

## 22nd National Energy Conference

# «Energy & Development 2017: Energy Market in Transition»

Eugenides Foundation, 23-24 November, 2017

### Conference Programme

Thursday, November 23, 2017

13.00-14.00

Registration - Coffee

Supporter: 

14.00-15:30

#### Opening Session

- Introductory Remarks by the Organisers
- Keynote speech by **H.E. Mr. George Stathakis**, Minister of Environment and Energy, Greece
- **Mr. Brent Wanner**, Senior Energy Analyst, IEA, France
- **Dr. Athanasios Dokos**, General Manager, Hellenic Foundation for European and Foreign Policy

*Short Break*

15.30-17.00

#### 1<sup>st</sup> Session: The Greek Energy Market in Search of a New Direction

*Session Moderator: Mr. Costis Stambolis, Executive Director, IENE*

- **Mr. Manolis Panagiotakis**, Chairman and CEO, Public Power Corporation (PPC), Greece
- **Mr. Eustathios Tsotsoros**, Chairman, Hellenic Petroleum (HELPE), Greece
- **Mr. George Polychroniou**, Executive Director Strategy, Business Development, Administration & IT, Public Gas Corporation, Greece
- **Mr. Michalis Filippou**, Chairman and CEO, Hellenic Electricity Market Operator (HEMO), Greece
- **Mr. Manousos Manousakis**, Chairman and CEO, Independent Power Transmission Operator, Greece

17.00-17.15

Coffee Break

Supporter: 

17.15-18.30

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Session: The Global Energy Markets in Transition

*Session Moderator: Mr. Christos Dimas, Chairman of the Geopolitics Committee, Member of the BoD, IENE*

- **Mr. Karl Vella**, Coordinator Environment and Climate Change Environment & Sustainable Development Policy Unit, Eurelectric, Belgium
- **Ms. Eugenia Gusilov**, Director, ROEC, Romania
- **Dr. Yurdakul Yigitguden**, Independent Energy Consultant and Former Co-ordinator of OSCE Economic and Environment Activities, Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, Turkey

Questions

18.30 Break

18.30-20.00 **3<sup>rd</sup> Session: Exploring for Hydrocarbons in Greece**

*Session Moderator: Ms. Tereza Fokianou, Chairman of the Upstream Committee and Member of the BoD, IENE, President, Flow Energy SA*

Presentations by:

- **Mr. Ioannis Basias**, Chairman and CEO, Hellenic Hydrocarbons Resources Management, Greece
- **Mr. Georgios Zafeiropoulos**, Head of Research, HELPE
- **Dr. Ntinos Nikolaou**, Technical Advisor, Energean Oil & Gas, Member of the BoD, IENE, Greece
- **Dr. Charles Ellinas**, CEO & Founder, Natural Hydrocarbons Company Ltd., Cyprus

20.00-21.00 Cocktail Reception

**Friday, November 24, 2017**

Registration

09.00-11.00 **4<sup>th</sup> Session: The Key Role of Natural Gas and Renewables in the Energy Transition**

*Session Moderator: Mr. John Chadjivassiliades, Chairman, IENE*

- **Ms. Irene Iacovides**, Senior Energy Economist, Natural Gas Distribution Team Coordinator, Regulatory Authority for Energy, Greece
- **Dr. Savvas Seimanidis**, Chairman, EREF, Greece
- **Prof. Nikolaos Farantouris**, Head of Legal Dpt., Public Gas Corporation, Professor at the University of Piraeus, Greece and Chair of Legal Affairs Committee, Eurogas, Belgium
- **Mr. Theodore Terzopoulos**, CEO, Gas Distribution Corporation of the Rest of Greece
- **Mr. Anastasios Tosios**, Head of Distribution Operations, Gas Distribution Corporation of Attica, Greece
- **Mr. Spyros Paleogiannis**, Managing Partner, MEDGAS & MORE SERVICES LTD, ex-CEO DEPA, Greece
- **Mr. Leonidas Bakouras**, General Manager, EDA Thessalonikis Thessalias, Greece
- **Mr. Stelios Rontiris**, Director of Small HPP's and Hybrid Projects department, Public Power Corporation Renewables, Greece

11.00-11.30 Coffee Break

11.30-13.30 **5<sup>th</sup> Session: The Critical Transition of the Greek Energy Electricity Market and the Target Model**

*Session Moderator: Prof. Pantelis Capros, Member of the BoD, Head of E3M Lab, NTUA*

- Introductory Presentation by **Prof. Pantelis Capros**
- **Dr. Nektaria Karakatsani**, Member, Regulatory Authority for Energy (RAE), Athens, Greece
- **Mr. Aristeidis Tasoulis**, Chief Operating Officer of Electricity Markets, Hellenic Electricity Market Operator (HEMO), Greece
- **Mr. Andreas Mitafidis**, Director, Energy Management Dpt., Public Power Corporation, Greece
- **Mr. Dinos Benroubi**, General Manager of Electric Power Business Unit, Mytilineos Group of Companies, Greece
- **Mr. Dimitris Kolaitis**, Secretary of the BoD, UNICEN, Greece
- **Mr. George Kouvaris**, Chairman, HERON sa
- **Dr. John Kabouris**, General Manager, Independent Power Transmission Operator, Greece

*Questions*

13.30-14.30 Light Lunch

**14.30-16.00**

**6<sup>th</sup> Session: Long Term Energy Planning and Energy Security**

*Session Moderator: Dr. John Desypris, Member of the BoD and Former Chairman, IENE, Head of Regulatory Affairs, Mytilineos Group of Companies*

- **Mr. Michalis Verroiopoulos**, Secretary General for Energy and Mineral Resources
- **Mr. Nikos Boulaxis**, Chairman, Regulatory Authority of Energy, Greece (**Keynote Speaker**)
- **Mr. Dimitris Sarris**, Gas Dispatching Department Manager of the Hellenic Gas Transmission System Operator (DESFA) S.A., Greece
- **Mr. Dimitris Gontikas**, Energean Oil & Gas– Chairman & CEO Kavala Oil
- **Dr. Michalis Thomadakis**, Head of Energy Sector, Grant Thornton
- **Dr. Ioannis Margaris**, Vice-Chairman, Independent Power Transmission Operator, Greece

**16.00-16.15**

Break

**16.15-17.45**

**7<sup>th</sup> Session: Confronting Energy Poverty**

*Session Moderator: Mr. Costas Theofylaktos, Chairman, Energy Policy and Development Centre, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens*

- **Ms. Eva Athanasakou**, Director, Euditi Energy & Environmental Design Ltd
- **Dr. Apostolos Efthymiadis**, Founder, Technometriki SA, Greece
- **Dr. George Ageridis**, Head of Energy Efficiency, Centre for Renewable Energy Sources and Saving, Greece
- **Mr. Nikos Sofianos**, Member of the BoD, Head of Research, IENE

*Questions*

**17.45-19.00**

**8<sup>th</sup> Session: Energy: Investments and Development**

*Session Moderator: Mr. Gus Papamichaolopoulos, Deputy Chairman, IENE, Partner, KG Law Firm*

- Introductory Presentation by IENE regarding the energy investments in Greece

Panel Discussion with the participation of:

- **Mr. John Papanikolaou**, Economist, Business Development Advisor
- **Ms. Niki Tzavella**, Former Member of the European Parliament
- **Dr. Platon Monokrousos**, Group Chief Economist, Eurobank
- **Mr. Thomas Lamnidis**, Partner, KLC Firm, Member of the BoD, IENE
- **Mr. Leonidas Zaimis**, Chairman, MAS Europe

***Closing Remarks by the Executive Director of IENE, Mr. Costis Stambolis***

**19.00- 20.00**

Farewell Cocktail Reception

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