



ENERGY TRANSITION IN THE MEDITERRANEAN AREA

**Official presentation of WEC Med Energy
Transition Check-list**

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In this pivotal moment in time, there is more than ever a need to strengthen collaboration and benefit from the possibilities of the unique World Energy Council network to generate and share insights, best practices and know-how, and implement the Humanising Energy agenda together with peers across countries and regions.

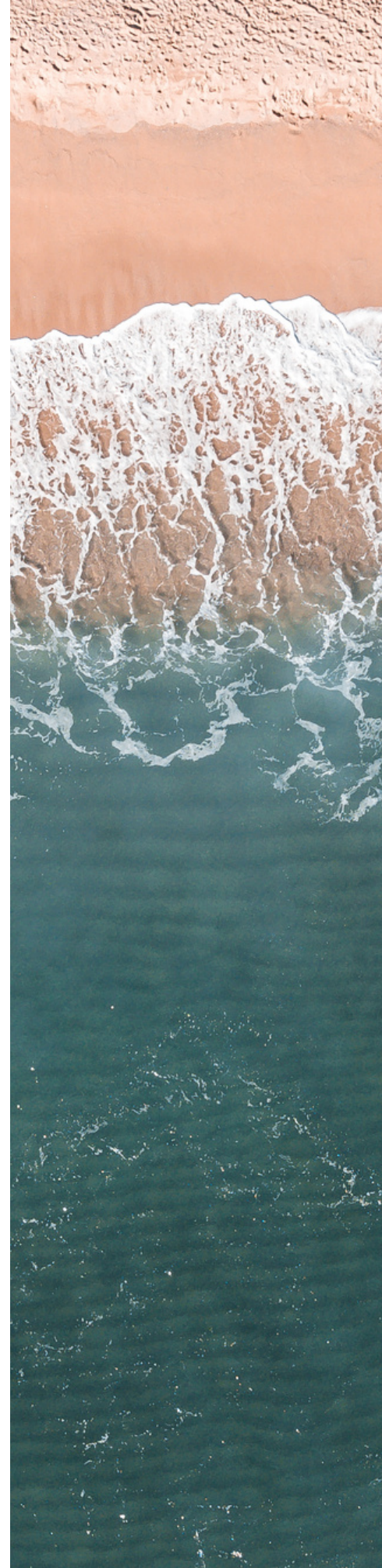
In this Context, WEC Italy (Italian National Committee of the World Energy Council) fosters the international dialogue on Euro MED energy Transition, coordinating the WEC Med cross-regional collaboration initiative, developed in collaboration with OMEC (Organisation Méditerranéenne de l'Energie et du Climat) and WEC General Secretariat, with Vice Chairs of Africa, Europe, the Gulf States and the Middle East, which aims to strengthen regional dialogue and cooperation in the Mediterranean basin.

In the framework of the 26th World Energy Congress of Rotterdam, WEC Italy and OMEC organize a Congress Official Side Event in order to present the results of the first year of work of the Initiative: the WEC MED Energy Transition Checklist, a map of the energy agenda of the Area which highlights the challenges the Region is facing in the medium-long term, a document developed thanks to the contribution of WEC Mediterranean national Committees and the main stakeholders active in the process, including OMEC, MEDREG, MEDTSO, PAM, industry sector and Universities. This will be a unique occasion of strengthening the dialogue between the Mediterranean and European communities on the energy transition process undergoing in the Area.

This Event represents a further step in the in-depth process on the Euro Mediterranean transition started by WEC Italy and OMEC since 2018 with meetings and opportunities for debate with main stakeholders involved in the process.

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AGENDA

10.15 **Welcome and introduction**

MARCO MARGHERI - Chairman, WEC Italy
HOUDA BEN JANNET - Director General, OMEC

10.30 **Institutional Address**

GIORGIO NOVELLO - Ambassador of the Italian Republic to the Kingdom of the Netherlands
STEFANO BESSEGHINI - Chairman, ARERA

10.45 **Mediterranean Energy Transition Checklist**

PAUL APPLEBY - Senior Advisor WEC
HOUDA BEN JANNET - Director General, OMEC
IGOR MALGIERI - Head of International Affairs Edison and expert contributor Transition Checklist
VALERIA PALMISANO - Senior Manager EU Institutional Relations Snam and expert contributor Transition Checklist
BURKHARD V. KIENITZ - Chair, Regional Initiatives, World Energy Council
SEDIKO DOUKA - Commissioner, ECOWAS

Conclusions

BARBARA TERENCEHI - Chair Program Committee World Energy Council

11.35 **Final Remarks**

MICHAEL HOWARD - Chair of the World Energy Council

Moderator: PAOLO D'ERMO - Secretary General, World Energy Council Italy