	AGENDA	7 th ENERGY CONGRESS DAY I	29 September 2021*
8.00 a.m.	Registration of participants		
		INAUGURATION SESSION	
9.00 a.m.	Opening of the Congress by Remigiusz Nowakowski, Dawid Jackiewicz - DISE Management Board Józef Węgrecki - Member of the Management Board for Operations, PKN ORLEN S.A. Jakub Mazur - Deputy Mayor of Wrocław		
9.10 – 10.00 a.m.	Presentations by Honorary Patronages		
	 Inauguration speech: Jarosław Obremski - Lower Silesian Voivode Inauguration speech: Grzegorz Macko - Deputy Marshal of the Lower Silesian Voivodeship Inauguration speech: Prof. Arkadiusz Wójs, Dr.Sc., PhD, Eng Rector of the Wrocław University of Technology Inauguration speech: Aldo Amati - Ambassador of Italy to Poland Inauguration speech: Piotr Dziadzio - Undersecretary of State, Chief National Geologist, Government Plenipotentiary for the State's Raw Materials Policy Inauguration speech: Anders Eide - Ambassador of Norway to Poland Inauguration speech: Akio Miyajima - Ambassador of Japan to Poland Inauguration speech: Juha Ottman - Ambassador of Finland to Poland Inauguration speech: Ole Toft - Ambassador of the Kingdom of Denmark to Poland Inauguration speech: Robert Perkowski - Vice President of PGNiG SA 		

SESSION

REFORM OF THE ENERGY SECTOR IN POLAND AS A CONDITION OF EFFECTIVE TRANSFORMATION AND RECOVERY OF THE ECONOMY FROM THE COVID19 PANDEMIC

10.00 - 10.30 a.m.

Speech: **Piotr Dziadzio** - Undersecretary of State, Chief National Geologist, Government Plenipotentiary for the State's Raw Materials Policy - "Sector coupling as a strategy for obtaining climate neutrality by 2050"

Speech: Grzegorz Tobiszowski - Member of the European Parliament - "The impact of the European Green Deal on energy transformation in Poland"

Speech: Kamil Wyszkowski - Executive Director UN Global Compact Network Poland – "Global challenges on the way to reach climate neutrality and its impact on world economy"

10.30 - 11.00 a.m.

Coffee break

SESSION ENERGY TRANSITION AS A TOOL OF RECOVERY FROM COVID19 PANDEMIC

11.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.

Discussion panel: European Green Order as a recipe for economic recovery from the crisis caused by COVID-19

Moderator

Michał Niewiadomski - Editor-in-chief of ENERGIANEWS, Rzeczpospolita

Speakers

- prof. dr hab. inż. Maciej Chorowski President of National Fund for Climate Protection and Water Economy
- Anna Kornecka former Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Development and Technology
- Artur Michałowski acting President and CEO Tauron Polska Energia S.A.
- Robert Perkowski Vice President of PGNiG SA
- Grzegorz Tobiszowski Member of the European Parliament
- Józef Wegrecki Member of the Management Board for Operations, PKN ORLEN S.A.
- Kamil Wyszkowski Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network Poland
- Ireneusz Zyska Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Climate and Environment

12.30 - 1.15 p.m.

Discussion: "Biomass obtained from sustainable sources. A strategic option in the decarbonization challenge in Poland"

Moderator

- Remigiusz Nowakowski CEO of DISE
- Maciej Mierzwiński Jagiellonian Institute Expert, CEE Energy Group
- Marcin Roszkowski President of the Jagiellonian Institute
- Jens Price Wolf Vice President of the Board of ENVIVA

12.30 - 1.15 p.m.

Presentation

Piotr Pietrzak - Expert at IBM - telecom and energy market, IBM Polska

Arkadiusz Stacherski - Project Manager, Project Management and International Relations Department Energy and Gas Unit, **Asseco Poland**

1.15 - 2.15 p.m.

Lunch break

SESSION

SECTOR COUPLING AS A STRATEGIC CONCEPT FOR ACHIEVING CLIMATE NEUTRALITY BY 2050

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL B

2.15 - 2.45 p.m.

Speech: Ingunn Svegården - Senior Vice President Renewables, Emerging Regions - Equinor ASA - "Partners in energy transition – Equinor's strategic approach to renewables"

Speech: Rafał Gawin - President of the Energy Regulatory Office

"Regulatory challenges for coupled sectors of electrical power engineering, gas and heat in transition"

2.45 - 4.15 p.m.

Discussion panel: Sector coupling

Moderator

• Mariusz Swora Ph.D. - ACER

Speakers

- Rafał Gawin President of the Energy Regulatory Office
- Andrzej Kopyrski Managing Director, Investment Unit, PFR S.A.
- Mariusz Przybylik Managing Director of Accenture in the area of power, chemistry, mining sector, Accenture
- Helena Sarén Head of Carbon Neutral Finland Mission, Business Finland
- Ingunn Svegården Senior Vice President Renewables, Emerging Regions Equinor ASA
- Jens Price Wolf Vice President of the Board of ENVIVA

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL A

2.15 - 2.35 p.m.

Speech: Robert Perkowski - Vice President of PGNiG SA - "PGNiG: Natural gas as the fuel in energy transition"

Speech: Iweta Opolska - Director of Gas Trade Office PKN Orlen S.A. - "(Bio)metan as the transition fuel for the future"

2.35 - 4.00 p.m.

Discussion panel: Natural gas as the fuel in energy transition



Moderator

• Wojciech Jakóbik - Editor-in-chief, BiznesAlert.pl

Speakers

- Filip Grzegorczyk Vice President of the Board, Grupa Azoty S.A.
- Andrzej Kensbok Vice President of Board, KGHM Polska Miedź S.A.
- Jakub Kowalski Vice President of PSG Sp. z o.o.
- Robert Perkowski Vice President of PGNiG S.A.
- Mirosław Skowron Member of the Board, Ciech S.A.
- Artur Zawartko Vice President, GAZ-SYSTEM S.A.
- Piotr Zawistowski President and CEO, Towarowa Giełda Energii S.A.

4.00 p.m. – 4.15 p.m.

Speech: **Tomasz Niebylski** – Sales Director in Enterprise segment, Microsoft - "**Bright side of the power: technology transformation in the energy industry**"

4.15p.m. – 4.45 p.m.

Coffee break

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL B

4.45 p.m. - 5.05 p.m.

Speech: Matus Muron - Analyst, Hydrogen Europe - "European Hydrogen Strategy"

Speech: Radosław Kwiecień - Vice President of the Board, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego – "Role of BGK bank in financing of hydrogen strategy implementation"

5.05 - 6.30 p.m.

Discussion panel: Green hydrogen and biomethane - conditions of use and perspectives for market development

Moderator

• Tomoho Umeda - Chairman of Hydrogen Technology Committee of the Polish Chamber of Commerce

Speakers

- Heidi Bergman Head of Investment Projects, Renewable Hydrogen and PtX, Neste Corporation, Finnish Hydrogen Cluster
- prof. dr hab. inż. Jacek Dach Head of Ecotechnologies Laboratory of the Institute of Biosystems Engineering of the Poznań University of Life Sciences
- dr hab. inż. Arkadiusz Kamiński Expert at COO area, PKN ORLEN S.A.
- Katarzyna Szwed-Lipińska Director of Renewable Sources Department in the Energy Regulatory Office
- Matus Muron Analyst, Hydrogen Europe
- Grzegorz Należyty President of the Board, Siemens Energy Poland
- Fabrizio Zanini Business Development Manager at Saipem's New Energies Division

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL A

4.45 - 5.05 p.m.

Speech: Katarzyna Suchcicka - General Director, OX2 - "Wind offshore in Poland from investor perspective"

Speech Kamila Tarnacka - Vice President, Polish Wind Energy Association

5.05 - 6.30 p.m.

Panel Discussion: Offshore wind power

Moderator

• Mec. Rafał Hajduk - DZP

Speakers

- Jarosław Broda President of the Board, Baltic Power
- Michał Kołodziejczyk President of the Board, Equinor Polska
- Rafal Libera Group Integration Manager, Acteon
- Paweł Niedzielski Sales Director, Energy Sector of Nokia Solutions and Networks Sp. z o.o.
- Nigel Quinn Chief Executive Officer, Bibbymarine
- Katarzyna Suchcicka General Director, OX2
- Paweł Wróbel Managing Director of BalticWind.EU

6.30 p.m.	Conclusion of the first day	
8.00 p.m.	Gala Dinner	

OPENING SESSIONS

9.00 – 9.30 a.m. Presentations by Honorary Patronages

- Inauguration speech:
 - Anna Clunes Ambassador of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to Poland
- Inauguration speech:
 - Stefan Gullgren Swedish Ambassador to Poland
- Inauguration speech:
 - Beata Daszyńska-Muzyczka President of the Board, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego
- Inauguration speech:
 - dr inż. Wojciech Myślecki Head of the Council, Polish Association of Energy Storage

SESSION FINANCING OF GREEN TRANSFORMATION

9.30 – 10.00 a.m. Speech: Grzegorz Rabsztyn - Head of EIB Group Office in Poland European Investment Bank,

"Financing the energy transformation"

10.00 – 11.30 a.m. Discussion panel: Financing the energy transformation

Moderator

• Dominik Brodacki - Energy Analyst, Polityka Insight

Speakers

- Adam Burda Head of Strategic Customer Department Power Engineering, Fuels and New Technologies, PKO Bank Polski SA
- Anna Chmielewska Senior Banker, European Bank of Reconstruction and Development
- Patryk Demski Vice President of the Management Board for Strategy and Development, TAURON Polska Energia S.A.
- Wojciech Hann President of the Board of BOŚ BANK SA
- Massimiliano Massari Managing Director Energy Industry, Intesa Sanpaolo
- Grzegorz Rabsztyn Head of EIB Group Office in Poland European Investment Bank
- Paweł Strączyński Vice President of the Management Board supervising the Strategy Division
- Tomasz Tomasiak Director at Energy Transformation Department, Polski Fundusz Rozwoju S.A.

11.30 – 12.00 a.m. Coffee break

SESSION TRANSFORMATION TO ZERO EMISSION ENERGY INDUSTRY

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL B

12.00 - 12.15 p.m.

Speech: Representative of United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission

12.15 - 1.30 p.m.

Discussion panel: Nuclear energy - regulatory challenges

Moderator

• Mec. Paweł Grzejszczak - DZP

Speakers

- Thierry Deschaux Managing Director, EDF Branch in Poland
- Dan Dorman the NRC's Deputy Executive Director for Reactor and Preparedness Programs, Office of the Executive Director for Operations, US Nuclear Regulatory Commission
- Mirosław Kowalik CEO of Westinghouse Electric Poland sp. z o.o.
- Dr. Łukasz Młynarkiewicz President of the National Atomic Energy Agency
- Tomasz Nowacki Director of the Department of Nuclear Energy, Ministry of Climate and Environment
- Alan Woods Director Strategy and Business Development for Rolls-Royce's SMR

PARALLEL PANEL – HALL A

12.00 - 1.30 p.m.

Discussion panel: RES - based energy system

Moderator

• Agnieszka Kozłowska - Korbicz - Strategic Projects Director of Soltec

Speakers

- Ewa Drozd Member of the Board of Microsoft
- Albert Gryszczuk President of the Board, Polish Chamber of Energy Clusters
- Andrzej Jeżewski President of the Board of Promet Plast, Energetyczny Klaster Oławski EKO
- Andrzej Kaźmierski Deputy Head of the Department of Low-Emission Economy in MRPiTe
- Jarosław Kotula Product Manager, Asseco Poland
- dr hab. inż. Waldemar Skomudek Vice President, Tauron Dystrybucja SA

1.30 - 2.15 p.m.

Lunch

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL A

2.15 - 2.35 p.m.

Speech: Jacek Szymczak - President of the Board, Polish Chamber of District Heating

Speech: **Artur Michalski** - Vice President of the Board of National Fund for Natural Environment Protection and Water Economy

2.35 - 3.55 p.m.

Discussion panel: Transformation of Polish district heating

Moderator

• Joanna Maćkowiak-Pandera - President of the Board of Energy Forum

Speakers

- Małgorzata Banasik BWW Law Firm
- Marcin Bruszewski President of the Board of the Finnish Section SPCC/Fortum, Region Poland, Head of Legal Affairs
- Jarosław Głowacki Vice President for Technical Matters, PGNiG Termika
- Dr. Dawid Klimczak President of the Board of GreenX Utility Sp. z o.o.
- Ireneusz Krupa Member of the Board of PSG Sp. z o.o.
- Artur Michalski Vice President of the Board of NFOŚiGW
- Bogusław Rybacki President of the Board, Enea Elektrownia Połaniec SA
- Simo Säynevirta Vice President, Digital Lead, ABB Oy
- Jacek Szymczak President of the Board, Polish Chamber of District Heating

PARALLEL PANEL - HALL B

2.15 - 2.35 p.m.

Speech: Roman Szełemej - Mayor of Wałbrzych - "Social Plan for Fair Transition - at Wałbrzyski Region"

Speech: Maciej Zathey - Director of the Institute for Territorial Development "The role of a territorial local government in energy transformation"

2.35 - 3.55 p.m.

Discussion panel: The role of a territorial local government in energy transformation

Moderator

Izabela Sówka D. Sc., prof. WUST - Faculty of Environmental Engineering,
 Wrocław University of Science and Technology

Leader

• Dariusz Maląg - economist, journalist

Speakers

- Krzysztof Kochanowski Vice President, General Director, Polish Energy Storage Association and Electromobility PIME, Vice President of the Board, Hydrogen Poland
- Artur Kowalik Director at Economy Department, Lower Silesia Marshall Office
- David Miller Director of International Diplomacy for C40 Cities
- Łukasz Puźniecki Mayor of Polkowice
- Roman Szełemej Mayor of Wałbrzych
- Katarzyna Szymczak Pomianowska Director of Sustainable Development Department at Municipality of Wroclaw
- Adrian Wołkowski Head of Rudna Commune
- Maciej Zathey Director of the Institute for Territorial Development

3.55 - 4.00 p.m.

Closing of the 7th Energy Congress

4.00 - 4.45 p.m.

Coffee break

^{*} The organiser reserves the right to make changes in the agenda