



SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL ENERGY WEEK 2016

MEDIA ADVISORY – TUESDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2016

KEY MEDIA EVENTS AT A GLANCE

WEDNESDAY, 26 Oct	THURSDAY, 27 Oct
<p><u>Gas Asia Summit (GAS)</u> Level 4, MBS Convention Centre</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9.10am: Minister S. Iswaran will deliver the Opening Keynote Address <p><u>Youth@SIEW</u> Level 4, MBS Convention Centre</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 10.00am: Minister S. Iswaran will participate in a dialogue with youths and present the Energy-Industry Scholarships 	<p><u>MOU Signing Ceremony</u> Level 4, MBS Convention Centre</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9.30am: Mr Ng Wai Choong, Chief Executive of the Energy Market Authority will sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Dr Rashid Al Leem, Chairman of Sharjah Electricity and Water Authority

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TODAY'S HIGHLIGHTS AT SIEW 2016

- At the [Asia Clean Energy Summit \(ACES\)](#) today, Mr Masagos Zulkifli, Minister for the Environment and Water Resources delivered the opening address and made key announcements.
 - Media resources:** [Speech](#) by Mr Masagos Zulkifli, Minister for the Environment and Water Resources
- The [Energy Access Forum](#), jointly organised by the Energy Market Authority (EMA) and the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), was opened by **Mr S. Iswaran, Minister for Trade and Industry (Industry)**. Dr Shamshad Akhtar, Under-Secretary-General of UNESCAP delivered the keynote address on technological advances and its impact on driving universal energy access in the region.
 - Media resources:** Mr S. Iswaran, Minister for Trade and Industry (Industry)'s [opening remarks](#) at the Energy Access Forum
- The inaugural [SIEW Energy Insights](#) also took place, where Dr Fatih Birol, Executive Director of the International Energy Agency (IEA) presented and discussed key findings from the IEA Medium-Term Renewable Energy Markets Report 2016. Agneta Rising, Director General of the World Nuclear Association (WNA), also launched the WNA World Nuclear Performance Report 2016 – Asia Focus Report, sharing key perspectives and insights from it. Mr Ng Wai Choong, Chief Executive of Energy Market Authority (EMA) also delivered opening remarks prior to the launch presentations.

- **Media resources:** the IEA Medium-Term Renewable Energy Markets Report 2016 and the WNA World Nuclear Performance Report 2016 – Asia Focus Report (*we will be sharing the respective links to the reports by today*)

COMING UP ON WEDNESDAY, 26 OCTOBER

- 9.10am: **Mr S. Iswaran, Minister for Trade and Industry (Industry)** will deliver the opening address at [Gas Asia Summit \(GAS\)](#). His Excellency Dr Rashid Allem, Chairman, Sharjah Electricity & Water Authority (SEWA) and Amos J. Hochstein, Special Envoy and Coordinator for International Energy Affairs, Bureau of Energy Resources, U.S. Department of State will be delivering their keynote addresses after.
 - 1:00pm: A **media Q&A session** will be held, please contact dmgevents@hoffman.com to confirm interest.
- 10.00am: At [Youth@SIEW](#), students will engage with **Mr S. Iswaran, Minister for Trade and Industry (Industry)**, Frank Phuan, Founder and Director, Sunseap Leasing, and Valerie Lee, General Manager, Sembcorp Power at In Dialogue with Youth, while the Youth Energy Showcase will feature student projects.
 - **Photo opportunities** include **Mr S. Iswaran, Minister for Trade and Industry**, touring the various showcase projects and presenting the Energy Industry Scholarships,
- [Asia Clean Energy Summit \(ACES\)](#) will continue tomorrow with the main keynote addresses and panelists, including:
 - Dr Yongping Zhai, Technical Advisor, Energy Sector Group, Asian Development Bank (ADB) at PV Asia Financial Summit
 - Jon Moore, CEO, Bloomberg New Energy Finance at The 26th International Photovoltaic Science and Engineering Conference (PVSEC-26)
 - Dr Phil Blythe, Founder and CEO, GreenSync, Australia at the Asian Conference on Energy, Power and Transportation Electrification (ACEPT 2016)
 - Ansgar Hinz, CEO, VDE – Association for Electrical, Electronic & Information Technologies (Germany) at “The Digital World & the Future of Energy”
- [Asian Downstream Week](#) will also begin tomorrow, with a plenary keynote address on digital transformation in the Oil & Gas Industry by Claus Nehmzow, Digital Innovation Organisation Asia Pacific, BP Singapore, Dr Kishor Dongaonkar, VP – Technology Center of Excellence, Reliance Industries, and Vishal Mehta, Head of Digital Strategy, Architecture and Technology, Reliance Industries.

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GENTLE REMINDER – LOGISTICS

- **Collecting your SIEW 2016 conference pass:** You can collect your pass on-site at the main event media registration counter. Please bring along your identification card for verification. Your media pass will allow you access to all events with the exception of a small number of by-invite only functions.
 - **Wednesday, 26 Oct – Friday, 28 Oct:** The registration counter will be on Level 4, Sands Expo & Convention Centre, Marina Bay Sands. It will be open from 8.00am to 6.00pm from Wednesday to Thursday, and from 8.00am to 12.00pm on Friday.

- **Internet access at SIEW:** Free Wi-Fi is available in all public areas around the SIEW venues, and in the media centre. Individual conferences may also have Wi-Fi available, subject to their respective organisers.
- **Media centre at SIEW:** A media centre located on Level 4 will be open for your use from 8.30am to 6.00pm from Wednesday to Thursday, and from 8.30am to 4.00pm on Friday. Dedicated internet access (LAN cable + Wi-Fi) and printing facilities will be available at the media centre. An Edelman consultant will also be available during opening hours to assist with any requests.

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