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installation and
maintenance
conference

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- Offshore grid developments
- Future foundations
- Supply chain and operational management
- Global business opportunities

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The Offshore WIND Installation and Maintenance Conference addresses the technical, operational, commercial and managerial challenges associated with future industry growth. The conference brings you an overview of wind farm developments, presents innovations in wind farm installation and maintenance and discusses the challenges of grid integration.



MORNING PROGRAM

8.30 Welcoming coffee

9.00 Opening

The opening speakers will give an industry update, define the most pressing industry challenges and set the scene for the day.

Speakers:

- Andy Barwise, Business Development Director, Gardline Geosciences Limited
- Frans van der Loo, Owner, LOO e-Consult

9.30 Developing an offshore grid

Installing sufficient transmission capacity is key in realizing the full potential of offshore wind. This session discusses the challenges of connecting to the onshore transmission system, lowering the costs of grid connectivity and establishing a cross-border regulatory framework. Presenters will offer insights into technological solutions and lessons learned in grid integration.

Speakers:

- Wessel Bakker, Business Line Director ETD, DNV GL
- Michiel Müller, Unit Director Wind, Ecofys
- Speaker TBD, DG ENER, European Commission
- Speaker TBD, TenneT (invited)

10.30 Refreshment break

11.00 Future foundations

Wind turbine foundations are being designed for installation further offshore, in deeper water and harsher environments. Installation equipment is evolving with foundation developments as are sophisticated inspection techniques to prevent costly maintenance. This session discusses innovations in foundation design, foundation installation and foundation maintenance.

Speakers:

- Wouter van Dalen, Section Head R&D, Seaway Heavy Lifting
- Bert van der Velden, Commercial Manager, Boskalis Offshore
- Jasper Winkes, Owner and founder, Fistuca
- Matt Bleasdale, Director, Offshore Wind Logistics and Construction (OWLC)
- Maurizio Collu, Lecturer, Cranfield University (H2Ocean Consortium)
- Bruno Geschier, Chief Sales & Marketing Officer / Member of the Executive Board, Ideol Offshore

12.30 Lunch

AFTERNOON PROGRAM

12.30 Lunch

13.30 Supply chain and operational management

Optimization of logistical processes are key in reducing costs, both in the installation and in the maintenance phase of a project. This session will discuss best practices along the value chain, giving you insights from different perspectives - an operator's, a contractor's, a port's and a service provider's. The session will also pay attention to marine warranty guidelines associated with various phases in offshore wind operations.

Chair:

- Dorothy Winters, Program Manager Offshore Wind, Amsterdam IJmuiden Offshore Port (AYOP)

Speakers:

- Wybran Jansen, Head of Investment Procurement Renewables, Vattenfall
- Remco Boersma, Head of Technology and Operational Services, Vattenfall
- David Hodgkinson, Vice President UK Business Delivery, Technip Offshore Wind Ltd.
- Mike Frampton, Master Mariner / Director, LOC Group

15.00 Refreshment break

15.30 Global business opportunities

With energy demand continuously on the rise the prospects for offshore wind are growing across the globe. This session will discuss business opportunities in India, China and US, among others. It will also address the human capital and the financial capital needed to realize the offshore wind industry's full global potential, focusing on future workforce requirements and possible contracting solutions to improve the quality of offshore wind investments.

Speakers:

- Barbara Zuiderwijk, Green Giraffe Energy Bankers
- Bastiaan van Wijk, Consultant, Ecofys
- Craig Brown, International Business Development, Keystone Engineering Inc.
- Frans Brughuis, Business Development Wind Energy, Mecal
- Dirk Brieze, Managing Director, trend: research GmbH

17.00 Networking reception

For more information about the speakers and their presentation topics please visit www.owimconference.com

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