Day 1 Programme

0900 OPENING SESSION
• Ms. Sarah Kelly, CONFERENCE HOST
• H.E. Mr. Alexander Schallenberg, Federal Minister of European & International Affairs, AUSTRIA
• Mr. Li Yong, Director General, UNITED NATIONS INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION (UNIDO)
• Ms. Leena Srivastava, Deputy Director General for Science, INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR APPLIED SYSTEMS ANALYSIS (IIASA)
• H.E. Ms. Leonore Gewessler, Federal Minister, MINISTRY FOR CLIMATE ACTION, ENVIRONMENT, ENERGY, MOBILITY, INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY OF AUSTRIA

MUSICAL OPENING
MUK - MUSIC AND ARTS UNIVERSITY OF THE CITY OF VIENNA

BUILDING BACK GREENER: SPOTLIGHT ON RECOVERY
H.E. Amani Abou-Zeid, Commissioner for Infrastructure and Energy, AFRICAN UNION COMMISSION

SPOTLIGHT ON YOUTH FOR VEF
• Ms. Sarah Kelly, CONFERENCE HOST
• Mr. Israel Faleye, YOUTH FOR VEF REPRESENTATIVE

1000 HIGH LEVEL THEMATIC PLENARY 1 – ACCELERATING ACTION

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: H.E. Mr. Gerd Müller, Federal Minister for Economic Cooperation and Development, GERMANY

PANEL 1 – ENERGY GOALS by 2030
MODERATOR: Ms. Sarah Kelly, CONFERENCE HOST
• Ms. Damilola Ogunbiyi, CEO and Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General, SUSTAINABLE ENERGY FOR ALL and Co-Chair of UN-ENERGY (SEForALL)
• Mr. Haoliang Xu, Assistant Secretary-General, Assistant Administrator and Director of the Bureau for Policy and Programme Support (RBPSS)

PANEL 2 – TOWARDS COP26
MODERATOR: Ms. Sarah Kelly, CONFERENCE HOST
• Ms. Angela Wilkinson, Secretary General & CEO, WORLD ENERGY COUNCIL (WEC)
• Mr. Ovais Sarmad, Assistant Secretary-General Deputy Executive Secretary, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC)
• Ms. Kavita Sinha, Deputy Director, Division of Mitigation and Adaptation, Green Climate Fund (GCF)
• Mr. Francesco La Camera, Director-General, INTERNATIONAL RENEWABLE ENERGY AGENCY (IRENA)
HIGH LEVEL THEMATIC PLENARY 2 – FOOD SYSTEMS
MODERATOR: Ms. Sheila Oparaocha, International Coordinator and Programme Manager, ENERGIA

ORGANIZATIONAL STATEMENT: Mr. Qu Dongyu, Director-General, FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION (FAO)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: Ms. Abshiro Halakoe, Senator, KENYA

PANEL 1 – SCALING UP FOOD PRODUCTIVITY
- Ms. Audrey Desiderato, Co-Founder & Chief Operations Officer, SUNFUNDER
- Ms. Magdalena Kouneva, Director General, RENEWABLE ENERGY AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY PARTNERSHIP (REEEP)
- Mr. Samir Ibrahim, CEO, SUNCULTURE

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: H.E. Mr. Omar Paganini, Minister of Industry, Energy and Mining, URUGUAY
MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: H.E. Mr. Malik Amin Aslam, Minister for Climate Change, PAKISTAN

PANEL 2 – SMART FOOD SYSTEMS
- Mr. Leonard Mizzi, DG INTPA Deputy Director General Directoraes D, E, F
- Mr. Jeffrey Prins, Head of Portfolio - Renewable Energy, IKEA FOUNDATION
- Ms. Kristina Skireira, CEO POWERFORALL

HIGH LEVEL THEMATIC PLENARY 3 – INDUSTRY INTEGRATION
MODERATOR: Dan Dorner, Head, CLEAN ENERGY MINISTERIAL SECRETARIAT

ORGANIZATIONAL STATEMENT: Mr. Rafael Mariano Grossi, Director General, INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY, (IAEA)

PANEL 1 – WINING THE RACE TO ZERO
- Mr. Anthony Hobley, Co-Executive Director, Mission Possible Platform & Executive Fellow, WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM
- Ms. Dinah McLeod, Chief Executive, Global Cement and Concrete Association (GCCA)
- Ms. Christiane Brunner, Corporate Affairs, Verbund

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: Mr. Joseph McMonigle, Secretary General, INTERNATIONAL ENERGY FORUM

PANEL 2 – THE DIGITAL REVOLUTION
- Ms. Gökçe Mete, Head of the Secretariat - Leadership Group for the Industry Transition (LeadIT), STOCKHOLM ENVIRONMENT INSTITUTE
- Mr. Dirk Fransaer, Managing Director, Flemish Institute for Technological Research (VITO)
- Ms. Cate Hight, Principal Climate Aligned Industries, ROCKY MOUNTAIN INSTITUTE

HIGH LEVEL THEMATIC PLENARY 4 – ENERGY EFFICIENT PRODUCTS
MODERATOR: Mr. Steven Kokuda, Executive Director, International Copper Association

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: H.E. Dr. Matthew Opoku Prempeh, Ministry of Energy, GHANA
ORGANIZATIONAL STATEMENT: Ms. Sheila Aggarwal-Khan, Director of Economy Division, UN Environment Programme
PANEL 1 – SUSTAINABILITY VS. PROFITABILITY
- Mr. Alfonso Blanco-Bonilla, Executive Secretary, Latin American Energy Organisation (OLADE)
- Ms. Sumedha Malaviya, Manager, Energy Program, World Resources Institute (WRI) India
- Ms. Lisa Jacobson, President of the Business Council for Sustainable Energy (BCSE)

MINISTERIAL STATEMENT: H.E. Mr Antonio Almonte, Minister of Energy and Mines, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

PANEL 2 – AFFORDABILITY MATTERS
- Ms. Rose Mwebaza, Director, UN Climate Technology Centre and Network (CTCN)
- Mr. Koen Peters, Executive Director, GOGLA
- Ms. Shilpa Patel, Director, Mission Investing, ClimateWorks Foundation, Kigali Cooling Efficiency Program (K-CEP)

1800 CLOSING SESSION
THE ENERGY CLUB – “Getting to Yes on Climate”
- Mr. William Ury, Co-Founder, CLIMATE PARLIAMENT and Author, Mediator & Co-Founder - Program on Negotiation, HARVARD LAW SCHOOL

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