

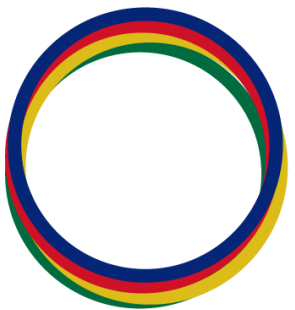


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West Africa Energy Summit Aberdeen, Scotland 18th & 19th November, 2025





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The West African Energy Summit is an OGV Group event in partnership with the Ministry of Energy for Ghana, The Petroleum Commission of Ghana and the Ghana National Petroleum Corporation.

The West Africa Energy Summit (WAES) is the premier platform that brings together the technology providers, innovators, project owners and stakeholders driving the future of the oil & gas and energy industry. Entering its second year, WAES aims to provide an exclusive environment for meaningful exchanges between the operator side of the industry and the supply chain, specifically focusing on the technologies that enhance oil recovery and the management of asset infrastructure.

The Summit is an unparalleled opportunity for solution providers to connect directly with operators, project owners and infrastructure specialists who are actively looking for technologies that increase operational efficiency, reduce costs and drive successful outcomes for their energy projects.





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Last year ...

800+

senior delegates
attended

30+

Ministers &
Government
Officials were
present

200

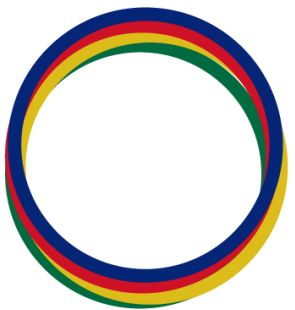
companies were
represented

from across

35+

countries





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SABA is proud to be a lead partner once again with the **West African Energy Summit** this year, building on the success of our involvement in Ghana in 2024.

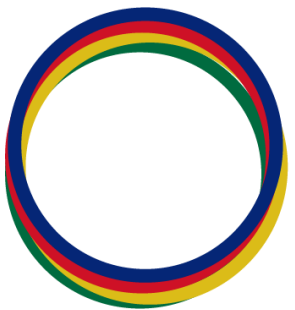
Last year, SABA led a high-level Scottish delegation to the Summit, creating invaluable connections between Scottish businesses and key stakeholders across West Africa's energy sector.

This year, we will be helping drive discussions on supply chain, offshore, technology, energy transition, and sustainable development, reaffirming our role as the go-to organisation for those seeking to engage with Africa and Scotland's dynamic energy markets.

African energy companies shouldn't miss the opportunity of attending this year's West African Energy Summit in Aberdeen, Europe's oil and gas capital, as it offers unparalleled access to partnership, investment and technical expertise critical to the region's energy future.

In addition to attending this flagship event, SABA will run an extended two-day programme with site visits, round tables and introductions to key players across Scotland's energy sector for your delegation. Whether your focus is on oil & gas, energy education and skills training or maritime we will work to ensure you network with the right partners eager to engage and find new prospects.





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Indicative Agenda

DAY ONE

Delegate Meet & Greet

- Grab a coffee and kick off the programme with an informal networking session. This is a great opportunity to meet fellow delegates, exchange introductions and set the stage for the days ahead. Connect with like-minded professionals, share your expectations for the visit and start building relationships before we dive into the main agenda.

Round Table

- Join us for the first of our round tables, where leading oil & gas companies will showcase their expertise, cutting-edge innovations and commitment to the dynamic West African market. This high-level discussion offers a unique opportunity to connect with industry leaders, explore strategic partnerships and gain insights into Scotland's evolving energy landscape.

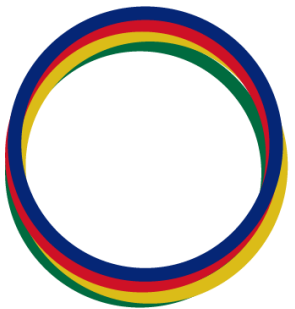
Site Visit

- Delegates will have the exclusive opportunity to visit Aberdeen Harbour's new South Harbour, a state-of-the-art facility at the heart of the region's evolving energy landscape. This guided tour will showcase the harbour's transition from a traditional fishing port to a world-class hub for energy, trade, and industry. Delegates will receive a briefing on the harbour's expanded capabilities, its role in supporting offshore wind, oil & gas and decommissioning projects and how its infrastructure is shaping the future of maritime logistics in the UK and beyond.

Drinks Reception

- Delegates are invited to a whisky-tasting drinks reception, offering a true taste of Scotland's rich heritage where delegates will have the opportunity to connect with a wider group of businesses from across the UK. Hosted in an elegant setting, this exclusive event will feature a selection of fine Scottish whiskies, guided by an expert who will share the history, craftsmanship and unique flavours behind each dram.





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DAYS TWO AND THREE

West African Energy Summit 2025

- The Summit's agenda has been created to address the most pressing challenges and opportunities in West Africa's energy landscape. Delegates can expect a series of panel sessions, company presentations and discussions on detailed topics from design challenges in deepwater oil and gas to the application of robotics in offshore operations.
- Beyond the formal sessions, the Summit offers invaluable networking opportunities with key stakeholders, including government representatives, investors and industry leaders. Delegates will gain insights into regulatory frameworks, data and projects, positioning them to capitalise on emerging opportunities in the West African energy sector.
- We have secured a dedicated private room exclusively for our delegations. This space is available for you to work or host private meetings.

DAY FOUR

Site Visits

- A visit Aberdeen University's Centre for Energy Transition, a leading hub for research and innovation in the shift towards a low-carbon future is next. This will include a briefing on the latest advancements in energy technologies, policy development, and industry collaborations driving sustainable solutions.
- A visit to NESCol's Drilling School offers a hands-on look at their training. Delegates will tour the state-of-the-art facilities, including industry-standard drilling simulator, and gain insight into how the school equips students with the practical skills needed for careers in oil & gas, decommissioning and renewable energy.

Round Table

- For the second of our round tables, delegates will have the opportunity to meet with Aberdeen's leading universities and North East Scotland College to explore collaborations in education and skills training. This discussion will focus on building partnerships between Scottish and West African institutions to develop workforce training programmes, knowledge exchange initiative and industry-led curricula that align with the evolving energy landscape. With a strong emphasis on upskilling, research collaboration and technical training, this session will provide a platform to strengthen academic and industry links, ensuring a skilled and adaptable workforce for the future of energy in both regions.





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Scotland's Energy Sector

Scotland's energy sector is one of the most dynamic and diverse and it plays a pivotal role in the UK's energy landscape. The country has abundant natural resources, including oil, gas, wind and tidal energy, which have allowed it to develop a robust energy infrastructure that spans traditional fossil fuels and cutting-edge renewables. Scotland has long been a key player in the oil and gas industry, particularly in the North Sea, with Aberdeen at the centre of this activity.

Aberdeen is often referred to as the "Oil and Gas Capital of Europe" due to its long history and strong presence in the energy sector, particularly in offshore oil and gas exploration. The city boasts a vast network of energy companies, including major players like BP, TotalEnergies and Shell, making it a global hub for energy innovation as well as the city's leadership in the development of subsea technologies, which are critical for extracting oil and gas from deep-water reserves. With a highly skilled workforce and a thriving ecosystem of support services, Aberdeen continues to drive advancements in this field, making it a prime location for energy-related business opportunities. In recent years, Aberdeen has also made significant strides in renewable energy, positioning itself as a leader in the offshore wind sector. The city is home to pioneering projects like the world's first floating wind farm, the Kincardine Offshore Wind Farm, located just off the coast. This transition to cleaner energy has been a key part of the city's strategy to diversify from oil and gas and embrace a low-carbon future. With its strong infrastructure and expertise, Aberdeen is well on its way to becoming a global centre for both traditional and renewable energy innovation.

Scotland is also a pioneer in developing hydrogen as a clean energy source. The country is exploring hydrogen production through renewable energy, aiming to create a hydrogen economy that could power industries, transport and homes while reducing carbon emissions. Additionally, Scotland is leading in carbon capture and storage (CCS) technologies, essential for mitigating climate change. The combination of these initiatives, alongside the country's rich energy history, positions Scotland as a hub for innovation, sustainability, and energy leadership, with exciting opportunities for growth and investment in both traditional and renewable energy markets.

Scottish businesses are increasingly interested in investing and partnering with West Africa in the energy sector for several key reasons, including the region's growing energy demand, abundant natural resources and opportunities for innovation and growth in both traditional and renewable energy markets.





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Participants include ...





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Package Includes

Delegate pre-meet and online trade delegation briefing
Welcome pack and delegate brochure
Name badges and lanyards
A place at all meetings, round tables, briefings, site visits and networking events
B2B matchmaking
Letter of support for visa applications
Travel and accommodation support via our partner
Transport to and from meetings
Photographer on hand throughout
Mention in social media, press releases and eNewsletter
Access to the SABA leadership team

What it doesn't include:

Flights
Airport transfers and transportation not associated with the programme
Accommodation
•Discounted rates for the West African Energy Summit tickets

