



Annual Petroleum Economics Conference 2026

Tuesday 10. November

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:	
08:00	Registration Thanks to our main sponsor, Arcast	
08:00	Coffee & Networking Sponsored by Harbour Energy	
09:00	Welcome and Introduction Inger Ubbe, Chair of Program Committee, Norwegian Offshore Directorate	
09:10	Recent Developments in Petroleum Policy Lars Erik Aamot, Director General, Ministry of Energy	
09:40	Hormuz Crisis Effects on the Oil Market: Short-Term and Longer-Term Torbjørn Kjus, Chief Economist, Aker BP	
10:10	Coffee & Networking	
10:30	Oil from Peak to Trough Bjarne Schieldrop, Chief analyst, Commodities, SEB	
11:00	The Outlook for the Oil Price and for the NCS John Olaisen, Head of Research, ABG Sundal Collier	
11:30	Lunch	
12:30	Nadia Martin Wiggen, Director at Svelland Capital	
13:00	TBA	
13:30	Beyond First Oil: Norway's Multi-Billion-Barrel Recovery Opportunity Daniel Rogers, Senior Oil & Gas Analyst, Wood Mackenzie	
14:00	Coffee & Networking Sponsored by Harbour Energy	

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14:20	The Strategic Value of Norwegian Energy in Tumulus Times Tormod Heier, Professor, Norwegian Defence University College
14:40	Stian Jenssen, Aker ASA, former chief of staff, NATO
15:00	Cecilie Hellestveit, Professor and researcher Department of Historical Sciences, NTNU
15:20	Short Coffee Break Sponsored by Harbour Energy
15:35	Panel Discussion
16:15	End of Conference Day 1
18:30	Aperitif and Conference Dinner

Wednesday 11. November

HOUR:	DESCRIPTION:
08:30	Coffee & Networking Sponsored by Harbour Energy
09:00	Introduction 2nd day
09:05	The Future of Resource Management on the NCS in an Era of Complexity Hege Susanne Blåsternes, Director of offshore development and technology, Norwegian Offshore Directorate
09:35	NCS Trends and Opportunities Anders Wittemann, Analyst, Wittemann E&P Consulting
10:15	Coffee Break Sponsored by Harbour Energy
10:35	Coopetition: A Prerequisite for Value Maximization of Marginal Fields Jon Lereim, Professor & Project Manager, Prosjekt Norge
11:05	CoOper8- Reinforcing Industry Collaboration Åshild Hanne Larsen, CEO, CoOper8

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11:35	Lunch
12:35	NCS 35 Gunnar Nakken, Senior Vice President Projects & Subsea, Equinor
13:05	M&A and Capital Market Trends for Oil & Gas Jarand Lønne, Investment Banking, Head of Natural Resources, SB1 Markets
13:35	Exploration - from ESG to RRR Petter Osmundsen, Professor, University of Stavanger, Section for Industrial Economics
14:05	Coffee Break Sponsored by Harbour Energy
14:25	Ola Borten Moe, Project Director, Norsk Kjernekraft
14:55	From Peak to Pressure: Next chapter for Norway's Supplier Industry' Jovana Simic, Rosenberg
15:25	AI & Robotics: Autonomous Operations Kristoffer Gjerde, Robotics Strategy Director, Cognite
15:55	End of Conference!