AN INTRODUCTORY BRIEF

“To be part of today's fast-paced GLOBAL ENERGY ENVIRONMENT You need to be part of THE WORLD ENERGY COUNCIL”
ABOUT WEC

1. THE WORLD ENERGY COUNCIL (WEC)

The World Energy Council is the principal impartial network of leaders and practitioners promoting an affordable, stable and environmentally sensitive energy system for the greatest benefit of all.

Formed in 1923, the Council is the UN-accredited global energy body, representing the entire energy spectrum, with more than 3000 member organizations located in over 90 countries and drawn from governments, private and state corporations, academia, NGOs and energy-related stakeholders.

The World Energy Council informs global, regional and national energy strategies by hosting high-level events, publishing authoritative studies, and working through its extensive member network to facilitate the world's energy policy dialogue.

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is to promote the SUSTAINABLE supply & use of ENERGY for the greatest benefit of all
THE WEC LEBANON COMMITTEE

The mission of the WEC Lebanon Committee is “to promote sustainable energy for all” through an active involvement in the WEC global energy network.

The WEC Lebanon Committee strives to create a national energy society platform in Lebanon for experts to meet, discuss, and lobby towards the adoption of sustainable energy policies in the country. The WEC Lebanon Committee is hosted by the Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC), offering a platform for the development of the national committee.

The WEC secretariat is supported by a consulting board made of 5 members. The Consulting Board is selected by the General Assembly (active members) for a period of 2 years.

WHY JOIN THE WEC LEBANON COMMITTEE

WEC offers its members a unique opportunity to help shape the energy future through open dialogue and discussion with the most important players in the energy sector.

Through WEC’s vast global network, WEC Lebanon members are eligible to participate in the international energy debate and contribute to finding solutions to important global issues. This reliable network of contacts is invaluable in leveraging and developing new business opportunities for member organizations, nationally, regionally and globally.

By joining the Lebanon Member Committee, energy companies and institutions can gain greater visibility in their own country and in the wider energy community. Members also have access to WEC’s studies, research, data collection, benchmarking, technical work and regional activities to assist them in finding practical solutions to emerging energy issues in the country.
## WEC BENEFITS

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<td>Visibility in all WEC Lebanon Committee events, publications, and announcements</td>
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**Legend:**
- SME: Small and Medium Enterprises
- Gold: Gold Membership
- Platinum Wisdom: Platinum Wisdom Membership
The National Committee actively participates in the high-level events organized by the World Energy Council covering all aspects of the global energy sector. The range of events varies from small workshops on specific technologies to regional and international events to support all relevant stakeholders in the energy sector.

**WORLD ENERGY CONGRESS**

The World Energy Congress is a triennial event and is the world’s main energy event. It provides a platform for energy leaders and experts in all aspects of the sector to gather and address the challenges and opportunities both for energy suppliers and users. The Congress has been staged in over 20 cities across the world and the 24th World Energy Congress will take place in Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates in 2019.
WORLD ENERGY LEADERS’ SUMMITS (WELS)

WELS are organized twice a year by the World Energy Council for its global energy leaders community to enable an ongoing high-level dialogue on critical issues affecting the energy world. WELS are generally held in countries of critical interest to the global energy situation and are co-hosted with the energy minister of the host country.

REGIONAL EVENTS

Regional events are held annually or bi-annually. They are organized by the World Energy Council’s national member committees working in partnership to create a platform to address the challenges facing neighboring countries, regional blocks, and companies seeking solutions in a multilateral environment.
CURRENT & AFFORDABLE in the future
BUSINESS MODELS

struggle to get both

COMPETITIVENESS

ENERGY
The World Energy Council regularly issues studies and publications that guide policymakers and industry leaders to deliver a more sustainable energy system.

The studies include:
- World Energy Resources
- World Energy Trilemma
- World Energy Issues Monitor
- World Energy Scenarios

The Council’s community of young professionals is a network of exceptional individuals from across the globe who represent the different players the energy sectors is composed of, including government, energy industry, academia, civil society and social entrepreneurs.

The Council’s Future Energy Leaders’ programme (FEL-100) is designed to help shape, inspire and grow energy leaders of tomorrow. It serves as a platform for engaging a limited number of ambitious young professionals in national, regional and international activities and events.

The limitation of the size of the group to 100 participants allows the self-development of outstanding young professionals and every year 35 Future Energy Leaders are invited to join the Council’s FEL-100 programme and become part of the exclusive global network of tomorrow’s energy leaders. Nominations are accepted from National Member Committees, Patrons, Global Partners, as well as external stakeholders.
The WEC’s Lebanon member committee has commenced its activities at an official gathering on 9 July 2013 in the capital Beirut.

National events are organized regularly by the WEC Lebanon Committee. Activities aim to share knowledge and best practices, update members on the latest World Energy Council studies, and be actively involved in the energy sector in Lebanon.

**WEC CASUAL GATHERINGS**

The WEC Lebanon Committee organizes several casual gatherings for its members throughout the year. The purpose of the gatherings is to allow the WEC members to interact among themselves and with the secretariat of the WEC Lebanon Committee and to discuss other topics of interest to the WEC members. In each gathering, a guest invitee is present to elaborate more on the ongoing projects taking place in the country, along with the LCEC team working on the pertaining files.

**INTERNATIONAL BEIRUT ENERGY FORUM**

The International Beirut Energy Forum (IBEF) is one of the largest energy events in Lebanon and Middle East dedicated to sustainable energy projects and issues. Since 2013, the WEC Lebanon Committee has become the main sponsor of the IBEF and shows an active participation to all its activities. The WEC Lebanon Committee offers a free of charge entrance to all its members as the event is the main yearly platform to discuss all topics related to renewable energy, energy efficiency, and green buildings.

The WEC Lebanon Committee seeks to maximize the benefits of this event to its members. Every year, the Committee has a strategic booth in the exhibition hall to promote WEC’s main activities and present other opportunities to the WEC members, such as trainings and seminars.
WEC ACTIVITIES

WORLD ENERGY CONGRESS
The WEC Lebanon Committee plays a major role at the World Energy Congress hosted by the World Energy Council. Since 1924, the triennial congress is the world’s largest and most influential energy event covering all aspects of the energy agenda. It offers a unique opportunity for participants to better understand energy issues and solutions from a global perspective.

At the World Energy Congress Istanbul in 2016, there were more than 250 speakers from 100 countries, 5,500 delegates from 151 countries and 50 session in 4 days. The WEC Lebanon Committee along with a delegation from its members attended this event and its different activities.

SEMINARS-BILATERAL COOPERATION PROGRAM-CHINA
The Ministry of Energy and Water and the Chinese Embassy in Lebanon initiated bilateral cooperations to strengthen the partnership between China and Lebanon in the clean energy sector. LCEC, being the national focal point of the clean energy sector in Lebanon, gives the priority to the WEC Lebanon members to attend different seminars in China, which tackle a wide range of topics that are of major importance to the development of the energy sector in Lebanon.

ECOMONDO-ITALY
Ecomondo, the largest event in the Euro-Mediterranean area for advanced and sustainable technologies for processing and recycling all kinds of waste is supported by the Italian Ministry of the Environment, Land, and Sea. The WEC Lebanon Committee gives the chance for its members to take part in this event.

Sustainable TECHNOLOGIES
As part of its capacity building activities, the LCEC prioritizes the participation of the WEC Lebanon Committee and its members. WEC members are eligible to attend these activities with minimal fee or free of charge participation.

The technical workshops and seminars cover different topics such as solar photovoltaic systems, solar water heaters, software use and application and sustainable urban demonstration projects.

The WEC Lebanon members are always informed about upcoming events and seminars through the LCEC weekly “Good-to-Know” emails and the WEC Lebanon Committee’s
WEC LEBANON
NATIONAL COMMITTEE

& be a member of the WEC Lebanon National Committee

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