

# Message from HAEE's President



In the light of the circumstances related to COVID-19 crisis, the Hellenic Association for Energy Economics postponed its 5<sup>th</sup> HAEE Energy Transition Symposium from mid-May and rescheduled it for Wednesday, September 30 to Friday, October 2 2020, at Theoxenia Palace Hotel, in Kifisia, Athens, Greece.

Despite the uncertainties that may arise during the organization of an international conference, since the coronavirus has not yet left us, the HAEE family has chosen to move forward and, not to cancel, rather adapt its Energy Transition Symposium to the

demands of our time.

Due to the restrictions imposed on conferences and large gatherings, the Plenary Sessions will be strictly attended by Plenary Speakers, Paper Presenters, and Sponsors' Delegates.

The Symposium will be live-streamed through an online platform, offering the opportunity to an energy-related audience to watch in real-time all sessions, **free of charge**. After the end of the event, the recorded sessions will also be available on our website.

Finally, acknowledging the difficult times we have been experiencing during the pandemic crisis, **reduced registration fees** are now offered for those who decide to present their academic paper virtually.

No matter what way you choose to attend HAEE's Symposium, we will be happy to welcome you and go through the latest developments in the energy sector.

Spiros Papaefthimiou President, Hellenic Association for Energy Economics Associate Professor, Technical University of Crete in Greece



## **Symposium Overview and Objectives**

The Energy Transition Symposium focuses on challenging energy, economic and environmental issues and aims at providing an international forum for the exchange of ideas, research results, and experiences among experts and professionals engaged in academic, business, government, national and international organizations.

Europe has set ambitious targets to increase energy efficiency, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and raise the share of renewable energy. Nonetheless, the scenery of South-Eastern European region with multiple changing geopolitical and social conditions, poses serious questions, challenges and opportunities for countries, industries, professionals, and academics. The Symposium will focus on these concerns and it will also provide a close overview of the raised opportunities in the energy sector.

## **Call for Academic Papers**

We are pleased to announce that we anticipate to host more than 50 scientific paper presentations, and about 100 plenary speakers, where CEOs, Presidents of leading energy firms, Directors of key European and International institutions, and policy makers and political leaders from Greece and abroad, will present and debate their views.

We seek high-quality, original papers to be presented in our Symposium. Submitted abstracts should be no more than two pages in length, comprising i. overview, ii. methodological approach, iii. results, iv. discussion and conclusions. Authors may firstly submit an abstract following the procedure, described <a href="here">here</a>. All abstracts will be reviewed by the Symposium's scientific committee and the authors will be notified by e-mail. Information about the registration fees can be found <a href="here">here</a>. Submission of full papers is not obligatory unless the author(s) intend to participate in the proposed publication options.

## The list of topics to be addressed includes, but is not limited to:

- Energy transition and its implications for SE Europe
- Investment opportunities and technological innovations
- Energy revolutions of the 21<sup>st</sup> century
- Circular Economy
- How can countries prepare for the new era of the global energy transition
- Challenges, investment opportunities and technological innovations in the energy sector
- Policies and measures towards a Europe Energy Roadmap to 2050
- Global and EU climate policy and emission trading schemes
- Mitigation and adaptation measures for global and regional environmental challenges
- Regional geopolitical uncertainty and challenges in gas supply and transportation
- Will alternative fuels (such as CNG, LNG, hydrogen, etc.) help swift from the traditional hydrocarbon fuels in the transportation sector?
- LNG and shale gas: security of supply and potential market developments
- Industrial sector: challenges for the transition to a low-carbon economy
- Geopolitics of energy
- Regional energy supply and security
- Energy-related smart grids and their efficient management
- Energy storage developments: the next big revolution
- Smart energy and environmental sensing
- Smart meters and technologically advanced electricity grid options
- Smart cities and their role to emerging energy technologies and consumers' behavior
- Energy efficiency in buildings: EU and regional approaches



- Renewables' penetration in the electricity mix
- Green transportation: how will environmental compliance lead to increased costs
- Ports and airports as energy hubs and prosumers
- Electric vehicles and the future of green transportation
- Behavioral energy economics
- Environmental laws and barriers for their enforcement
- The impact of Covid-19 on the global energy market

## **Key Dates and Deadlines**

Abstracts' submission extended deadline: August 14, 2020

Notification of abstract acceptance: September 4, 2020

Early bird submissions: July 31, 2020

Submission of full papers: September 18, 2020

Symposium's registration fees paid by September 20, 2020

#### **Registration Fees**

For Paper Presenters, the registration fees are listed below.

	Physical Presence		Online Presence	
Paper Presenters	Early Bird (until July 31)	After July 31	Early Bird (until July 31)	After July 31
Paper Presenter IAEE/HAEE Member*	400€	450€	180€	220€
Paper Presenter Non-Member	490 €	550€	220€	260€
Student IAEE/HAEE Member	220€	270€	100 €	140 €
Student Non-Member	280€	320€	120€	160€

<sup>\*</sup>To become a HAEE Member, you can visit the corresponding page <u>here</u>.

#### Important notes

The above fees cover 3-day access to all sessions (plenary and paper presentations), lunches, coffee breaks and symposium material.

If an approved paper has more than one author, only the paper Presenter may register and pay the corresponding fee, as defined above. A paper Presenter cannot present more than one paper.

Withdrawal requests received after September 20 will not be refunded.

Students are especially encouraged to participate and may attend the Symposium at a reduced student registration rate. In addition, students may submit a paper for consideration in the Best Paper Award Competition (cash price plus waiver of Symposium registration fee).



#### **Symposium Chairs**

**Spiros Papaefthimiou**, President, Hellenic Association for Energy Economics; Associate Professor in Energy Management Systems and Energy Efficiency Technologies, Technical University of Crete, Greece

**Kyriaki Kosmidou**, Vice-President, Hellenic Association for Energy Economics; Professor in Banking Finance, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece

**Emilios Galariotis**, Board Member, Hellenic Association for Energy Economics; Professor of Finance, Audencia Business School, Institute of Finance, France

**Manolis Souliotis**, Board Member, Hellenic Association for Energy Economics; Associate Professor of Renewable Energy and Management of Energy Sources, University of Western Macedonia, Greece

#### Scientific committee

**Chair: Georgia Makridou,** Treasurer of the Board of Hellenic Association for Energy Economics; ESCP Business School, UK

George Arampatzis, Technical University of Crete, Greece

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## **Symposium Secretariat**

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## Symposium Venue



Theoxenia Palace Hotel Kifissia is located in the affluent suburb of Kifissia, an exceptional location that puts you close to the best shopping centers and boutiques in Athens, most exclusive restaurants and clubs. Access to downtown Athens is easy by taking the Metro from the Kifissia station, just a short walk from the hotel. In the summertime the area benefits from a cooler climate and less pollution thanks to its raised elevation.

Besides the benefits of staying in the most exclusive

suburb of Kifissia, Theoxenia Palace is within close distance to the National Highway and Marousi, the business district of Athens where the headquarters of most multinational companies in Greece are located.

### Accommodation

Theoxenia Palace offers **limited rooms** at a special rate for the participants of the Symposium. Contact the Symposium Secretariat to book your room.

