



Romanian International  
Gas Conference  
4<sup>th</sup> Edition

## Romanian International Gas Conference 4th edition (hybrid)

Bucharest, December 13 - 15, 2021  
Pentagon Events | Bd. Expoziției, Entrance C, District 1

### THE NATURAL GAS SECTOR BETWEEN THE IMPERATIVES OF DECARBONISATION, PRICE AFFORDABILITY AND SECURITY OF SUPPLY

#### DAY 1 | December 13: Moving Towards a Hydrogen Economy. The Role of Blue Hydrogen

- 10:00 – 10:10**      **Conference Opening: Radu Dudău, Director, EPG**
- 10:10 – 10:20**      **Invited speech:** Dan Drăgan , State Secretary, Energy Ministry
- 10:20 – 10:30**      **Invited speech:** Cristian-Silviu Bușoi, Chair, Committee on Industry, Research & Energy
- 10:30 – 12:00**      **PANEL DISCUSSION**
- Panelists:**
- Alexandru Floriștean, Manager Intelligence, Hydrogen Europe
- Oliver Pfann, President of East Europe & Middle East Region, Linde Gas
- Ionuț Ciubotaru, Vice-President for Business Development, OMV Petrom
- Lyubomira Efremova, Manager, External Engagement, Hydrogen and CCUS, BP
- Mihai Bălan, Chief Technology Officer, EPG
- Moderator:** Radu Dudău, Director, EPG
- 12:00 – 12:30**      **Q&A's**

## DAY 2 | December 14: The Importance of Natural Gas in the Romanian Energy Transition

10:00 – 11:30

### PANEL DISCUSSION

#### Panelists:

Theuns Victor, Executive General Manager, Liberty Steel

Emil Miron, General Director, Termonapoca

Franck Neel, Executive Board, Downstream Gas Division, OMV Petrom

Eric Stab, CEO, Engie Romania

Răzvan Nicolescu, Member of the Governing Board, European Institute of Innovation & Technology (EIT)

Lina Strandvåg Nagell, Sustainable Finance & Economy Manager, Bellona Europa

**Moderator:** Mihnea Cătuți, Head of Research, EPG

11:30 – 11:45

#### Concluding Remarks:

George – Sergiu Niculescu, State Secretary, Energy Minister

11:45 – 12:30

#### Q&A's

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## DAY 3 | December 15: Rising Energy Prices and Security of Gas Supply

10:00 – 10:15

Invited speech: Ion Sterian, General Director, Transgaz

10:15 – 11:30

### PANEL DISCUSSION

#### Panelists:

Julian Bowden, Oxford Institute for Energy Studies

Zoltan Nagy-Bege, Vice President, ANRE

Aristotel Jude, General Director, Romgaz

Daniela Daraban, Executive Director, ACUE

Bogdan Văduva, Partner, KPMG

**Moderator:** Cătălin Niță, Executive Director, FPPG

11:30 – 12:00

#### Q&A's

12:00 – 12:30

#### Concluding Session

Andra Ioana, Principal Advisor, Roland Berger

Cătălin Niță, Executive Director, FPPG

Radu Dudău, Director, EPG