



### FINAL Agenda

## Third Belgrade Hydrogen Conference: Green Hydrogen as a Roadmap for the Energy Transition 17th - 18th March 2026, Hyatt Regency Belgrade, Serbia

### Day 1 | Tuesday, March 17, 2026

08:00 – 08:45	Registration and welcome coffee
08:30 – 09:00	Press statement
09:00 – 09:30	<p><i>Opening ceremony of the conference, institutional and strategic framework</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Mihailo Vesović</b>, Deputy President, <b>Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Serbia</b></li> <li>• <b>H.E. Edward Ferguson</b>, Ambassador, <b>United Kingdom to the Republic of Serbia</b></li> <li>• <b>H.E. Mrs. Anke Konrad</b>, Ambassador, <b>Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany to the Republic of Serbia</b></li> <li>• <b>H.E. Mrs. Pernille Dahler Kardel</b>, Ambassador, <b>Embassy of the Kingdom of Denmark to the Republic of Serbia</b></li> <li>• <b>H.E. Andreas von Beckerath</b>, Ambassador and Head of Delegation of <b>European Union to the Republic of Serbia</b></li> <li>• <b>Dubravka Đedović Handanović</b>, Minister, <b>Ministry of Mining and Energy of the Republic of Serbia</b></li> </ul>
<b>PANEL I</b>	<b>SHAPING THE REGION'S ENERGY FUTURE: A CEO STRATEGIC DIALOGUE</b>
09:30 – 10:45	<p><i>As renewable energy capacity continues to expand, power systems are facing increasing pressure related to large-scale integration, system stability and long-term investment planning. This high-level dialogue brings together the CEOs of national power utilities to discuss strategic priorities, infrastructure development, the role of hydrogen as an emerging technology, and regional cooperation in advancing the energy transition.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Zoran Stanojević</b>, Radio Television of Serbia (RTS), <b>Journalist and TV anchor</b> <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>David Žarković</b>, Assistant General Director for Power Portfolio Management, <b>Elektroprivreda Srbije</b></li> <li>• <b>Anes Kazagić, PhD</b>, Head of Department for Strategic Development, <b>JP Elektroprivreda Bosne i Hercegovine d.d. – Sarajevo</b></li> <li>• <b>Zdravko Dragaš</b>, General Manager, <b>Electric Power Industry of Montenegro</b></li> <li>• <b>Attila Galambos</b>, Chairman, Western Balkan Committee, <b>Hungarian Chamber of Commerce and Industry</b></li> <li>• Executive/Management Board Member, Power Plants of North Macedonia (ESM)</li> </ul>
10:45 – 11:05	Coffee break and networking in the exhibition area (20 minutes)
<b>PANEL II</b>	<b>H<sub>2</sub> IN 2026: WHERE IS THE HYDROGEN MARKET GOING?</b>
11:10 – 12:15	<p><i>After several years of strategies, roadmaps, and pilot projects, H<sub>2</sub> sector is entering a decisive phase. Focus is shifting from ambition-setting to execution, funding discipline, and prioritization of viable use cases. This panel examines where the H<sub>2</sub> market realistically stands in 2026, which segments are moving forward, and which expectations are being recalibrated. Discussion will explore alignment between policy, industry, and finance, and assess how European H<sub>2</sub> ambitions translate into concrete, investable projects.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Filip Marković</b>, Local Expert, <b>KfW Development Bank</b> <b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Prof. Dr Vladimir Popović</b>, Dean, <b>University of Belgrade – Faculty of Mechanical Engineering</b></li> <li>• <b>Zorana Sekulić</b>, Director of the Directorate for Oil and Gas, <b>Ministry of Energy and Mining, Government of Montenegro</b></li> <li>• <b>Alexander Markus</b>, Executive Board Member, <b>German-Serbian Chamber of Commerce (AHK Serbia)</b></li> <li>• <b>Ivan Delibašić</b>, Director of EU Advocacy, <b>Hydrogen Europe</b></li> </ul>
12:15 – 13:15	Lunch break and networking

<b>Panel III</b>	<b>H2 IN 2026: HYDROGEN MARKET AT A GLOBAL CROSSROAD</b>
13:15- 14:20	<p><i>As hydrogen moves from strategy to implementation, integrated and demand-driven models are proving the most effective. Hydrogen Valleys are emerging as a realistic framework for near-term deployment, linking production, infrastructure and end-use within a single system. This panel explores how industry demand is driving scale, why full value-chain integration matters, and what regions can learn from projects that are already moving forward.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Dinko Đurđević</b>, Founder and CEO, <b>Green Sustainable Solutions, Republic of Croatia</b></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Jozsef Szuper</b>, Director, <b>ENASCO Hungary</b></li> <li>• <b>Mohammed Mohtasib</b>, Operations manager, Energy Efficiency Era, <b>Kingdom of Saudi Arabia</b></li> <li>• <b>Prof. Dr. Robert Szuchy</b>, Expert in Energy Regulation and Renewable Energy Projects, Partner at <b>Szuchy Law Office, Hungary</b></li> <li>• <b>Margherita Matzer</b>, Project Coordinator, <b>HI2 Valley (Austrian Hydrogen Valley), WIVA P&amp;G</b></li> </ul>
14: 20– 14:40	Coffee break and networking in the exhibition area (20 minutes)
<b>Panel IV</b>	<b>INDUSTRY, CO<sub>2</sub> AND HYDROGEN: WHO CREATES REAL DEMAND?</b>
14:40 – 15:50	<p><i>The panel deals with the transition of hydrogen from strategic plans to the real market, with a focus on industrial demand as a key driver of development. Through the perspective of energy-intensive industries and project companies, the discussion raises questions about when, at what price and to what extent hydrogen becomes a viable option, as well as what regulatory and investment circumstances are shaping industry decisions today.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Đorđe Popović</b>, Director, <b>Trivera Energy</b></p> <p><b>Speakers:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Matthias Predojević</b>, Vice President for Corporate Development, <b>Elixir Group</b></li> <li>• <b>Siniša Mauhar</b>, General Manager, <b>Moravacem</b></li> <li>• <b>Miroslav Gligorijević</b>, General Manager, <b>Titan Cement Factory</b></li> <li>• <b>Marko Milić</b>, Director of the Project Management Department, <b>Energotehnika Južna Bačka</b></li> </ul>
<b>16:00</b>	Cocktail networking and the end of the first day

**Day 2 | Tuesday, March 18, 2026**

09:00 – 09:45	<b>Welcome coffee, networking in the exhibition area</b>
09:45 – 09:50	<i>Recap of the first day and introduction to the second day</i>
Presentation	<p>Green Hydrogen: Three executable strategies for competitive pricing</p> <p><b>Low carbon intensity comes with a premium price" – is this the only truth?</b></p> <p><b>Stephen B. Harrison</b>, founder and Managing Director, <b>sbh4 consulting, Germany</b></p>
<b>PANEL V</b>	<b>GREEN HYDROGEN: INDUSTRIAL DEMAND, PRODUCTION AND MARKET COMPETITIVENESS</b>
10:15 – 11:15	<p><i>The panel explores how green hydrogen moves from national strategies and policy frameworks into real industrial demand and scalable production. The discussion focuses on how energy-intensive industries are integrating hydrogen into their decarbonisation pathways, how industrial gas players are building supply chains, and under what conditions green hydrogen can achieve competitive pricing and long-term market viability.</i></p> <p><b>MODERATOR: Mr. Nicolas Michelon</b>, Managing Partner, <b>Alagan Partners</b></p> <p><b>SPEAKERS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Tina Scherf</b>, Managing Director, <b>LE Power GmbH</b></li> <li>• <b>Stephen B. Harrison</b>, founder and Managing Director, <b>sbh4 consulting, Germany</b></li> </ul>

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<b>11:15 – 11:30</b>	Coffee break and networking in the exhibition area (15 minutes)
<b>Panel VI</b>	<b>IS H2 THE MISSING LINK BETWEEN RENEWABLE ENERGY SOURCES AND A STABLE POWER SYSTEM?</b>
<b>11:30 – 12:45</b>	<p><b>Powered by: GO2POWER Consulting</b></p> <p>The rapid expansion of solar and wind capacity is creating new challenges: generation surpluses, curtailment, transmission grid congestion, and the growing need for system flexibility. How can an increasing share of renewable energy be integrated without compromising the stability of the power system?</p> <p>This panel brings together representatives from the solar and wind sectors, grid balancing experts, and research institutions involved in concrete hydrogen pilot projects to address these key questions.</p> <p><b>MODERATOR: Goran Vukojević</b>, general director, <b>Go2Power</b></p> <p><b>SPEAKERS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Miloš Kostić</b>, CEO, <b>MT Komex</b></li> <li>• <b>Miloš Colić</b>, CEO, <b>New Energy Solutions</b></li> <li>• <b>Bojan Bogdanović</b>, Principal, Energy Efficiency and Green Buildings, <b>EBRD</b></li> <li>• <b>Predrag Škobalj</b>, Assistant Director for Technological Development, <b>Institute of Nuclear Sciences "Vinča"</b></li> </ul>
<b>12:45- 13:00</b>	Coffee break and networking (15 minutes)
<b>Panel VII</b>	<b>HOW HYDROGEN MAKES A DIFFERENCE: END-USER SUCCESS STORIES</b>
<b>13:00 – 14:00</b>	<p><i>Beyond strategies and technologies, the true test of H2 lies in its adoption by end users. This panel brings together industrial, municipal, and financial stakeholders to present real-world experiences where H2 solutions have moved beyond concept into operation. Discussion focuses on business logic, risk-sharing mechanisms, and enabling conditions behind successful projects, offering practical insights into why certain applications work—and others do not. The aim is to ground the hydrogen discussion in operational reality and lessons learned.</i></p> <p><b>Moderator: Mr. Hakan Doğu</b>, Chairman of Sustainable Mobility Initiative, <b>Managing Partner of Alagan Partners</b></p> <p><b>SPEAKERS:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Carlos Patricio Pabon Andrade</b>, Business Development Manager International, <b>2G Energy</b></li> <li>• <b>Wang Xuan</b>, General Manager, Belgrade Branch, <b>China Energy International Group (Energy China)</b></li> <li>• <b>Damir Banovec</b>, Manager for the Western Balkans Region, <b>European Energy, Denmark</b></li> <li>• <b>Anna Kontny</b>, Senior Advisor for Western Balkans, <b>German Agentur für Wirtschaft und Entwicklung</b></li> <li>• <b>Andrea Mario Franchini</b>, Senior Strategic Partnership Manager, <b>Siemens Energy</b></li> </ul>
<b>14:15</b>	Networking Lunch and end of the two-day program