Stefan Krümpelmann
Editor, Hydrogen and Future Fuels
Argus Media

Panelists

Erik van der Heijden
Business Manager Energy Transition
Port of Rotterdam

Siddharth Malik
Managing Partner
Green Investors AG
TBC

Akio Kusakabe
General Manager
Mitsui

Raul Ochagavia
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ACCIONA Nordex Green Hydrogen
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12:15 – 13:00 — 9. Financing Capacity and Investment Risks

Moderator

Moderator
IFC

Keynote speech

Abdul Wahid Al Murshidi
CEO
Sohar International

Panelists

Leo Porter
Executive Director
Crédit Agricole CIB

Lotus Mohajer
Liaison Officer Oman
Green Climate Fund

Adriana Abdenur
CO-President
GLobal Fund for a New Economy
TBC

Hanife Ymer
ESG Specialist
Development Bank

13:00 – 14:00 — Lunch Break and Networking

14:00 – 14:45 — 10.Hydrogen Ecosystems Integration: Unlocking Synergies from Local Systems to Global Networks

Moderator

TBC
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Panelists

Aisha Al-Balushi
Environmental Officer
Asyad Container Terminal

Maryam Al Farsi
Infrastructure Engineer
Hydrom

Alfred Wong
Partner, Decarbonization & Energy Transition
Templewater

Johan Dreyer
President
H2 Antofagasta Chile

14:45 – 15:30 — 11. Hydrogen and the SDGs: Global and Community Impact Through Local Action

Moderator

Nashwa Al Rawahi
Board Member
ESO

Panelists

Fadi Al-Noaimi
Senior Research Fellow
Carboun Institute

Mohsin Al Jabri
Director General
Oman Net Zero Center

Dr Ruth Prelicz
Senior Advisor Green Hydrogen and Decarbonization
H2 Diplo

Wendy Werner
Oman Country Manager
World Bank Group

Hani Abdullah Badhdah
CEO
Ecocode

15:30 – 16:00 — Closing Remarks

Muhannad Al Hinai
Director of Hydrogen Policies and Strategies
Ministry of Energy and Minerals

16:00 — End of Programming

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