

POWERELEC KENYA 2024

Draft - Conference Agenda

THEME:

Kenya's Mega Green Plan for 100% Renewables by 2030: Building a Collaborative Ecosystem

13 November 2024

10.30 am : ***Official Opening Ceremony***

Opening Remarks: Sungrow (TBC)

Inaugural Address: Chief Guest

Hon. James Opiyo Wandayi, Cabinet Secretary, Energy & Petroleum, Govt. of Kenya (TBC)

Special Address: Guest of Honour (TBC)

Closing Remarks: KNCCI (TBC)

Session 1 : 11.00 am to 12.30 pm

Unleashing Kenya's Gigawatt Potential: Scaling Renewables for a Net-Zero Future

Keynote: (TBC)

Moderator: Nancy M Muhoya, Managing Partner, Kenya & East Africa Cluster, Ernst & Young LLP

Speakers:

- **Eng. Maxwell Ngala**, Senior Technical Specialist RTI International (TBC)
- **Fiona Magomere**, Power Systems Control Engineer, Kenya Power & Lighting Company PLC.
- **Adrian Mwai**, Regional Director, East Africa, Hewani Energy
- **Prinaven Naidoo**, Senior Account Manager: Utility PV & BESS
Sungrow Southern Africa

(Scope: Government, CEOs, Thermal energy companies, hydro operators)

Session 2 : 2.00 pm to 3.30 pm

Leveraging Public-Private Partnerships: Investment Strategies for Renewable Energy

Keynote:

Mburu Anthony, General Manager & CEO, DPA Kenya: a subsidiary of the EDF Group.

Moderator:

Elizabeth Nyambura, Renewable Energy Specialist, Kenya Renewable Energy Association.

Speakers:

- **Ryan Okoth**, Regional Sales Manager East Africa, JA Solar
- **Anne Kiburi**, Senior Specialist, Energy Transition Coordinator (Kenya), Sustainable Energy for All (SEforALL).
- **Asu Owino** (FCCA , MBA), Chief Financial Officer, W. Giertsen Energy Solutions

(Scope: Government, Banks, investment companies, CFOs of solar companies)

Day 2 : 14 November 2024

10 am to 4 pm

Executive SOLAR Dialogue: Handled by AFSIA

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Powerelec Kenya: Welcome Reception and Awards

Welcome address:

Chief Guest:

Hon. Salim Mvurya Mgala E.G.H, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry Investments,
Trade and Industry, Govt. of Kenya (TBC)

Award Distribution:

Vote of thanks:

Dinner and Cocktail

Day 3 : 15 November 2024

Session 1 : 10.30 am to 12 pm

Decentralized Solutions: Expanding Access & Optimizing Grid

Keynote:

Moderator:

Speakers:

- Sunwoda (TBC)
- Goldi Solar (TBC)
- Battery Manufacturer – Africa (TBC)

(Scope: Mini-grids Solar, hybrid, storage, energy efficiency)

Session 2 : 12.00 pm to 13.30 pm

Scaling up Solar Power: Challenges and Opportunities and Innovation Strategies for Africa's energy security

Keynote:

- **Troy Barrie**, Chief Technology Officer, Ariya Finergy.

Moderator:

Speakers:

- **Peter Waihenya**, Renewable Energy Officer, Energy and Petroleum Regulatory Authority, Govt of Kenya.
- **Thuo Njoroge Daniel Butti**, Energy Economist and Director of Research & Policy, Canales Auty International
- Canadian Solar (TBC)

(Scope: Government, solar manufacturers, Renewable energy adaptations, solar companies, Solar power producers)

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