

Global Methane Initiative

Oil & Gas Subcommittee Meeting

18 April 2018

Agenda

- 10:20–10:25 Introductions and Welcoming remarks
- 10:25–10:45 Adoption of the Revised Oil and Gas Action Plan
- 10:45–10:55 Discussion on upcoming meetings and activities
- 10:55–11:45 Partner Country updates
- 11:45–11:50 Path forward/next steps

Main Goals and Objectives for this Subcommittee Meeting

- Adopt the O&G Subcommittee Action Plan to better align with member needs and GMI mission
- Discuss ways to leverage resources and streamline activities with participating partners (e.g. CCAC's OGMP and UNECE)
- Discuss recent methane reduction activities and achievements by the partner countries, organizations, and project network members (as time permits)

Oil and Gas Subcommittee - Statement of Purpose

The **Oil & Gas Subcommittee** is committed to providing international leadership to mitigate global methane emissions through the abatement, recovery and use of methane from oil and gas operations as a clean energy source.

The Oil & Gas Subcommittee encourages collaboration between delegates from Partner Countries and Project Network members to build capacity, develop strategies and markets and remove technical and non-technical barriers to methane mitigation project development in order to increase environmental quality, improve operational efficiency and strengthen the economy, from the additional gas brought to market.

Oil and Gas Subcommittee - Structure

- Chairs/Co-Chairs (up to 3)
 - Lead strategic vision
 - Nominated by Partner Country
 - Two year term (can be extended by subcommittee)
- Subcommittee Membership
 - Open to any and all Partner Country Delegates and Project Network members as well as collaborating organization representatives
- Collectively, through **consensus** they:
 - Set a robust management structure
 - Provide institutional leadership and consistency
 - Engage the Project Network members
 - Maintain an open and welcoming forum

Oil and Gas Subcommittee Key Activities (2016-2017)

- **Participated in 8 workshops and meetings**
- **Held 6 stakeholder meetings with Partner countries and/or Project Network Members**
- **Conducted 5 on-site studies, including methane measurement and site surveys**
- **Provided technical assistance and outreach**

For More Information

- GMI maintains an extensive website at:
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Revised Oil and Gas Action Plan

Moderated by James Diamond

Oil and Gas Subcommittee Co-Chair



2018 Action Plan - Outline

- 1. Establish long-term relationships**
- 2. Develop tools and resources to enhance**
- 3. capacity building efforts**
- 4. Identify and address barriers to projects**
- 5. Identify country-specific needs and opportunities**

Areas for Discussion

- **Objective 2 (Capacity Building)**
 - Determine the capacity building needs of GMI subcommittee members and communicate them effectively
 - Participate in/provide input to relevant oil and gas methane management studies and work products

- **Objective 3 (Barriers)**
 - Prepare a prioritized list of key project barriers
 - Conduct meeting sessions
 - Identify financing options and mechanisms to assist

- **Objective 4 (Country-Specific Needs)**
 - Assist Partner Countries with Methane Action Plans

GMI Upcoming meetings and activities

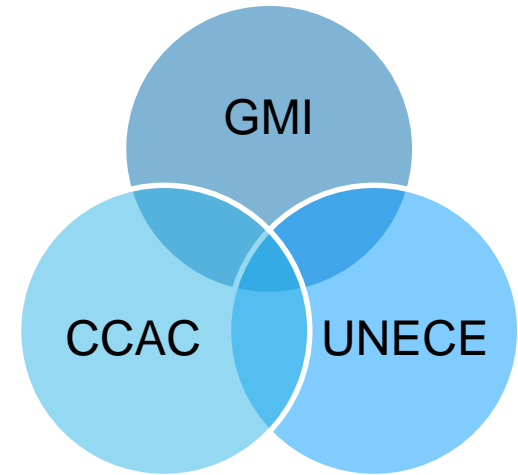
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GMI Oil and Gas Strategic Alliances

Allows for more effective collaboration and knowledge-sharing for methane mitigation



- 1) Seek to coordinate and cobrand activities/meetings
- 2) Share technical resources and support the development of work products
- 3) Streamline on the ground efforts (i.e., measurement studies) to maximize impact

Moving Forward

- Co-locate GMI Oil and Gas Subcommittee annual meetings with UNECE Group of Experts on Gas meetings (2019)
- Support the development/dissemination of GMI/UNECE Best Practice Guidance for reducing methane emissions from the (1) upstream oil and gas industry, and the (2) downstream gas industry
 - Case studies and BMPs for MRV and reducing methane emissions
 - Development of training modules
 - Capacity-building seminars and workshops

Partner Country Updates

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