

SYMPOSIUM

ROLE OF HYDROGEN IN THE ENERGY TRANSITION

JULY 12, 2021 11:00 AM KUWAIT LOCAL TIME

OAPEC symposium

*July 12, 2021
all timing in Kuwait local time*

11:00-11:10	Opening speech		H.E. Ali Sabt Ben Sabt OAPEC Secretary General
11:10-12:30	Session-1: Role of Hydrogen in the energy transition from regional organizations perspective		
11:10-11:30	Role of Hydrogen in the energy transition		Wael Abdel Moati Gas Industries Expert, OAPEC
11:30-11:45	Potential of green and blue hydrogen in Arab region		Ms. Radia Sedaoui Chief of the Energy Section ESCWA
11:45-12:05	Energy transition in the Arab region: role of hydrogen	 	Eng. Jamila Mattar Director of Energy department Dr. Nouri Alkishriwi Senior Expert League of Arab States
12:05-12:20	Prospects and Challenges of Green Hydrogen in the Arab Region: Readiness of Sustainable Energy Programs		Dr. Maged Mahmoud Acting executive director, RCREE
12:20-12:40	Q & A		
12:40-13:00	Break		

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13:00-14:30		<i>Session-2: establishing hydrogen economy: role of investment and technology / case studies in OAPEC member countries</i>	
13:00-13:15	Hydrogen markets in the MENA region		Mr. Suhail Shatila Senior energy specialist, APICORP
13:15-13:30	Establishing Green Hydrogen Value chains		Mr. Manuel Kuehn Siemens New Energy Business, Head for Middle East and Africa
13:30-13:45	Hydrogen solutions for transition into low carbon future In Iraq		Dr. Abdulbaqi k. Ali Minister consultant for energy affairs, ministry of oil in Iraq
13:45-14:00	Solar hydrogen potential production in Algeria		Eng. Ali Zatout Chief engineer, solengaz
14:00-14:15	Q & A		
14:15-14:30	Break		

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14:30 - 15:35		<i>Session-3: Role of R & D in developing production and use of hydrogen</i>	
14:30-14:45	Challenges and opportunities of Scientific research in hydrogen value chain		Dr.Fotouh Al-Ragom Manager Energy Efficiency Technologies Program KISR
14:45 - 15:00	Potential contribution of oil producing countries to the hydrogen economy		Dr.Faisal Al-Humaidan Research Scientist KISR
15:00 - 15:15	Development of high-capacity hydrogen storage magnesium-based nanocomposites for fuel-cell car applications		Dr.M. Sherif El-Eskandarany Principal Research Scientist KISR
15:15 - 15:30	Q & A		
15:30 - 15:35	Wrap-ups and closing		