MENA DESALINATION PROJECTS

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E V E N T OVERVIEW

The MENA Desalination Projects brought together 300+ regional and international government, stakeholders from the consultants, contractors and suppliers to discuss about the upcoming desalination mega projects in the region and highlight national sustainability visions driving the water agenda.

The supporting government partners of the event were the Saline Water Conversion

Corporation (KSA), Water & Electricity Company (KSA), the Department of Energy (UAE), Sharjah Electricity & Water Authority (UAE), Public Authority for Electricity & Water – DIAM (Oman), Ministry of Electricity & Water (Kuwait), Holding Company for Water & Wastewater (Egypt).

The conference addressed critical issues such as environmental footprint, financial modelling and water security as well water preservation.

Featuring governmental panel discussions as well as industry debates involving the top consultants in the region, this exciting event offered an unparalleled learning curve on the latest technology in the desalination domain delivered by the world's trailblazers.

The MENA Desalination Projects is the largest regional conference on desalination in the Middle East and North Africa.

MENA Desalination Projects was a fantastic event where most important Water **Utilities of the GCC Region** along with other public and private stakeholders share their views about how to move forward in the development of the sector based on sustainability and

most efficient technologies

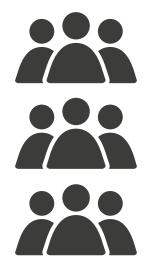
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IN NUMBERS

300 Attendees





10 Countries

Represented

30 Exhibitors & Sponsors







26 Sessions



Awards of Excellence in Sustainability





Project Showcases

EXCELLENCE IN SUSTAINABILITY AWARDS





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Deputy Governor for Operation
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Dr. Rifaat Abdel Wahaab Head of R&D, Holding Co. for Water and Wastewater

WHOATTENDED

Delegates and industry leaders that attended the MENA Desalination Projects included the key government stakeholders, EPC contractors, consultants and solution providers regionally, such as:

- Department of Energy
- Ministry of Electricity and Water Kuwait
- •SWCC
- •SEWA
- WEC
- Abu Dhabi National Energy Company
- Public Authority Of Electricity and Water
- Egyptian Desalination

Research Center of Excellence

- •International Water Management Institute
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- Atkins Global
- WSP
- Acciona Agua
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- PDSI Group
- Holding Company for Water and Wastewater
- Besix
- ACWA Power

- Stantec
- Barka Desalination Company
- Tecexsa
- KWI International Environmental Treatment GmbH
- Acciona Agua
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- Energy Recovery Inc
- SUEZ
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- OBL srl
- •TABEEA Modern Holding
- OsmoTek International
- AFFCO FLOW CONTROL (Shanghai) Co. Ltd.
- Tecexsa
- TECOFI France
- Georg Fischer Piping Systems
- Hepworth
- Aqualia
- AZUD
- DANFOSS
- Al Wasail Industrial Company
- Taldeen Plastic Solutions
- Al-Qaryan Group
- •Turan Makina
- Temak S.A
- Masdar Institute / Khalifa University
- KEOIC

Job Titles

- Chairman
- Under Secretary
- President
- Director
- Water Sector Leader
- Desalination Specialist
- •Head of R&D
- Head of Projects

- •Lead Engineer-
- Desalination Technology
- Project Development Manager
- Business Development Manager
- •Sales Manager

Industries

- Government
- Construction
- Engineering
- Energy & Utilities
- Bankina
- Public and Private Investment Institution



Eng. Abdullah Nasser Alzowaid Deputy Governor for Operation & Maintenance SWCC



HE Mohammed Abdullah Al Mahrougi Chairman DIAM

SPEAKER & PANELLISTS

FROM THIS YEAR'S EVENT



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Peter Dalkeith Scott **Desalination Expert** Khatib Alami



Luhay Khdeir Water Sector Leader Mott Macdonald



Corrado Sommariva CEO & Founder **SWPC**



Imteyaz Ahmad MÉ Head of Desalination WSP



Dr. Mohamed Dawoud Manager Water Resources Department, **Environment Agency** Abu Dhabi



Dr. Amgad Elmahdi Head of MENA region International Water Management Institute



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Esam Al Mulla Manager Sharjah Electricity & Water



Eng. Jamal Shadid Director of Policy Development Department of Energy



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A series of engaging keynote talks from industry-leaders addressed current and upcoming trends and innovations in the desalination domain:

Day 1

- •SWCC's 2030 vision and upcoming desalination projects
- Replacing aged infrastructure through enhanced asset finance
- Executive panel discussion: MENA 2050: Promoting effective stewardship of water resources
- •SWROEnergyEfficiency:Paradigm shift in design and optimization of SWRO plants using GCC seawater conditions
- EPC Contractors briefing:
 an overview of different desalination technologies
- •Dissolved Air Flotation (DAF) as powerful protection against algal attacks
- •Exclusive project showcase of the Al Khobar SWRO 210 MLD desalination plant in KSA
- Industry panel discussion: Risk mitigation through stakeholder management planning
- •Sustainable water development in the region: Ideas and initiatives













Day 2

- •HCWW's 2030 water desalination roadmap and opportunities in Egypt
- Current desalination opportunities in Kuwait presented by the Ministry of Electricity & Water
- IWP v's EPC practical differences for contractors
- •Osmotically assisted reverse osmosis technology for enhanced desalination recovery and brine concentration
- •Renewable energy desalination options for the UAE
- A MENA outlook on current state of water desalination infrastructure

MARKETING & PR REACH

MENA Desalination Projects activated a 9-month promotion industry campaign informing businesses, organisations and delegates about this ground-breaking event, the knowledge of our speakers, the innovations of our exhibitors

and the calibre of our delegates. We reach thousands of desalination industry professionals from across the Middle East and internationally by investing heavily in our multi-channel campaign.



500,000+ Emails Were Sent



300,000+ Online Advertising **Impressions Delivered**



40,000 SMSs Were Sent



68,178,264 Global PR Reach



US\$447,000 Global PR Value



70 Number of Media Outlets

PR REACH

Global campaign reach:

Media attended the exhibition from across the Middle East and internationally from Japan to Italy, India to Saudi Arabia to cover ground-breaking inaugural edition. MENA Desalination **Projects** received coverage from the following regional and international media outlets:

- Abu Dhabi TV
- Al Hurrah TV
- WAM NEWS
- MaritimeSky Network
- Emirates News Agency (WAM)
- •Saudi Gazette
- Gulf News

- Khaleei Times
- •The National
- Al Khaleej
- Middle East Business
- •Trade Arabia
- Roaya News
- Emaratyah
- Alittihad
- Al Roeya.com
- •M.Gomhuria Online
- Albayan
- Oman Daily
- •LE MATIN France
- AlwatanVoice
- Alkhaleei
- Abu Dhabi Env
- UAE Business News
- •Sharjah 24
- Albawabh News
- Gulf 365
- Water Digest
- Business Intelligence

Middle East

Gulf Construction

- Urdu Point
- MENA FN
- •TAQA Global
- Al Press
- MSN News
- Maarif Press
- Al Press Business News
- Alsahwa
- Pakistan Point
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- Middle East Magazine and News
- ZAWYA
- Global Dubai News
- Eye of Riyadh
- •Eye of Dubai
- Algraralaraby New
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- EurAsia Diary
- Alsharq Times

PR COVERAGE













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