



CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2020

**WORLD
ENERGY
COUNCIL**



Furthering the vision of a **sustainable energy future**

The World Energy Council has been at the forefront of the energy debate for nearly a century, guiding thinking and driving action around the world to achieve sustainable energy for all.

Global events

As the world's leading member-based global energy network, World Energy Council events provide a unique space for the global energy community to convene. They include the triennial **World Energy Congress** and the annual **World Energy Week, World Energy Leaders' Summit** and **Energy Leaders' Dialogues**.

Our event agendas are designed to engage, educate, inspire and influence participants on the pressing energy issues of the day. They connect government officials, policy makers, global business leaders and industry experts and build upon insights gained from the Council's ongoing studies.

Regional and national events

Numerous regional and national events are organised by the Council's Member Committees across the world, focusing specifically on regional and national energy issues.

External events

As one of the world's most influential energy organisations, the World Energy Council supports a range of key external events taking place across the globe.

www.worldenergy.org/experiences-events

Global events 2020

Start Up Energy Transition - Award and Tech Festival

24 March | Berlin, Germany

(Event cancelled as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

Start Up Energy Transition (SET) is a global innovation platform supporting innovation in energy transition, powered by the German Energy Agency (dena) in cooperation with the World Energy Council.

The SET platform is comprised of the annual SET Award, the SET Tech Festival and a growing global network.

www.startup-energy-transition.com



Global events 2020

2020 May Member Meetings

13-14 May

(Digital-only meetings as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

The **governance meetings** of the Council, together with an Insights Workshop which is open to all Council members, Partners and special guests.

World Energy Leaders' Summit

30 June-1 July | Tallinn, Estonia

(Event postponed until spring 2021 as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

World Energy Leaders' Summits are exclusive high-level forums for the global and regional energy leadership community. They are designed to spark dialogue on critical issues affecting the energy sector and provide a platform to share best practice and realise new opportunities for collaboration.

www.worldenergy.org/experiences-events/world-energy-leaders-summit



Global events 2020-21

World Energy Week 2020

5-9 October 2020 | Beirut, Lebanon

World Energy Week 2021

4-7 October 2021 | Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan

World Energy Week is the annual event of the World Energy Council, bringing together the global energy community for a wide range of events and networking opportunities.

Representing national, regional and global energy systems and sectors, participants take part in public and private conferences, meetings and roundtables, with specific sessions dedicated to CEOs and Ministers. A FEL Summit is also hosted alongside these gatherings.

www.worldenergy.org/experiences-events/world-energy-week



Regional and national events 2020

Indaba Energy Leaders' Dialogue 3 March | Cape Town, South Africa

As the Council's flagship event for Africa, the **Indaba Energy Leaders' Dialogue** brings together global and regional energy leaders in a private forum to engage in strategic dialogue on the most pressing issues facing the African energy industry today.

www.africaenergyindaba.com/indaba-energy-leaders-dialogue/

Hydrogen Innovation Forum 25 March | Geneva, Switzerland (Event cancelled as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

Jointly organising with UNECE, the **Hydrogen Innovation Forum** will develop the regulations and standards required to enable clean hydrogen to reach its potential as an actor of energy transitions.

This is a meeting between government representatives and companies from all around the globe to develop a set of recommendations. The event is by invitation only.



External events 2020

Africa Energy Indaba 3-4 March | Cape Town, South Africa

The annual **Africa Energy Indaba Conference** is the definitive energy conference for Africa, with a programme that helps shape energy policy for the African continent.

Presented by the South African National Energy Association (SANEA) in association with the World Energy Council, the forum also includes the Council's Africa regional meeting and Indaba Energy Leaders' Dialogue.

www.africaenergyindaba.com



External events 2020

Marsh Energy Industry Conference

Dubai, UAE

(Event cancelled as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

The **Marsh Energy Industry Conference** is the largest international energy risk gathering, bringing together global industry leaders and influencers to discuss the complex and evolving risks energy companies face today. The Council will be sharing key insights at the event.

web.cvent.com/event/6903dbba-4139-40ed-b33b-54a5c3a809a6/summary

Sustainable Energy for All Forum

26-28 May | Kigali, Rwanda

(Event postponed until February 2021 as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

The **Sustainable Energy for All Forum** brings together leaders and those who are delivering change in all parts of the world and enables advances to be made with new collaborations and innovations. It connects people of all levels of the SDG7 movement to build partnerships that will drive bigger and faster gains.

www.seforallforum.org



External events 2020

St. Petersburg International Economic Forum (SPIEF) 3-6 June | St. Petersburg, Russian Federation (Event cancelled as a prevention measure against COVID-19)

SPIEF is a leading global platform for the business community, heads of international organisations, officials, experts, scientists and the media to discuss the key economic issues facing Russia, emerging markets and the wider world. For the fourth consecutive year the Council, in partnership with Rosseti, will co-host a session at the event.

forumspb.com

Conference of the Parties (COP26) 9-19 November | Glasgow, UK

The **Conference of the Parties (COP)** is the critical authority of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). The Council will join diplomats, politicians, and industry and civil society representatives from across the globe at the 26th Conference of the Parties.

unfccc.int/process/bodies/supreme-bodies/conference-of-the-parties-cop



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