

**BEIRUT ENERGY FORUM** 

### UNDER THE HIGH PATRONAGE OF HIS EXCELLENCY ENG. GEBRAN BASSIL THE MINISTER OF ENERGY & WATER

### 29 - 30 SEPTEMBER 2011

HABTOOR GRAND HOTEL BEIRUT - LEBANON

# **POST SHOW** 2011

# **EVENT REVIEW**

PATRONAGE: HE. ENG. GEBRAN BASSIL Minister of Energy & Water

STRATEGIC PARTNER: Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation

ORGANIZED BY: MCE Group for Congresses & Exhibitions POBox: 2914- Jounieh- Lebanon Tel & Fax: +961 9 900110-1 Email: events@mcegroup.net www.mcegroup.net DATES & VENUE: 29 -30 September 2011 Emirates Hall- Habtoor Grand Hotel- Beirut

EXHIBITOR SUMMARY: Floor Space occupied: **300 sqm** Number of exhibitors: **22** Exhibiting countries: **7** 

DELEGATES SUMMARY: Number of delegates: **490** Average days attended: **2 days** 





Under the patronage of H.E. Eng. Gebran Bassil, Minister of Energy and Water, the Beirut Energy Forum was held with the support of the Ministry of Energy & Water, League of Arab States, the European Union, the UNDP, the Order of Engineers and Architects in Beirut, Industrial Research Institute (IRI), the Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC) as strategic partner and in partnership with "Le Salon des Energies Renouvelables de Paris". The Beirut Energy Forum was organized by MCE Group.

In its second edition, BEF provided a platform for professionals, policymakers, practitioners, donors, academics and companies to highlight the Lebanese, Arab and Euro Mediterranean initiatives in the renewable energy field, focus on the Energy Efficiency Building Codes, Green Building rating systems, Financing energy systems.

While enjoying the support and cooperation of the Regional Center for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency (RCREEE), the Lebanese Solar Energy Society (LSES), the Lebanon Green Building Council (LGBC), the ASHRAE Lebanon Chapter, the EU-funded project MED-EMIP and MED-ENEC, the Beirut Energy Forum regrouped 490 delegates from 26 countries and featured 40 lectures presented by energy experts from Lebanon and the region. In addition to that, the event included a panel discussion gathering the Minister of Energy and Water and professors from the Lebanese Universities dedicated to highlight Politician vs. Scientist: Clash or Development?



# **EXHIBITORS SURVEY**

### **EXHIBITORS VIEW OF EXHIBITION**

**95%** RATED BEIRUT ENERGY FORUM 2011 AS A GOOD NETWORKING OPPORTUNITY

**100%** WERE SATISFIED BY THEIR PARTICIPATION

94% MET THEIR TARGET AUDIENCE DURING THE EVENT

95% RATED AS GOOD THE ORGANIZATION OF THE EVENT

**94%** ARE INTERESTED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE NEXT EDITION

### **SPONSORS**

Regional Center for Renewable Energy & Energy Efficiency (RCREEE) as **Platinum Sponsor** 

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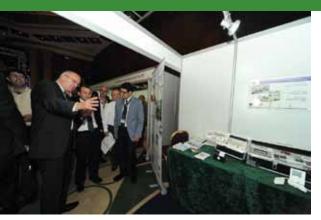








# **DELEGATES SURVEY**

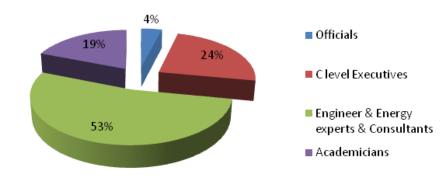




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### **Delegates by position**



### **26 PARTICIPATING COUNTRIES**

Algeria	Lebanon	Thailand
Bahrain	Morocco	Tunisia
Cyprus	Netherlands	UAE
Egypt	Oman	UK
France	Palestine	USA
Germany	Portugal	Yemen
Iraq	Spain	
Jordan	Sudan	
KSA	Sweden	
Kuwait	Syria	



# **EVENT'S FEATURES**





### • 1 ministerial Panel discussion

gathering HE. Eng Gebran Bassil with professors from Lebanese Universities focusing on: Politician vs. Scientist: Clash or Development?

• **1 Panel discussion highlighting:** Do Green Building Rating Systems Compete or Complement?

• Signature of agreement between UNDP and BLF

• Submission of UNEP Declaration to HE. Eng. Gebran Bassil- Minister of Energy & Water

Exhibition area

66% of the delegates stated that the scientific program was excellent

100% were satisfied with their participation in the conference

57% of the delegates stated that the speakers' knowledge of the subjects discussed was good

86% rated as excellent the panel discussion between the minister & the University professors.







### SOME OF THE VIP SPEAKERS

- Mr. Edmond Yammine, Chairman, MCE group for Congresses & Exhibitions
- Mr. Elie Bsaibes, President, Order of Engineers and Architects in Beirut
- Mr. Seifeldin Abbaro, Country Director, UNDP
- Mr. Adnan Z. Amin, Director General, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), Abu Dhabi, UAE
- Ms. Angelina Eichhorst, Head of the EU Delegation to Lebanon
- H.E. Eng. Gebran Bassil, Minister of Energy and Water in Lebanon
- Mr. Samir Hassan, Acting Executive Director, RCREEE
- H.E. Eng. Salha Abou Sabaa, Head of Renewable Energy Department, League of Arab States (LAS), Egypt
- Dr. Albrecht Kaupp, Team Leader, MED-EMIP, Germany/Egypt
- Mr. Kamal Hayek, Head of the Board, Director General of Electricité du Liban (EDL)
- Mr. Pierre El Khoury, Director, Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC), UNDP Project Manager
- Mr. Ziad El Zein, PR coordinator, LCEC
- Mr. Mahmoud Baroud, Director of Tutelage, Ministry of Energy and Water (MEW)
- Mr. Soren Krohn, Senior Wind Power Specialist, World Bank, USA
- Mr. Jean-Ives Kernel, Head Officer of International Affairs, Biotope, France
- Mr. François Joubert, Executive Vice President and Global Head of Environmental Products, EDF Trading, UK
- Dr. Kurt Wiesegart, MED-ENEC Team Leader, Germany/ Egypt
- Mr. Waleed El Araby, Officer-in-charge of Council of Ministers, LAS
- Dr. Imad Hage Chehade, Technology and Development Director, Industrial Research Institute (IRI), Lebanon
- Mr. Gustavo Manez, Project Manager, En-Lighten Project, United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP), France
- Mr. Wael Hamdan, Head of the Financing Unit, Central Bank of Lebanon (BDL), Lebanon
- Mr. Terry McCallion, Director of Energy Efficiency & Climate Change, European Bank for Reconstruction & development, UK



# **GUEST SPEAKER OF THE FORUM 2011**

### **MR. ADNAN Z. AMIN**

Director General, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA), Abu Dhabi, UAE





# **SHOW MARKETING & VISITOR PROMOTION**

By Mail, sms and e-mail campaigns targeted leading professionals, engineers, related companies & energy experts.

### 1- Email Campaign:

Marketing emails, specifically targeting different divisions of the energy industry individually were sent. These were used to support the mailing campaigns encouraging engineers and professionals to pre-register for the congress or to inform them about the latest updates with the latest registered exhibitors, new speakers etc...

### 2- Direct Mailing Campaign

A carefully researched direct mailing campaign was carried out to the names and addresses of concerned professionals in Lebanon. This comprehensive campaign included mailing of invitation cards, marketing materials at different stages to all segments of our huge database.

#### **3- Liaison with Supporters, Partners**

Main supporters of the event were involved in the promotion of the Beirut Energy Forum by displaying and distributing print materials.

### **MEDIA CAMPAIGN**



#### 1- Press Office

A press office was open throughout the exhibition and conference and provided a point of contact for exhibitors and local and specialist regional media.

#### 2-TV coverage from

Reporters from renowned TVs covered the opening ceremony, the panel discussion and conducted interviews with exhibitors and key delegates.

#### **3- Internet support**

Continuous news concerning the event were listed on the Beirut Energy Forum website www.beirutenergyforum.com

4- Press releases: Follow the link

# **ABOUT THE ORGANIZER**





While operating from Lebanon, we cover the Arab countries & the Mediterranean basin and we maintain strong relationship with our collaborators in the different countries. Our clients are from the public, private sectors as well as NGOs.

During the year 2011, many achievements were reached in various fields:

### The Health field through:

- . Medhealth 9<sup>th</sup> Edition
- . The Arab Health Ministers Council in Beirut 35<sup>th</sup> Edition,
- . Health Insight

#### The Energy field through:

- . The Petroleum field through Lebanon International Petroleum Exploration Forum (LIPE)
- Beirut Energy Forum 2<sup>nd</sup> Edition



"Allow us to thank you and congratulate you for the great organization that you have showed during the planning of the Beirut Energy Forum, which made it a very successful event. It was a pleasure working with you."

#### Nouchka Boustany

Chargée Communication Commerciale - Cellule Communication Clients Direction de la Communication Banque Libano - Francaise

## **BOOK YOUR PLACE & SPACE FOR BOTH UPCOMING EVENTS**



**MARCH 2012** 



# SEPTEMBER 2012