

Roundtable with KEZAD Group: Strengthening UK-UAE Energy Collaboration

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Appendix 1 - EIC's UAE Market Update





The Energy Industries Council (EIC), in partnership with KEZAD Group, have invited industry leaders to take part in an exclusive roundtable discussion aimed at strengthening collaboration between leading UK energy companies and one of the UAE's most forward-thinking industrial and logistics hubs.

This roundtable brings together senior representatives from KEZAD Group and UK energy sector leaders for a high-level, in-person dialogue on the evolving energy landscape in the UAE and broader MEASA region. Participants will explore strategic opportunities for expansion, collaboration, and innovation, with a focus on:

- Understanding the UAE's industrial and economic growth priorities
- Identifying areas for partnership in clean energy, technology, and sustainability
- Gaining insight into how KEZAD Group supports international companies entering the region
- Sharing experiences and practical considerations for scaling operations in the UAE







Event details:

Date: Tuesday 24th June 2025 **Time:** 10:15-12:30

Location: Schneider Electric, 2nd Floor, 80 Victoria Street, London, SW1E 5JL

Agenda:

10:15	Delegate Arrival
10:30	Introduction - Neil Golding, Director of Market Intelligence, Energy Industries Council
10:35	Welcome - Mohamed Al Khadar Al Ahmed, CEO, KEZAD Group
10:40	KEZAD Presentation - Cem Kurkcuoglu, Manager of Commercial & BD, KEZAD Group
10:50	Roundtable Discussion - Strengthening UK-UAE Energy Collaboration
11:30	Closing Remarks
11:35	One-to-One KEZAD meetings
12:30	Event Close







About EIC:

EIC is the world's largest, energy-agnostic trade association, supporting companies that supply goods and services to the world's energy industries. The EIC is a not-for-profit organisation with a membership of over 800 companies worldwide. EIC helps its members to export, diversify and grow, working with companies ranging in size from the world's largest operators, contractors, operators and manufacturers, through to SME's and more specialised product and service companies.



Neil Golding
Director of Market Intelligence, EIC



Chris ShirleyMarket Intelligence Manager, EIC



Mahmoud Habboush Communications Advisor, EIC





About KEZAD Group:

KEZAD Group is the UAE's largest provider and operator of fully integrated economic cities, free zones, value-added business services, staff accommodation, and industrial real estate solutions. It offers a direct route into the UAE, one of the most business-friendly economies in the region and serves as a launchpad into the wider Middle East, Africa, and South Asia (MEASA) markets. For UK companies looking to grow internationally, KEZAD provides a low-barrier, high-potential entry point.



Mohamed Al Khadar Al Ahmed Chief Executive Officer, Khalifa Economic Zones, Abu Dhabi



Jameela Ahli Director - Commercial & BD - EC & FZ







Cem Kurkcuoglu Manager - Commercial & BD



Yousef Hasan Bin Humaidan Al Zaabi Director - Stakeholder Management & Strategic Partnership - EC & FZ - CEO Office - Economic Cities & Free Zones





VENUE HOST



Schneider Electric:

Schneider Electric's purpose is to create Impact by empowering all to make the most of our energy and resources, bridging progress and sustainability for all. At Schneider Electric, we call this Life Is On.

Our mission is to be the trusted partner in sustainability and efficiency. Technology and data accelerated by artificial intelligence, deliver progress in a complex world. This new frontier requires bold and intentional commitment against climate change, harnessing both the supply and demand sides of the energy transition.





About Abu Dhabi Investment Office:

Our team helps investors and companies of all sizes establish their business, grow and develop in Abu Dhabi.

As the central government hub supporting investment in Abu Dhabi, we are committed to growing the emirate's private sector and diversifying its economy.

In fostering Abu Dhabi's innovation ecosystem, we enable opportunities that support long-term, sustainable success for investors and businesspeople based in the emirate and across the region.



Hana Alali Country Manager, Abu Dhabi Investment Office





About A UK Trade and Infrastruture Enterprise Limited (AUKTIE)

AUKTIE (A UK Trade and Infrastructure Enterprise Limited) is a UK-based consultancy at the forefront of sustainable infrastructure and ESG advisory. With over two decades of experience across Europe and Africa, we specialise in delivering climate-resilient, commercially viable, and innovation-driven solutions for governments, investors, and enterprises navigating the green transition.



Patrick Ogunnowo CEO, AUKTIE



Glory Mornu
Executive Assistant to the CEO, AUKTIE





About BMG Financial Group:

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Roundtable Participant:



Nasser Salem Lawyer, BMG Financial Group





About ERM:

Our purpose is the driving force behind the way ERM shows up for clients and society. 'Shaping' means we are actively influencing, collaborating and co-creating 'a sustainable future' has been defined through the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). And "with the world's leading organizations" inspires collaboration with our clients and society's most prominent changemakers alike in order to make a difference through our work.

We continue to innovate and invest to ensure we have up-to-date capabilities and the broadest set of skills to support our clients' needs and deepen our impact at any level of their business. At the same time, ERM values remain constant – accountability, client focus, collaboration, empowerment, care for our people and transparency.



Rob AgarwalPartner - Diversified Energy, ERM





About Kelvion:

We are the leading global developer and manufacturer of heat exchange solutions. Renowned for our commitment to innovation and sustainability, we deliver cutting-edge thermal management solutions that empower customers to ensure reliable, efficient and sustainable operations.

Our extensive portfolio serves a wide range of applications such as data centres, blockchain technology, hydrogen production, heat pumps, marine, HVAC, refrigeration, and the food and beverage industry. Our global sales, service and production network ensures that we are always available to support customers wherever they are in the world.



Daniel Whitton
Sales Manager - Power, Energy, Oil & Gas, and
GreenTech - UK & Ireland, Kelvion





About Majlis Energy:

A financial and project development firm, with focus on the energy infrastructures, Majlis Energy supports its clients with a wide range of services from the early stage of the project to the operations.

The client can benefit from Majlis having a unique interface from the feasibility study, tailoring the business, operations and financial needs to its own profile. Majlis team accompanies the project from the beginning, sitting on managerial position sharing the complete experience with the final client, which become a real partner.



Francis Akpata Chief Executive Officer, Majlis Energy





About Modular Clinton Global:

MCG is a London/Montreal-based company focusing on Blockchain-enabled supply chain traceability and carbon visibility solution in the emerging Physical Internet (PI) era.



Clinton Liu Director, Modular Clinton Global





About PD & MS Group:

PD&MS is a multi-disciplined EPCC offering specialist services to the energy sector. As a flexible, full-service provider committed to supporting the transition, we deliver high quality work across the entire lifecycle of assets within the oil and gas, renewables and nuclear sectors. Our clients trust us to work with them as strategic partners, improving resource flexibility and maximising return.



Laura Stewart
Business Development Director, PD & MS Group





About Transcar Projects:

Transcar Projects is one of Europe's leading privately held project freight forwarders. Utilising our ability to provide a more personalised service whilst also being large enough to manage and execute multi-million dollar freight contracts, we pride ourselves on repeat business from many of the World's largest Engineering Companies and Oil Majors.

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Nadia Lewis
Business Development & Commercial Manager,
Transcar Projects





About TRS Workforce Solutions:

TRS works around the world finding and connecting the best talent with businesses and organisations that: design, build, operate, maintain, or support the production of goods and services for a variety of industry sectors covering; oil, gas, chemicals, infrastructure, life sciences, manufacturing, maritime, mining, power, renewable energy, and public sector.



Paul Mudd
Business Development Director, TRS
Workforce Solutions





Thank you for attending

Thank you for joining the Roundtable with KEZAD Group: Strengthening UK-UAE Energy Collaboration. We hope you found the discussion insightful and informative.

To help us improve future sessions, please take a moment to complete the feedback survey below and share your thoughts.

If you have any follow-up questions or require further information, feel free to get in touch with Sarah McKenzie at the Energy Industries Council (sarah.mckenzie@theeic.com).

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