



ENERGY EDUCATION IN MEDITERRANEAN UNIVERSITIES

Beirut, 11th-12th September 2018

Room 102 (TBC) - Faculty of Agriculture & Food Sciences
American University of Beirut

Program

Tuesday – September 11, 2018

Opening Session: Moderator: Yaser Abunnasr

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| 10:00 – 10:05 | • LDEM: Yaser Abunnasr |
| 10:05 – 10:10 | • AUB President: Fadlo Khuri (TBC) |
| 10:10 – 10:15 | • FAFS Dean: Rabih Mohtar |
| 10:15 – 10:20 | • EU Representative (TBC) |
| 10:20 – 10:25 | • Erasmus+ Representative: Aref Al Soufi |
| 10:25 – 10:30 | • Roma Tre – Project Lead Partner: Anna Laura Palazzo |

Panel 1: Legal Background & State of the Energy in Lebanon | Moderator: Yaser Abunnasr

As an introduction, this panel aims to set the background for regulations and practice for renewable energy in Lebanon, taking into account the roles of governmental institutions as well as the private sector (donor agencies, NGOs, etc...)

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| 10:30 – 10:50 | • LCEC: Pierre el Khoury |
| 10:50 – 11:10 | • CEDRO: Hassan Harajli |
| 11:10 – 11:30 | • Q&A |

11:30 – 12:00 *Coffee break*

Panel 2: International Case Studies - ENEPLAN Partners | Moderator: Walid el Khatam

Project Partners representing six different EU and Arab countries will present one case study (one speaker per country) from their local context. Case studies cover the theme of integrated energy planning, taking into account at least one of the following components: social aspects, environmental impacts, strategic urban planning and landscape planning. These presentations will help in drawing parallels and or contrasts between the region and Europe in terms of energy practices and regulations.

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| 12:00 – 12:20 | • JUST & UJ: Ahmed Al-Salaymeh & Qatada Damra - Jordan |
| 12:20 – 12:40 | • Ain Shams University: Hoda Soussa - Egypt |
| 12:40 – 13:00 | • MIEMA: Federica di Pietrantonio - Malta |

13.00 - 14.30 *Lunch break - Finger Food served*

Panel 2 (cont.): International Case Studies - ENEPLAN Partners | Moderator: Nathalie Bassil

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| 14:30 – 14:50 | • University of Siena: Riccardo Pulselli - Italy |
| 14:50 – 15:10 | • University of Pablo Olavide: Josefina Lopez Galdeano - Spain |
| 15:10 – 15:30 | • University of Algarve: António Mortal- Portugal |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | • Q&A |



**Wednesday – September 12, 2018****Keynote: Energy & Education**

- 10.00 - 10.45 • Dean of Faculty of Agriculture & Food Sciences - AUB: Rabih Mohtar
10.45 - 11.00 • Q&A

Panel 3: Energy in Lebanon - Teaching & Research | Moderator: Farid Aboul-Ela

This panel presents the work being done at AUB in teaching and education in relation to the project/conference theme. While IFI programs focus on policy research, the Masri Institute and the department of energy studies work on academic research and education. The presentations from these different institutions/departments from AUB will pave the way for further integration between research, policy and education in the field of energy planning.

- 11:00 – 11:20 • Energy Studies & Masri Institute - AUB: Nisrine Ghaddar
11:20 – 11:40 • Climate Change & the Environment in the Arab World – IFI-AUB: Nadim Farajalla/Rana el Hajj
11:40 – 12:00 • Energy Policy & Security In The Middle East Program – IFI-AUB: Ali Ahmad
12:00 – 12:20 • Energy Education at the Lebanese University: Francis Mohaseb
12:20 – 12:40 • Q&A

12:40 – 13:40 *Lunch break – Finger Food served*

Panel 4: Energy in Practice – Impacts & Assessment | Moderator: Nicoletta Patrizi

The panel presents work at the local level in terms of impact assessment of renewable energy projects. Assessments include life cycle analysis, environmental aspects as well as social and economic considerations. These analyses are done in relation to the local regulatory framework, but also EU and other international guidelines and requirements. Speakers will cover work with both in the private and public sectors.

- 13:40 – 14:00 • University of Balamand: Sabine Saba
14:00 – 14:20 • Renewable energy plans assessment - Mores: Raji Maasri
14:20 – 14:40 • Renewable energy plans assessment - ElArd: Ricardo Khoury
14:40 – 15:00 • Q&A

15:00 – 15:20 *Coffee Break*

Panel 5: ENEPLAN & Concept mapping: Project Results | Moderator: Flavio Camerata

After three years of preparation, project results and outputs will be presented and discussed in order to suggest main recommendations, to increase dissemination opportunities and to promote sustainability of the project.

- 15:20 – 15:40 • AUB Students' experience with ENEPLAN
15:40 – 16:20 • Project Results: Open educational resources & other ENEPLAN outputs - Roma3 & MIEMA: Federica Benelli & Federica di Pietrantonio
16:20 – 16:45 • Q&A
16:45 – 17:00 • Closure & Recommendations

