BAKU ENERGY FORUM

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32nd BAKU ENERGY FORUM

PROGRAMME

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13:00-17:30	Venue: Baku Expo Center
13:00	Registration
13:00-14:00	Welcome Cocktail
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14:00-14:10	Opening Remark
 **Chairman and keynote speaker**	**Parviz Shahbazov** Minister of Energy of the Republic of Azerbaijan
14:10-16:00	Ministerial Plenary Session: Energy Security and International Cooperation
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	• National energy priorities for 2027–2030
	• Energy security: diversifying energy sources and supply routes
	• The Caspian region: international cooperation and cross-border infrastructure development

	• Natural gas: long-term demand, supply security and emissions reduction
	• The energy transition: aligning climate goals with economic priorities
	• Government policy and investment conditions in the energy sector
16:00-17:30	Coffee Break and Networking
17:30	End of Day One
19:00-21:00	Evening Reception *Venue: TBC* *Address: TBC* *Bus departure to the venue: TBC*

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08:00-17:35	Venue: Baku Convention Center
08:00-09:00	Registration and Welcome Coffee
09:00-09:10	Opening Remark
09:10-10:40	Executive Talks: Global Energy - Growth Strategies and Investment Priorities

 **Keynote Speaker**	**Rovshan Najaf** President, SOCAR
	• Global energy outlook to 2030: supply, demand and investment priorities
	• Energy supply resilience amid geopolitical risks
	• Oil and gas in the global energy mix: demand outlook and decarbonisation
	• Azerbaijan as a regional energy hub and international partner
	• Capital allocation across conventional energy and low-carbon technologies
	• Corporate strategies: new markets, partnerships and investment models
10:40-11:10	Coffee Break and Networking
11:10-11:30	CEO Spotlight Interview
11:30-13:00	Caspian Exploration and Production: Resource Potential and Production Efficiency
 **Speaker**	**Arzu Javadova (TBC)** Vice President, SOCAR

	• Caspian resource potential: exploration prospects and deeper reservoirs
	• Mature fields: enhanced oil recovery, asset life extension and cost optimisation
	• Advanced seismic technologies: 3D and 4D imaging, data acquisition and interpretation
	• AI in exploration: geological modelling and drilling optimisation
	• Azerbaijan’s oil and gas projects: new opportunities and international partnerships
	• Onshore and offshore production: operational efficiency, advanced technologies and emissions reduction
13:00-14:00	Lunch Break and Networking
14:00-14:40	Digital Transformation & AI: Driving Efficiency and Business Value Across the Energy Sector
 **Speaker**	**Murad Abdullayev (TBC)** Chief Technology Officer, SOCAR
	• Digital transformation strategies: investment priorities, implementation and business value
	• AI in energy: moving from pilot projects to large-scale deployment

	• Digital twins and predictive analytics: asset performance, reliability and cost optimisation
	• Intelligent operations: automation, robotics and autonomous systems
	• Data infrastructure, cybersecurity and resilience of energy operations
	• Technology partnerships and building digital capabilities across the energy sector
14:40-15:00	Coffee Break and Networking
15:00-16:00	Gas Dialogue: Supply, Infrastructure and New Opportunities
 **Speaker**	**Elşad Nasirov (TBC)** Vice President, SOCAR
	• The European gas market: demand outlook and supply diversification
	• The Southern Gas Corridor beyond 2027: capacity expansion and access to new markets
	• Gas resources in Azerbaijan and the Caspian: production growth and export potential
	• Pipeline gas and LNG: competitiveness and pricing dynamics
	• Methane emissions reduction: monitoring technologies and environmental requirements

	• Financing gas infrastructure and the role of long-term contracts
16:00-16:30	Coffee Break and Networking
16:30-17:30	Renewable Energy: Investment and Project Delivery
 **Speaker**	**Afgan Isayev (TBC)** Vice President, SOCAR
	• Renewable energy in Azerbaijan: investment priorities and new projects
	• Solar and onshore wind: project economics and financing
	• Caspian offshore wind: commercial prospects and infrastructure requirements
	• Renewable energy integration and green energy zones in Karabakh and East Zangezur
	• Green hydrogen and alternative fuels: commercial applications and export opportunities
17:30-17:35	Closing Remark
17:35	End of the Forum

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