



GAS INVESTMENT FORUM

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7:45 – 9:00am | Registration & Delegates Accreditation

9:00 – 9:10am | Invest in Nigeria's Gas

Opening Ceremony

9:10 – 9:25am

Industry Welcome Keynote



Engr. Yetunde Taiwo

President, Nigerian Gas Association (NGA)

GM - Integrated Gas Development FIRST Exploration and Petroleum Development Company Ltd

9:25 – 9:40am

Host State Welcome Remarks



H.E Babajide Olusola Sanwo-Olu

Executive Governor

Lagos State

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9:40 – 9:55am

Global Industry Keynote



Andrea Stegher

President

International Gas Union (IGU)

9:55 – 10:50am

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Ed Ubong

Cordinating Director

Decade of Gas



Engr. Auwal Ibrahim

Executive Director, Gas Distribution

NNPC Gas Marketing Limited



Enorens Amadasu

Executive Commissioner - Development and Production

Nigerian Upstream Petroleum Regulatory Commission (NUPRC)



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Pade Durotoye

Managing Director, Nigeria
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Ritu Sahajwalla

Managing Director
Greenville LNG Co. Ltd



Clement Isong

Executive Secretary and Chief Executive Officer
Major Energies Marketers Association of Nigeria (MEMAN)



Senator Jarigbe Agom Jarigbe

Chairman of the Senate Committee on Gas, National Assembly,
Federal Republic of Nigeria

10:50 – 11:00am

Special Guest of Honor & Ministerial Keynote



H.E Rt. Hon. Dr. Ekperikpe Obongemem Ekpo

Minister of State for Petroleum Resources (Gas)
Federal Republic of Nigeria

THE DECADE OF

GAS

TOWARDS A GAS POWERED ECONOMY BY 2030

11:00 – 11:45am

INVESTMENT LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE
Nigeria's Global Gas Positioning: Building a Competitive Gas Investment Destination



As Nigeria advances its gas ambitions, with a rapidly expanding portfolio of upstream developments, processing infrastructure, LNG and domestic gas projects, the conversation is moving decisively from the scale of the country's resource potential to its ability to attract capital, accelerate projects and compete for investment in an increasingly dynamic global gas market. Nigeria possesses the resources, growing domestic and regional demand, an evolving policy environment and a pipeline of opportunities across the gas value chain, but converting these advantages into sustained investment will depend on the strength of its overall investment proposition. At the heart of the conversation is a defining question for Nigeria's gas future: what will it take to become a preferred destination for the next wave of global and regional gas investment? What must change to strengthen investor confidence and unlock long-term capital? And as competing gas markets position themselves for investment, technology and partnerships, where can Nigeria build a distinctive and enduring competitive advantage?

Gas Investment Forum continues to provide the platform where these questions move beyond ambition to practical industry dialogue, bringing the decision-makers shaping Nigeria's gas economy together to identify constraints, align priorities and advance the actions required to translate the country's gas potential into bankable projects, infrastructure development, industrial growth and long-term economic value.

Attendee Insights:As one of Africa's largest and most strategically important gas markets, Nigeria presents a compelling combination of significant resources, growing domestic demand, expanding infrastructure and investment opportunities across the gas value chain. Gain executive-level perspectives on how investors and operators are assessing this evolving opportunity, the factors shaping capital allocation and investment decisions, where the strongest near- and medium-term opportunities are emerging, and the policy, fiscal, regulatory and infrastructure conditions required to strengthen project bankability and Nigeria's competitiveness within the global gas investment landscape.

Moderator



Amel Grabsi
Regional Director
Gas for Africa

Session Keynote



Bambo Ibidapo-Obe
GM Commercial
Oando Energy Resources

Panel Speakers



Mariah Lucciano-Gabriel
GM Gas Commercial
Sahara Group



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Adesola Adebawo
Chief Executive Officer
Hyphen Partners Limited
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11:45 – 12:00pm

Tour of Exhibiting Companies and Welcome Networking Break

12:00 – 12:50pm

SESSION 1.1 - UPSTREAM GAS & EXPLORATION HOTSPOT

Accelerating Nigeria's Gas Production: Investment, Execution and Growth



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With Nigeria targeting an increase in gas production to **10 Bcf/d by 2027** and **12 Bcf/d by 2030** under the Federal Government's Decade of Gas agenda and NNPC Limited's Gas Master Plan, accelerating upstream investment, exploration and project execution has become a national priority. The focus now shifts from ambition to investment and execution examining the scale of capital required, the projects and fields capable of unlocking new supply, and the regulatory, commercial, infrastructure and technology enablers needed to accelerate development. At its core, the conversation explores what it will take to bring more gas to market efficiently and sustainably, strengthening the supply base for domestic demand, industrial growth and Nigeria's expanding role in regional and global gas markets.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria's production ambitions are creating a new imperative for upstream investment, project development and faster execution. Be among the first to identify emerging upstream opportunities and connect with the operators, investors and industry leaders shaping Nigeria's next production growth cycle, gaining insight into the projects, partnerships and investment priorities that could move more gas from resource to market.

Moderator

Dr Mohammed Malah,
Principal Regulatory Officer for Energy Sustainability & Carbon Management,
Nigerian Upstream Petroleum Regulatory Commission (NUPRC)

Session Keynote

Olajumoke Cecilia Ajayi FNAPE,
President, Nigerian Association of Petroleum Explorationists (NAPE)
MD/CEO, West African Exploration and Production Company

Panel Speakers

Engr. Francis Nwaochei, FNSE
Council Chairman
Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE)
Nigeria Council



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Dr. Abiodun Ogunjobi
Group Chief Technical Officer
NewcrossEP



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12:50 – 1:50pm

NIGERIAN CONTENT FOR GAS SYMPOSIUM

Nigerian Content: The Engine of Gas Development



Nigeria's ambition to become Africa's global gas powerhouse will depend not only on attracting capital and developing infrastructure, but on how much value is created and retained within the Nigerian economy. Building on more than a decade of progress under the Nigerian Oil and Gas Industry Content Development (NOGICD) Act, which has strengthened indigenous participation, workforce capability and domestic capacity across the oil and gas industry, the next opportunity is to deepen these gains specifically across Nigeria's expanding gas value chain. As new gas projects and investments advance, greater emphasis on local manufacturing, technology transfer, skills development and competitive domestic supply chains can position Nigerian companies to capture more value from the sector. Aligning this next phase of Nigerian Content with the Federal Government's Nigeria First agenda can expand opportunities for indigenous businesses and ensure that Nigeria's gas growth translates into sustainable industrial development, jobs and long-term economic value.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria's expanding gas industry presents an opportunity to ensure that more projects translate into more Nigerian businesses, jobs, skills and locally created value. Be positioned to identify where the next wave of Nigerian Content opportunities will emerge, connect with operators, project developers and indigenous businesses, and explore the partnerships and capabilities required to turn gas investment into stronger Nigerian enterprises, quality jobs and broader industrial and economic growth.

Moderator



Ranti Omole
Chairman/CEO
Radial Circle Technical Services Limited

Symposium Keynote



Engr. Wole Ogunsanya
Chairman
Petroleum Technology Association of Nigeria (PETAN)

Panel Speakers



Sam-Ben Ohen
Chairman, Petroleum Contractors
Trade Section (PCTS) &
Country Manager for TechnipFMC in
Nigeria



Obi Uzu
Managing Director
Global Process & Pipeline Services
Limited



Ituah Imhanze
Managing Partner
KENNA

Symposium Sponsor Keynote



Engr. Tolulope Longe
National President
Women in Energy, Oil and Gas
(WEOG) & Manager, Commercial
Contracts Management, NLNG



Silas Omomehin Ajimijaye
General Manager for Monitoring &
Evaluation (M&E) at the Nigerian
Content Development and Monitoring
Board (NCDMB)

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1:50 – 2:50pm

SESSION 1.2 - DOWNSTREAM & MIDSTREAM GAS CONVERSATION

Powering Nigeria's Domestic Gas Market: Scaling Infrastructure and Market Growth



As Nigeria advances its Decade of Gas agenda, building a stronger domestic gas market will depend on connecting available gas supply with the industries, power plants, businesses and transportation systems that need it. This requires accelerated investment in processing, pipelines, storage and distribution infrastructure, alongside the continued expansion of CNG, LNG and other virtual pipeline solutions capable of extending gas access beyond existing pipeline networks. Strengthening these critical links between supply and demand can improve energy security, stimulate industrial activity and create new markets for Nigeria's growing gas production. At the centre of this opportunity is the need for bankable infrastructure, commercially viable markets and stronger partnerships between government, gas suppliers, infrastructure developers and end users. Scaling domestic utilisation will require addressing infrastructure gaps, improving gas accessibility and affordability, strengthening demand aggregation and creating commercial frameworks that enable investment to flow into the projects needed to build a deeper and more resilient domestic gas market.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria's domestic gas market represents one of the country's most significant opportunities to convert its gas resources into energy security, industrial productivity and economic growth. Gain practical perspectives on where infrastructure and distribution opportunities are emerging, how virtual pipelines and alternative delivery models are expanding market access, and the commercial conditions required to stimulate sustainable demand across power, manufacturing, mobility and other strategic sectors.

Moderator



Olawunmi Abiola
Senior Associate
Tope Adebayo LP

Industry Keynote



John Kadiri
Executive Secretary
Association of Local Distributors of Gas (ALDG)

Panel Speakers



Sumeet Singh
CEO
Powergas Nigeria

Session Chair & Keynote



Audrey Joe-Ezigbo FEI
Chief Executive Officer & Co-Founder
Falcon Corporation Limited

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Teryima Denen Toryila
Executive Director Gas, Power and
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A.Y.M Shafa holdings Limited



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2:50 – 3:10pm |

Networking Lunch & Exhibition Showcase

3:10 – 4:10pm

Technical Deep Dive

3:10 – 3:25



OPENING TECHNICAL PRESENTATION

Flare Gas Commercialisation & Gas-to-Power: From Resource Opportunity to Project Execution

Josephine O. Atoyebi

Lead, Business Performance & KPIs, Venture Asset
NNPC Exploration and Production Limited (NEPL)

3:25 – 3:40



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3:40 – 3:50



Flare Gas Commercialization: From Waste to Value

Aderemi Ogunbanjo

Partner
Tope Adebayo LP

3:50 – 4:00



Gas-to-Power Project Development Strategies: Investment, Financing and Operational Insights

Austin Okafor

Partner
KENNA

4:00 – 4:10



LPG, CNG & LNG Opportunities

Chimeremeze Nwachukwu
Associate
KENNA

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5:45pm – 7:45pm

Gas Investment Leadership Awards & Industry Evening

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8:00 – 9:00am Registration & Delegate Check-in

9:00 – 9:15am Opening Keynote



Dr. Omar Farouk Ibrahim
Immediate Past Secretary General
African Petroleum Producers' Organization (APPO)

9:15 – 9:45am Sponsors Keynote & Sponsor Messages



Uche Val Obi SAN
Managing Partner
Alliance Law Firm



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GAS LIMITED**

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9:45 – 10:10am **Executive Project Spotlight Fireside Chat**
From FID to First Gas: Delivering Nigeria's Next Generation Gas Projects

Nigeria's gas ambitions will ultimately be measured by its ability to move major projects from concept and FID to construction and first gas. Achieving this requires bankable project structures, capital, technology, regulatory alignment, strong partnerships and disciplined execution.

Using the UTM FLNG project as a project spotlight, this fireside conversation will explore the practical journey of developing a major Nigerian gas project, drawing lessons from its financing, technology, regulatory and execution experience to examine what is required to accelerate more gas projects from investment opportunity to producing assets.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria needs a stronger pipeline of investable and executable gas projects capable of converting its resource potential into production, infrastructure, revenues and wider economic value. Gain practical insights from the UTM FLNG project journey into what it takes to develop and advance a major gas project, how developers can navigate the financing, technology, regulatory and execution requirements, and the partnerships and investment conditions required to move more Nigerian gas projects from opportunity to FID and ultimately first gas.

Fireside Guest



Dr. George Amara, FNSE
Director, Projects & Technical
Services
UTM FLNG Limited

Conversation Lead



Dr. Lucy Onoriode Okeke
Senior Manager, Environmental
Management and Sustainability, Nigerian
Midstream and Downstream Petroleum
Regulatory Authority (NMDPRA)

Goodwill Keynote

10:10 – 10:25am



His Excellency Mr. FARID GHEZALI
Secretary General
African Petroleum Producers’ Organization (APPO).

10:25 – 11:10am

African Gas Markets & Country Spotlight
Connecting Africa’s Gas Future: Regional Markets, Infrastructure & Investment Opportunities

Africa holds over 620 trillion cubic feet (Tcf) of proven natural gas reserves, giving the continent a significant resource base to strengthen energy security, accelerate industrialisation and create new engines of economic growth. Yet the real opportunity extends beyond producing and exporting gas. Developing stronger domestic and regional gas markets can provide the energy and feedstock required to power manufacturing, fertiliser, petrochemicals, steel, cement and other industries, while expanding electricity access and strengthening African value chains.

Unlocking this opportunity will require Africa to connect its resources with its markets through cross-border infrastructure, LNG development, regional gas trade and stronger investment partnerships.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria needs a stronger pipeline of investable and executable gas projects capable of converting its resource potential into production, infrastructure, revenues and wider economic value. Gain practical insights from the UTM FLNG project journey into what it takes to develop and advance a major gas project, how developers can navigate financing, technology, regulatory and execution requirements, and the partnerships and investment conditions required to move more Nigerian gas projects from opportunity to FID and ultimately first gas.

Moderator



Joshua Egba
Country Representative
U.S. Trade and Development
Agency (USTDA)



Siyabonga Xulu
Director
Zaire Energy & Logistics Group



Session Speakers



Obed Kraine Boachie
Head of Gas (Commercial Regulation)
National Petroleum Authority,
Ghana



Deloitte/NGA
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11:10 – 12:10pm

Executive Investment Showcase
Investment Success Stories: Delivering Nigeria’s Gas Infrastructure

Nigeria’s gas ambitions will ultimately be measured by the infrastructure built to connect gas resources with the industries, power plants, businesses and consumers that need them. Across the country, investments in gas processing, transportation, storage and distribution are beginning to demonstrate how infrastructure development can expand domestic gas utilisation, open new markets and translate Nigeria’s gas resources into tangible economic and industrial value. Through a series of executive investment success stories, this session will spotlight gas infrastructure investments and the business models, financing strategies, partnerships and execution approaches behind their delivery. The conversation will draw practical lessons from projects already moving the market forward and examine how these experiences can help accelerate the next generation of infrastructure required to build a deeper, more commercially sustainable domestic gas economy.

Attendee Insights: Gain first-hand perspectives from industry leaders behind gas investments on how projects are being financed, commercialised and delivered, the partnerships and business models enabling successful execution, and the practical lessons that can help investors and project developers accelerate the next wave of gas infrastructure development in Nigeria.

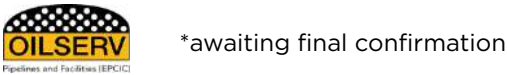
Moderator



Industry Keynote



Panel Speakers





Debo Fagbemi
Chief Operating Officer
Xenergi



Oladeji Olaoti
Head of Commercial
Falcon Corporation Limited



Abiodun Oseni
Deputy General Manager and Head of
Strategy & Business
Powergas Nigeria



Engr. Gabriel Ilenreh
Managing Director/Chief Executive
Officer
PNG Gas Limited

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12:50 – 1:10pm

Networking & Coffee Break & Exhibition Showcase

1:10 – 2:10pm

SESSION 2.1 - GAS FINANCE & INVESTORS PAVILION
Mobilizing Capital for Nigeria’s Gas Future: Financing the Next Wave of Investments



Financing will be central to converting Nigeria’s gas potential into producing assets, infrastructure and commercially viable projects. Across upstream development, processing, transportation, LNG and domestic utilisation, attracting capital will depend on developing bankable projects, managing risk and creating financing structures capable of matching the scale and long-term nature of gas investments.

The Gas Finance & Investors Pavilion brings financiers, development finance institutions, investors and project developers into a focused conversation on how capital can be mobilised for Nigeria’s next wave of gas investments.

Attendee Insights: Gain practical perspectives on what financiers look for in gas projects, how developers can improve project bankability, which financing structures can unlock capital, and how stronger collaboration between developers, banks, DFIs and investors can accelerate investment into Nigeria’s gas economy.

Moderator



Eunice Alasa
Deputy Managing Partner
KENNA

Session Keynote



Paul Eardley-Taylor
Gas Sector Lead
Standard Bank

Panel Speakers



Francis (Oshoke) Enakele
Founder & Managing Director
Today Tomorrow Energy



Ayomide Oladapo
Executive Director, Business
Development
Elektron Energy



Imoh Umah
Head - Energy (Upstream Oil & Gas,
Downstream, Midstream, Oil Service,
Power & Renewables),
Stanbic IBTC
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Africa Finance Corporation
**awaiting final confirmation*



Oluwatoyin Aina
Deputy General Manager
Group Head Energy
First Bank of Nigeria
**awaiting final confirmation*

2:10 – 3:00pm

SESSION 2.2 - SUBNATIONAL GAS ECONOMY DIALOGUE (SGED)
Unlocking Nigeria’s Subnational Gas Economies: State-Level Strategies for Investment, Industrialization & Growth



Nigeria’s emerging subnational gas markets present opportunities for investors, infrastructure developers, gas suppliers and industrial users to participate in new state-level energy and industrial ecosystems.

State governments can play an important role in translating these opportunities into viable markets by developing clear gas strategies, improving the investment environment and connecting gas development with industrialisation and local economic priorities.

Attendee Insights: States can improve gas investment readiness, identify commercially viable opportunities, attract private capital and structure partnerships that connect gas supply with industry, power, mobility and other productive uses while creating greater economic value within their jurisdictions.

Moderator



Sandra Osinachi-Nwadem
Senior Associate
Tope Adebayo LP

Session Keynote



Mr. Biodun Ogunleye
Honourable Commissioner for Energy and Mineral Resources
Lagos State
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Panel Speakers



Michael Ogboru
Special Adviser to the Governor of Delta State on Petroleum Resources
Delta State Government
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Mr. Edmund O. Nnaji
Executive Director, Finance & Administration
Nigerian Governors’ Forum (NGF)



Oluwatobi Fayomi
National Level Sales Coordinator
Powergas Nigeria



Ibrahim A. Abdullahi
Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer
Nasarawa State Investment & Development Agency (NASIDA)



Ramatu Abdullahi
Team Lead for Economic Principles and Programme Manager for the National Grassroots LPG Penetration Programme (NGLPP)
Decade of Gas
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3:00 – 3:10pm Networking & Coffee Break**3:10 – 3:50pm****SESSION 2.3 - FUTURE LEADERS & INCLUSIVE INVESTMENT PROGRAMME**
Empowering Women-Led Gas Businesses and Developing Nigeria's Future Gas Workforce

Session Strategic Partner



Nigeria's gas ambitions will require more than capital, infrastructure and technology; they will also depend on building the businesses, skills and leadership pipeline needed to sustain industry growth. Expanding opportunities for women-led enterprises while developing a new generation of technically and commercially capable professionals can strengthen indigenous participation, innovation and long-term competitiveness across the gas value chain. The conversation will explore practical approaches to building a more inclusive, capable and future-ready workforce for Nigeria's evolving gas industry.

Attendee Insights: Nigeria's expanding gas economy will create new opportunities for entrepreneurs, professionals and businesses across the value chain, but capturing these opportunities will require deliberate investment in people and enterprise development.

Moderator

Anne Obode
Team Lead
Evrytn CNG

Session Keynote

Eyono Fatai-Williams
President
Women in Energy Network (WIEN)

Panel Speakers

Engr. Chichi Emenike
Acting Managing Director & Gas Asset
Manager, Neconde Energy Limited
(OML 42) & Second Vice President
Nigerian Gas Association



Dr. David Editang
Nigerian Content Manager
Marconi EPC Limited



Dr Ngozi Chinwa Ole
Associate Professor of Law
Head, Energy & Natural Resources
Unit, Alliance Law Firm



Tomi Omotayo
General Counsel & Compliance Matrix
Energy Exploration and Production
Company Limited



Engr. Emeka Iheme
Chief Executive Officer
Gasavant Africa

3:50 – 4:00pm

Forum Closing Remarks & GIF 2026 Executive Investment Report Presentation



Osaize Iselele

Director of Events

Gas Investment Forum &

Publicity Secretary, Nigerian Gas Association

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EXHIBIT & SHOWCASE

Showcase your organization's innovation, projects, and investment solutions shaping West Africa's dynamic natural gas market before government, private sector and finance institutions.



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