

European Gas Conference 2018

Tuesday 29. May

HOURL:	DESCRIPTION:
11:30	Registration and lunch
12:15	Welcome and opening Thor Otto Lohne, Chair of the Organising Committee
12:30	Norwegian natural gas in a sustainable energy mix Terje Søviknes, Minister of Petroleum and Energy
12:50	Positioning the UK energy sector for long term decarbonisation, clean growth and leaving the European Union Sarah Gillett, British Ambassador to Norway
13:10	Energy Independence, Security of Supply and Diversification of Sources Christopher Jones, HORS Classe Adviser, European Commission
13:40	Outlook for gas in Europe in a globalizing gas market Jens Økland, Executive Vice President, Equinor
14:10	Break
14:30	LNG will play more important role to fuel China's needs Yang Lei, Special Advisor to the IEA head
15:00	The global effect of LNG growth on European gas markets Dr Thierry Bros, Senior Research Fellow - Gas Programme at OIES (Oxford Institute of Energy Studies)
15:30	The fundamental role of natural gas in meeting the dual challenge of global growth and environmental goals Alex Volkov, ExxonMobil
16:00	Shell's approach to changes in gas markets Hans Stinis, GM Marketing Strategy & Analysis, Shell International Ltd.
16:30	Break

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17:00	European gas markets developments, with focus on North and Central Europe Maciej Woźniak, Deputy CEO for Trade at PGNiG SA
17:30	Cases being made for Nord Stream 2 Paul Corcoran, Chief Financial Officer Nord Stream 2 AG
18:00	Cases being made for the Baltic Pipe Project Jeppe Danø, Marketing Director Energinet
19:00	Aperitif
19:30	Dinner Dinner speaker: Helene Kaltenborn, Student at NHH

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HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
08:30	Energy Transition Outlook - the role for gas in a greener Europe Liv Hovem, CEO of Oil & Gas business DNV GL
09:00	Natural Gas and Renewables: companions or adversaries? Coby van der Linde, Director CIEP at Clingendael International Energy Programme
09:30	Panel debate Debate moderator: Erlend Jordal, NOROG. Panel participants: Coby van der Linde, Dr Thierry Bros and Liv Hovem
10:15	Break
10:45	Hydrogen production from natural gas - why is this pathway being considered? Steinar Eikaas, Vice President New Energy Solutions, Equinor
11:15	Beyond coal: how to facilitate the transition in Europe to unleash decarbonisation Simone Tagliapietra, Researcher at Bruegel & Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
11:45	Global trends and indicators of energy efficiency and its impact on energy demand Benoît Lebot, Executive Director at International Partnership for Energy Efficiency Cooperation
12:15	Closing remarks Thor Otto Lohne, Chair of the Organising Committee
12:20	Lunch