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29th World Gas Conference (WGC2025)

19-23 May 2025

China National Convention Center Phase 2 Beijing, China



Welcome Message

As the President of the International Gas Union (IGU), I sincerely invite you to the 29th World Gas Conference (WGC2025), which will happen from 19 -23 May 2025 at the China National Convention Center, Beijing, China.

Founded in 1931, IGU is the world's largest and most influential international organisation for the gas industry, dedicated to promoting gas as a key contributor to a sustainable energy future. The World Gas Conference (WGC) is the most important flagship event of IGU, hailed as the premier event of the global gas industry. In 2017, I was elected as the President of IGU for the 2022–2025 triennium, becoming the first Chinese President and the first female President in IGU's history, and won the right for China to host the WGC2025.

For the first time in over 90 years, WGC is coming to Beijing. This event will draw the attention of the whole world to China – the world's third largest gas consumer and the largest importer; and to Beijing – the city of Dual Olympics. The event will bring together national leaders, government officials, presidents and CEOs of large energy companies, international delegates, think tanks and scholars. Exhibitors will include almost all of the top 50 oil and gas companies in energy technology and the entire gas value chain; as well as leading new energy companies.

WGC2025 conference and exhibition will be held at the China National Convention Center. The conference features 100+ sessions including keynote, current debates, industry insights and the technical & innovation centre. There will also be special sessions featuring finance, digitalisation, women and the young leadership programme. WGC2025 is expected to attract more than 3,500 delegates from 70 countries, with an exhibition covering an area of 50,000 square meters (the largest in WGC's history), 300 exhibitors and 30,000 trade visitors.

WGC2025 will provide a multi-level and multi-dimensional platform for sharing the world's energy governance experience and best practices. We will present a top-notch "feast for idea flow".

I look forward to welcoming you to Beijing in May 2025.

Li Yalan

President
International Gas Union

About WGC2025

The World Gas Conference, conducted by the International Gas Union (IGU) since 1931, stands as the world's premier event in the gas and energy industry. Every three years, it convenes leading policymakers, industry executives, and technical experts to shape the global gas and energy agenda.

The 29th World Gas Conference (WGC2025) is set to unfold on 19-23 May 2025 in the vibrant city of Beijing, China. Hosted by Beijing Gas, this world-class conference and exhibition will mark a pivotal moment in Energising a Sustainable Future by driving discussions on clean energy, innovation, and sustainable solutions.

This global event will also spotlight China, a leading force in renewable energy infrastructure, actively investing in global energy development, tackling energy poverty and fostering growth in emerging markets. In addition, as a major LNG import destination alongside Korea and Japan, China plays a pivotal role in the gas supply chain, leveraging its expertise in shipbuilding and engineering. WGC2025 will offer industry peers the opportunity to explore and tap into these dynamic markets and collaborate on the future of the gas and energy industry.



Event in Numbers















About the International Gas Union (IGU)



About **Beijing Gas Group Company Limited**



About Beijing Capital
Group Exhibitions & Events
(BCGEE)

Founded in 1931 the **International Gas Union (IGU)** represents the global gas industry with more than 150 members in over 80 countries, covering over 90% of the global gas market. The working organisation of IGU covers the complete gas value chain, from the supply of natural and decarbonised gas, renewable gas and hydrogen, through their transmission and distribution, and all the way to the point of use.

As the global voice of gas, IGU seeks to improve the quality of life by advancing gas as a key contributor to a sustainable energy future. The IGU is proud to present the premiere global event for our industry – the World Gas Conference.

For more information, visit www.igu.org

With a history of more than 60 years, **Beijing Gas Group** is responsible for the gas projects investment, construction, operation and service in Beijing and nationwide. After years of development, Beijing Gas Group has extended its business scope to cover the whole gas value chain, including the upstream resource development, midstream pipeline and storage building, and downstream business, such as distributed energy and gas-for-vehicles. The vision of Beijing Gas Group is "To Become an Industry-leading and

The vision of Beijing Gas Group is "To Become an Industry-leading and Sustainable Integrated Clean Energy Operator".

Beijing Capital Group Exhibitions & Events (BCGEE), the Exclusive Commissioned Organiser of WGC2025, is a subsidiary of Beijing North Star Limited, a state-owned enterprise in Beijing. BCGEE has over 30 years of experience in four major business sectors, including service and support for high-level state events and business events, venue and hotel operation and management, event organising and hosting, and consulting services in the events industry. It has a team of over 5,000 professionals who are experts in venue design, event management and execution, state and government reception, state banquet curating and delivery, facility operation management, etc. Over the years, BCGEE has emerged as one of China's most influential event brands.

Who Will You Meet at WGC2025?

WGC2025 attracts a diverse and influential group of participants from across the global gas and energy industry. Attendees include:

Industry Leaders and Executives:

C-Level Executives, Chair-people, Presidents, and Senior Executives from leading gas and energy companies

Policy Makers and Regulators:

Government officials, policy advisers, and representatives from regulatory bodies shaping the future of the gas and energy sector

Technical Experts and Engineers:

Professionals specialising in various aspects of gas exploration, production, processing, and distribution

Researchers and Academics:

Scholars and scientists conducting cutting-edge research in energy technologies and sustainability

Investors and Financial Analysts:

Financial professionals focused on investment opportunities and market trends within the industry

Service and Equipment Providers:

Suppliers and service providers showcasing the latest technologies, products, and solutions for the industry

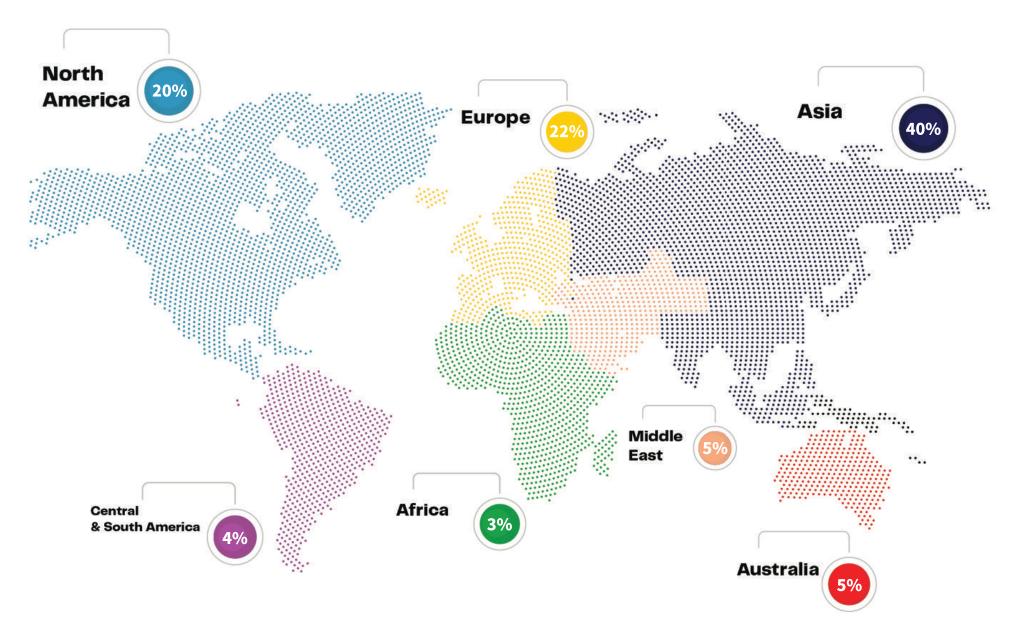
NGOs and Advocacy Groups:

Organisations dedicated to environmental sustainability, energy policy, and industry standards

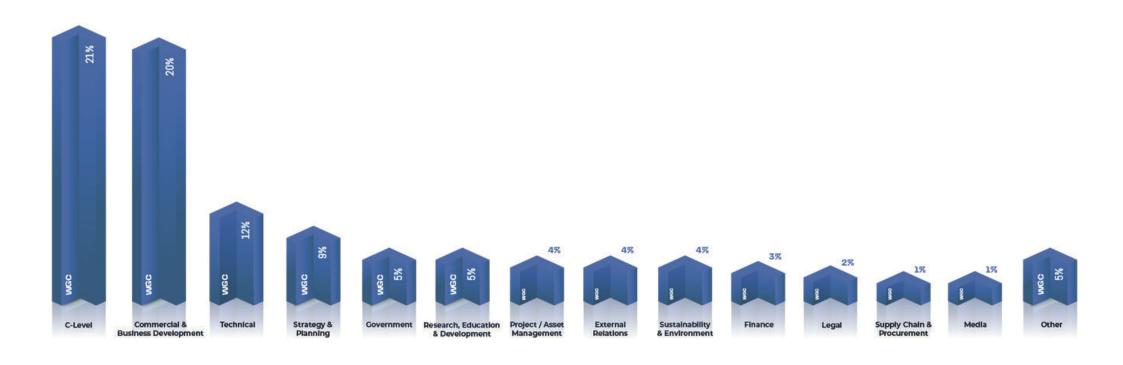
Media and Press:

Journalists and media representatives covering the latest developments and trends in the sector

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WGC2025 Conference Programme

Driving the Global Gas and Energy Conversation in Beijing, China

Under the theme **Energising a Sustainable Future**, WGC2025 will explore current themes including clean energy, energy security, the integration of gas and renewable energy sources, the advancement and application of hydrogen, digital transformation and more.

The conference programme will be presented through Plenary, Current Debates, Industry Insights, and Technology & Innovation Centre sessions.



Tuesday 20 May 2025

Opening Ceremony

Do not miss the spectacular WGC2025 Opening Ceremony, where we will kick off the conference with inspiring speeches, captivating performances, and a celebration of innovation in the global gas and energy industry. Join industry leaders, policymakers, and delegates from around the world as we set the stage for a transformative week of insights, collaboration, and progress. This grand event promises to energise and inspire all attendees as we embark on this exciting journey together.

Plenary

Immerse yourself in the dynamic discussions and insights of the WGC2025 plenary sessions with industry leaders, policymakers, and visionaries. Explore pressing challenges and exciting opportunities in the global gas and energy sector, from sustainability and innovation to geopolitical factors and market trends. The plenary sessions will include keynotes and leadership dialogues, providing a curated lineup that offers diverse perspectives and thought leadership, shaping the future trajectory of the gas and energy landscape.

Plenary Sessions

- 1. Energising A Sustainable Future
- 2. The Energy Policy Landscape
- 3. The Global Energy Transition
- 4. The Diversity of Gas Development Globally
- 5. The New Financial Directions of the Energy Industry
- 6. What is the Future of Global LNG?
- 7. Digitalisation and Technological Innovation to Create a
- Sustainable Future
- 8. The Role of Natural Gas in Future Energy Systems

Keynote Luncheons

Engage in stimulating discussions with top leaders in the global gas and energy industry. Gain valuable insights and network with key decision-makers, exploring the future of energy in an intimate and interactive setting over lunch. Don't miss this unique opportunity to connect, learn, and be inspired.



Submit your Call for Abstracts to speak at our **Industry Insights** and **Technology & Innovation Centre** sessions!

SUBMIT NOW

Current Debates

The Current Debates programme features riveting discussions led by industry experts, delving into topics ranging from sustainability challenges to emerging market dynamics and technological innovations. Engage with the forefront of industry discourse as experts present diverse perspectives, challenge conventional thinking, and drive the conversation forward.

Current Debates Sessions

CD01: Building a Resilient Energy System

CD02: Addressing the Energy Trilemma

CD03: China's Natural Gas Development Prospects

CD04: Accelerating the Mitigation of Methane Emissions through Collaboration

CD05: Challenges and Opportunities for the Infrastructure of the Natural Gas Industry

CD06: Investing in Low and Zero Carbon Technologies

CD07: Al as an Accelerator for the Digital and Intelligent Transformation of the Natural Gas Industry

CD08: LNG Market Outlook and Investment Prospects

CD09: The Future of New Gases

CD10: Energy and Climate Policy Shaping a Low-Carbon Energy Future

CDII: Navigating Global Gas Price Volatility

CD12: Transition Finance for Long-term Gas Industry Development

CD13: Gas in Europe: The Role of Natural Gas in Accelerating the Energy Transition

CD14: Development of Smart Energy Systems

CD15: "Natural Gas + CCS/CCUS" as a Feasible Solution to Achieving Decarbonisation

CD16: Smart-tech and Multi-energy Integration into Gas-fired Distributed Energy Resources

CD17: Is it time to develop a unified global LNG trading model?

CD18: How ESG Regulations and Policies Guide the Sustainability of the Gas Industry

CD19: Shared Prosperity: Belt and Road Energy Cooperation

CD20: Investment in the Exploration and Development of Natural Gas Resources

CD21: Gas in the Americas: Unlocking Market Potential

CD22: Natural Gas Enabling a Resilient, Secure, and Decarbonised Power System

CD23: Natural Gas Pipeline Network Operations

CD24: Gas in the Asia-Pacific: The Engine of Global Gas Growth

CD25: The Construction, Operation, and Growth of LNG Terminals

CD26: Gas in Africa: Natural Gas as An Ideal Choice

CD27: The Continued Investment of Gas Infrastructure

CD28: LNG Shipbuilding and LNG Transportation

CD29: Is Natural Gas a Destination Fuel for New Energy Systems?

CD30: How Can Carbon Pricing Facilitate Decarbonisation of the Energy Sector?

CD31: Balancing Supply and Demand Between Gas Importing and Exporting Countries

CD32: Technological Innovation for Safe Operations of Gas Distribution

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IndustryInsights

This programme provides invaluable information, data, and knowledge pertaining to the gas and energy industry. Businesses, policymakers, investors, and other stakeholders frequently leverage these insights to make well-informed decisions, spot trends, and stay competitive.

Technology & Innovation Centre

The Technology & Innovation Centre sessions showcase recent advancements and breakthroughs across a spectrum of technological fields, with the potential to profoundly enhance our everyday lives, industries, and societal structures. These innovations entail the fusion of scientific expertise and imaginative thinking to devise new products, processes, or systems.



Professional Training Classes and Young Leadership Programme

Join these initiatives at WGC2025 to advance your career and contribute to the future of the industry. Enhance your skills and knowledge with our Professional Training Classes, designed to equip you with the latest techniques and insights. The Young Leadership Programme offers unique opportunities for mentorship, networking, and leadership development.

More information will be announced soon.

WGC2025 Programme Overview

| MONDAY 19 MAY | TUESDAY 20 MAY | | WEDNESDAY 21 MAY | | THURSDAY 22 MAY | | FRII | DAY 23 MAY |
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| REGISTRATION & CULTURAL EXCHANGE ACTIVITY 9:00-17:00 | OPENING CEREMONY 9:00-9:30 | | PLENARY 9:00-10:15 | TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION CENTRE SESSIONS | PLENARY 9:00-10:15 | k innovation Essions | CURRENT DEBATES 9:00-9:45 | |
| | PLENARY 9:30-10:45 | | | | | | COFFEE BREAK 9:45-10:00 | |
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| | PLENARY 11:00-12:00 EXHIBITION OPENING | | | | | TECHN | COFFEE BREAK 11:00-11:15 WGC2025 CONCLUSIONS | |
| | | | CURRENT DEBATES 11:45-12:30 | | CURRENT DEBATES 11:45-12:30 | | 11:15-12:15 CLOSING CEREMONY | |
| | CEREMONY | | | TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION CENTRE SESSIONS | | | | 2:15-12:45 |
| | LUNCHTIME 12:30-13:45 | | LUNCHTIME 12:30-13:45 | | LUNCHTIME 12:30-13:45 | | LEGEND | |
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| | PLENARY 13:45-15:00 | TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION CENTRE SESSIONS | PLENARY 13:45-15:00 | | PLENARY 13:45-15:00 | | | Industry Insights |
| | COFFEE BREAK 15:00-15:30 | | COFFEE BREAK 15:00-15:30 | | COFFEE BREAK 15:00-15:30 | | | Plenary Sessions |
| | INDUSTRY INSIGHTS 15:30-17:00 | | INDUSTRY INSIGHTS | | INDUSTRY INSIGHTS | TECHNOLOG | | Current Debates |
| | | | 15:30-17:00 | | 15:30-17:00 | | | Coffee / Lunch Break |
| WELCOME RECEPTION | | | | | NETWORKING RECEPTION 18:30-20:00 | | | Technology & Innovation Centre Sessions |
| 18:30-20:00 | | | | | | | | Registration / Conclusions |

Networking Opportunities

WGC2025 offers five days of invaluable networking with key decision makers, providing opportunities to connect with like-minded industry professionals who can enhance your business. Conference delegates are invited to join these networking opportunities at WGC2025.











Monday 19 May 2025

Welcome Reception

Join us at the Welcome Reception for an exceptional networking opportunity set against the backdrop of China's unique charm. Connect with industry leaders and peers as you experience the rich culture, exquisite cuisine, and vibrant atmosphere of Beijing. This unforgettable evening promises to kick off the conference with meaningful connections and a taste of China's hospitality.





Thursday 22 May 2025

Networking Reception

A key opportunity to connect with fellow delegates, industry leaders, and experts in a relaxed and engaging environment. Enjoy delightful refreshments and stimulating conversations as you build valuable relationships and exchange ideas. Don't miss this chance to expand your network and gain new insights at WGC2025.

Closing Ceremony

Join us for the unforgettable WGC2025 Closing Ceremony, where we will celebrate the achievements and insights gained throughout the week. Reflect on the meaningful discussions, innovative solutions, and new connections forged over the week. This ceremony marks the culmination of our shared journey, leaving you inspired and energised to drive the future of the global gas and energy industry. Don't miss this chance to bid farewell to new friends and colleagues, and to anticipate the exciting advancements ahead.





Technical and City Tours

WGC2025 will feature Technical Tours and City tours of Beijing, providing participants with unique opportunities to explore cutting-edge technologies and advancements at local facilities, as well as experience the city's rich cultural heritage firsthand. Make the most of your time outside the conference to discover this dynamic city and build lasting memories with industry peers.

Sponsors and **Exhibitors (Part)**

Meet the WGC2025 sponsors and exhibitors, where the world's leading international gas and energy producers, service companies, and technology suppliers come together. Supported by industry giants, these exhibitors will showcase groundbreaking projects and cutting-edge technologies, offering unparalleled insights and opportunities in the global gas and energy industry.







































































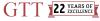








































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Floor Plan

The WGC2025 exhibition has three themed zones and twelve areas, covering the entire gas value chain and other relevant industries.

Conference Area L3 Conference Area L2 Exhibition E 115 CNCC II Exhibition B Exhibition A **Exhibition** Area L1 Tianchen Road East **Exhibition** Area B1 Exhibition D **Exhibition Area** Opening Ceremony / Closing Ceremony | Plenary | TWP2025-2028 Release Forum **Networking Reception** Welcome Reception Registration &I Centre **Dining Area** Coffee Area Functional Area (Outdoor) Tea-break Area Lounge Cultural Experience Area

The specialist areas include:

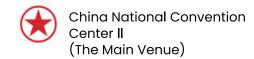
- Innovation in China
- Green Transformation
- Energy Technology
- Energy and Finance
- Energy Digitalisation
- Energy Internet
- Liquefied Natural Gas
- Engineering Construction
- Storage and Transportation
- Safety Management
- New Energy Applications (including hydrogen)
- Gas and energy related fields
- Consulting, insurance, information communication, finance etc.

Hotel Map



As the conference approaches, we understand the importance of good accommodation to enhance your overall experience. To ensure your stay is as comfortable and seamless as possible, we have carefully curated a selection of top-rated hotels, offering the perfect blend of luxury, convenience, and proximity to the event. Whether you seek the elegance of a five-star experience or the charm of boutique lodgings, our recommended options cater to a variety of preferences and budgets. We will continue to update this list with new selections, ensuring you have the best choices at your fingertips.

For hotel reservations: www.wgc2025.com Group booking: hotel@wgc2025.com



5-Star Hotel

4-Star Hotel

3-Star Hotel

Hotel Information



China National Convention Center Grand Hotel

♥ Building 1, No.8 Precincts, Beichen West Road, Chaoyang District



Beijing Continental Grand Hotel

No.8 Beichen East Road, Chaoyang District



Celebrity International Grand Hotel

No99, Anli Road, Chaoyang District

★★★★ 20 minutes drive from the venue

Renaissance Beijing Haidian Hotel

 Building 6, NO.8 North street. Dongsheng science and technology park, Haidian District ★★★★ 10 minutes walk from the venue

InterContinental Beijing Beichen

No.8 Beichen West Road, Chaoyang District

★★★★ ↑ minutes drive from the venue
North Star Huiyuan Service
Apartment Prime Hotel

No.8 North Star East Road, Chaoyang District

★★★★ 7 minutes drive from the venue

Comfort Suites Olympic Park

Beijing

♦ 302 Hui Zhong Bei Li, Chaoyang District

★★★★ 20 minutes drive from the venue

Gloria Plaza Hotel

◆ C-6, dongsheng science and technology park zhongguancun, No.66 ★★★★ 5 minutes drive from the venue

V-Continent Beijing Parkview Wuzhou Hotel

No.8 North Si Huan Zhong Road, Chaoyang District

★★★ 7 minutes drive from the venue

North Star Yayuncun

Hotel

No.8 North Star East Road, Chaoyang District

★★★★ 20 minutes drive from the venue

Shangri-la Beijing

9 29 Zizhuyuan Road

ExperienceBeijing, China

Immerse yourself in the rich tapestry of culture, history, and innovation that Beijing offers during WGC2025. From iconic landmarks like the Great Wall and the Forbidden City to bustling markets and delectable cuisine, Beijing promises an unforgettable experience.

WGC2025 will be held at the prestigious China National Convention Centre Phase 2, located in the heart of Beijing's Olympics central area. This iconic venue will host our world-class event, contributing to the vibrancy of the region and enhancing the overall significance of WGC2025. With excellent connections to the city's extensive transport system, navigating around is convenient and efficient. Take advantage of your time outside the conference to explore this dynamic city and create lasting memories alongside your industry peers.

Visa Policy for Business Travel to China

Make sure to check the visa requirements for entering China and scan the QR code for more information on visa applications and requirements. Apply for your visa well ahead to avoid delays.

Additionally, while in China, it's important to follow Chinese laws and regulations closely.





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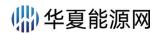












































Energising a Sustainable Future

Don't miss this unparalleled opportunity to connect in Beijing to explore innovative solutions, forge new partnerships, and drive progress together.



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