

Programme

Breakfast & Registration 0800 - 0845

Keynote Speaker

0845 - 0900

A top regional stakeholder will open the event with an inspirational keynote, setting the tone for the conversation to come.

Keynote

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Session 1: Keeping the Lights On; Overview of Energy in the UK & Challenges Ahead

0900 - 1015

Leading voices from the energy sector give an insight into the current state of energy and renewables in the UK and explore the challenges to come with destructive climate change, with audience-led Q&A throughout

Chair: Available to Sponsor

Marine Energy Wales; David Jones, Project Director

Cheshire Energy Hub & Energy Innovation District; Ged Barlow, Chair

North West Hydrogen Alliance & Thornton Energy Institute; Joe Howe, Chair & Executive Director

Scottish Government; Lesley McNeil, Head of Wind Energy Policy & Development

LGIM; Marija Simpraga, Infrastructure Strategist

1015 - 1045 Break & Networking

Session 2: Renewable Energy - The Key to a Green Future

1045 - 1200

Top companies from the Wind, Solar, BioEnergy and Hydro sectors will give us an exclusive insight into their exciting and innovative new projects and developments as they develop major new sites to help the UK become more sustainable and carbon neutral.

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North West Business Leadership Team; Emma Degg, Chief Executive

The Crown Estate; Will Apps, Head of Energy Development

Progressive Energy; David Parkin, Director

SSE Renewables; Alexandra Malone, Head of Corporate Affairs

Intelligent Land Investment Group; Mark Wilson, Chief Executive

Brockwell Energy; Alex Lambie, Chief Executive

1200 - 1300 Lunch & Networking

Session 3: Innovative Energy Sources

1300 - 1400

'Traditional' methods of producing energy are not going to be enough to power our future. Innovative and sometimes controversial methods of creating energy may need to be considered, and in this session, we'll hear from companies at the forefront of these developments as they outline their plans.

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Drax; Dr Rebecca Heaton, Head of Climate Change

SembCorp Energy UK; Tim Foster, Head of Origination

UK Atomic Energy Authority; Chris Peters, Business Manager, Fusion Technology Business Unit

EDF Energy; Julia Pyke FEI, SZC Director

1400 - 1430 Break & Networking

Session 4: New Developments and Energy

1430 - 1530

One of the biggest challenges facing developers is how to sustainably power their projects; in this session we'll hear from top developers explaining the challenges and opportunities this presents and what they need from the energy sector.

Chair: Available to Sponsor

Canary Wharf Group; Paul Laidlaw, Head of Energy Services and Operations

Peel Environmental; Jane Gaston, Development Director

British Land; Speaker TBC*

National Grid; Aaron Zuill, Connection Investments Manager

1530 - 1545 - Conference Summary & Conference Close

Invited*