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Conference Program

WELCOME NOTE FROM HIS EXCELLENCY JOHN DRAMANI MAHAMA, PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF GHANA

It is with great pride and excitement that I welcome the global energy community to Ghana for AOW: Energy 2025. This landmark event represents a pivotal moment for Ghana and the wider African energy landscape. We are honoured to host this prestigious gathering of international and regional leaders, all of whom are committed to driving forward the future of Africa's oil, gas, and energy sectors.

AOW: Energy is more than an industry event; it is a platform of national and continental significance. It symbolizes Ghana's unwavering commitment to fostering collaboration, investment, and innovation in the energy space. Inspired by Sankofa Events, a Ghanaian organization that embodies the spirit of African empowerment and prosperity, this event will serve as a catalyst for forging strategic partnerships that will shape the future of our continent's energy security and economic development.

As a government, we recognize that the responsible development of our natural resources is key to unlocking prosperity for our people and strengthening Africa's role in the global energy transition. AOW: Energy offers a unique opportunity for Ghana to showcase its potential as a regional energy hub, attracting investment, enhancing cooperation, and driving forward a shared vision for a self-sufficient, industrialized, and energy-secure Africa.

Energy is the backbone of economic transformation. My vision of a 24-hour economy will be a game-changer for Ghana, ensuring that industries, businesses, and communities can operate around the clock, driving productivity, job creation, and economic resilience. We believe that energy will play a critical role in powering such an economy, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. By harnessing our natural resources efficiently and sustainably, we can build a future where energy security fuels industrialization, strengthens local businesses, and elevates Ghana's position as a leader in Africa's economic revolution.

Over the course of this event, we will engage in discussions that will shape the trajectory of our energy future. We will welcome the insights of CEOs, ministers, policymakers, and investors from across the world as we chart a transformative roadmap for Africa's oil and gas sector. Together, we will build new relationships, unlock fresh opportunities, and create lasting partnerships that will define the next chapter of Africa's energy journey.

The Government of Ghana stands firmly in partnership with Sankofa Events and all our stakeholders to ensure that AOW: Energy is not just another conference, but a game-changing platform for growth, investment, and progress. It is a moment for Africa to take its rightful place in the global energy dialogue and to set the stage for a future where our resources are harnessed for the benefit of our nations and people.

To all our esteemed guests, industry leaders, and partners, I welcome you to Ghana. May this event be the foundation of a new era of collaboration and progress. Together, we will walk a path of growth and partnership, ensuring a stronger, more prosperous future for Africa and the world.

His Excellency John Dramani Mahama President of

the Republic of Ghana



Ghana Government Partners



His Excellency John Dramani Mahama President of Republic of Ghana



Ms. Emeafa Hardcastle Ag. Chief Executive Officer





Hon. Minister John Jinapor Minister of Energy & Green Transition





Mr. Kwame Ntow Amoah

AG Chief Executive Officer, Ghana National Petroleum Corporation





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AOW:Energy Program at a glance

Monday, 15th Sept 2025	Q Location
AOW: NOC and Regulator AGM Forum	Breakout Stage
Ministerial and CEO Leadership Forum	Breakout Stage
Networking Drinks: Welcome Reception: Opening Cocktail at Kempinski Gardens	
Dinners: Ministerial and VIP Dinner	
Tuesday, 16th Sept 2025	Q Location
Open Ceremony AOW: Strategy Sessions	Main Auditorium
AOW: E&P Forum National Showcases	Breakout Stage
Networking Drinks: Sandbox Beach Club AOW DJ and Party	
Dinners:	
Ministerial and VIP Dinner	
Wednesday, 17th Sept 2025	Q Location
AOW: African Independents Forum	Main Auditorium
National Showcases	Breakout Stage
AOW: Natural Gas Forum D&I Forum AFRIPERF – Regulators Forum (2 Hours)	Main Auditorium Breakout Stage
Networking Drinks: Bella Afrik Networking and Live Music	
Dinners: African Energy Leadership Gala Dinner, Dr. Kwame Nkrumah Museum	
Thursday, 18th Sept 2025	Q Location
AOW: Decarbonization, Forum	Main Auditorium
Ghana National Upstream Day	Breakout Stage
AOW: Prospect Forum	Main Auditorium
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Africa Energy Leadership Forum – Ministers & VIP

15th September Schedule



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AOW: E&P Forum

16th September Schedule





E&P Forum Frontier Acreage

E&P Forum Exploring Equatorial West Africa



AOW: African Independent Forum

17th September Schedule



AOW: African Independent Forum

Registration and Coffee Session Moderator **Confirmed Speaker** Oando's vision for upstream growth and its evolving portfolio The vision and strategy for Oando to positioning itself as a leading player in Africa's oil Oando and gas future **Panel Debate:** Ex_conMobil TULLOW MURPHY The Outlook of the Deloitte. Operator: A leadership dialogue on the future strategies of the operators aradel **Keynote Presentation Drilling Campaigns:** Looking at the results of the AZULE past and future planned campaigns **Operator Strategies:** ExonMobil Vwoodside Meren **Developing Portfolios and Rystad**Energy New Ventures Genel Energy tower resources oil and gas 🗄 PETROBRAS

Networking Break

Operating the Transform Margin: What is hot and what next?

Deloitte.



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AOW: African Independent Forum



Networking Lunch

AOW: Natural Gas Forum – sponsored by Seplat Natural Gas Trailblazers: Case studies and strategies to utilise the full potential of African natural gas From Development to Production: Navigating the Realities of Upstream Gas Success Exploring the East African Upstream Story

The Role of Technology in Accelerating Natural Gas Development in Africa



AOW: Decarbonization Forum

18th September Schedule



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