

Tenth Annual Washington Energy Policy Conference

Global Energy Perspectives: Supply Security, Economic Development and Sustainability

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Wednesday, April 26, 2006

SAIS Kenney Auditorium, 1740 Massachusetts Avenue, NW

With the increasing interconnectivity and globalization of the world's economies, an isolated viewpoint regarding energy security, economic development and sustainability will no longer suffice. Fast-growing demand for energy in China and India, low global spare capacity, and instability in key exporting countries are keeping oil prices high and volatile.

Increased discussion of possible oil production peaking over coming decades and of growing carbon emissions from fossil fuels, which drive global warming, raises serious questions concerning sustainability of the current energy system. Natural gas demand is rising and will require more pipelines and LNG capacity, which may pave the way to a global LNG market. Energy poverty and lack of electricity still affect a third of the world's population, preventing achievement of modern living standards.

Different countries and regions around the world have different approaches to dealing with these issues. How are developed and developing countries prioritizing these issues and challenges? This year's *Washington Energy Policy Conference* attempts to address these questions and provide participants with an understanding of the different vantage points of countries in Europe, Asia, Africa, the Middle East and the Americas.

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Cost: \$120 for NCAC members; \$140.00 for non-members

8:30 AM	Registration	12:30 PM	Lunch
9:00 AM	Welcoming Remarks Ron Planting President, NCAC-USAAE Wil Kohl Johns Hopkins IEEP Keynote Speaker Global Oil and Gas Markets Edgard Habib Chief Economist ChevronTexaco	2:00 PM	View from FSU and Middle East Chair: Mark Rodekohr Energy Information Administration Robert Ichord U.S. Agency for International Development Russia/FSU Nawaf Obaid Saudi National Security Project Middle East
10:00 AM	View from Mature Economics Chair: Foster Mellen Ernst & Young Adam Sieminski Deutsche Bank North America Lars-Olaf Hollner EU Delegation Europe Atsushi Taketani Japanese Embassy Japan	3:15 PM	Coffee
		3:30 PM	Emerging Economies Chair: Mark Lively Utility Economic Engineer Michael Toman InterAmerican Development Bank Latin America
11:15 AM	Coffee		Monica Enfield PFC Energy Africa
11:30 PM	View from China and India Chair: Glen Sweetnam Energy Information Administration James Dorian International Energy Economist China David Jhirad World Resources Institute India		Lawrence Jones Areva T&D and University of Washington Africa
		5:00 PM	Reception

Conference Sponsorship:

The **National Capital Area Chapter (NCAC)** is one of the most active chapters of the **U.S. Association for Energy Economics**. The NCAC sponsors a series of monthly luncheons focusing on topical energy economic and policy issues and is the primary sponsor of the annual **Washington Energy Policy Conference**.

The **Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS)** is a graduate division of the **Johns Hopkins University**, offering advanced degrees in international affairs. This conference is co-sponsored by the International Energy and Environment Program of SAIS.

The **U.S. Association for Energy Economics**, is the largest affiliate of the **International Association for Energy Economics**. The USAEE was founded in 1994 to provide a forum for the exchange of ideas, experience and issues among professionals interested in energy economics. Its worldwide scope attracts members from diverse backgrounds—corporate, academic, scientific and government.

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