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Financing the transition to climate neutrality in the Mediterranean: Who, How, and When.

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Grammenos Mastrojeni.

Italian diplomat, professor and writer who has focused for the past 25 years on the societal, geo-strategic and economic impacts of environmental degradation, as well as on topics related to environmental protection, human cohesion, peace and security. He has taught sustainability and conflict resolution in various universities in Italy and abroad, and in 2009, the Ottawa University in Canada entrusted him with the first class by a University on the issue of Environment, resources and geostrategy.

Formerly, until August 2019, he was the Coordinator for the Environment and Head of the Science-Policy Interface at the Italian Development Cooperation, heading Italian delegations on lands,

water and oceans and joining negotiations on climate and biodiversity. Chair of the UN Mountain Partnership, and Co Chair of the Global Islands Partnership, he is President of the largest Italian association for sustainable development education “Isola della Sostenibilità” and member of the Scientific Boards of numerous university courses and entities.



Houda Ben Jannet.

General Director of the Observatoire Méditerranéen de l'Energie (OME) since 2013. She has also headed the Secretariat of the UfM Gas Platform since 2016.

She joined OME in 1992 and served in several positions, with a special focus on renewable energy and sustainability issues.

Dr. Ben Jannet graduated in energy economics from Institut Français du Pétrole (IFP), & University of Paris 2, and holds a PhD from Ecole des Mines.

In the academic field, she served as Guest Lecturer at Ecole des Mines de Paris, Ecole Normale Supérieure (ENS), University of Versailles, Institut National des Sciences et Techniques Nucléaires & Ecole des Ingénieurs de la Ville de Paris. www.ome.org



Kamel Ben Naceur.

CEO for Nomadia Energy Consulting, based in Abu Dhabi. He is the 2022 President of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, with 140,000 members worldwide. He is also the Chairman for DAMORPHE, a US-based innovative nano-technology company.

He was previously the Chief Economist for Abu Dhabi National Oil Company (ADNOC). Prior to that, he was the Director for Sustainability, Technology and Outlooks at the International Energy Agency, where his team developing the World Energy Outlook, the Energy Technology Perspectives, Climate Policy and CCUS publications.

In 2014, he was appointed Tunisia's Minister for Industry, Energy and Mines, where he led the development of new renewable laws, energy efficiency regulations, and rationalization of energy subsidies. From 1981 to 2013, he held key positions with Schlumberger,

including Chief Economist and Technology Center President. His assignments with Schlumberger included France, USA, UK, Algeria, Venezuela, UAE, Egypt, Russia, and Brazil.

He has more than 40 years of experience and knowledge in the energy and industry sectors around the world in both public and private service and is the (co-)author of 19 books and over 150 publications, in addition to several technology-related patents.

He has received several SPE/AIME Awards, including the Distinguished Member, the Distinguished Service, AIME Charles Rand Gold Memorial, and the Sustainability and Stewardship in the Oil and Gas Industry Award, and he was a SPE Distinguished Lectured. He is the recipient of the Commandeur de l'Ordre de la République (Tunisia), de la Médaille d'Or de la Ville de St Etienne (France).



Eefje Schmid.

Head of Policy and Impact Unit at EIB Global's newly created Strategy & Partnerships Department covering countries outside the EU. Previously EIB Group Representative in Germany and active in various functions at the EIB's Operational Lending Directorate (mostly Trust Funds & Blending). Before joining EIB, served at the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development in charge of the EuroMediterranean Partnership.

Earned her PhD at Potsdam University and completed postgraduate studies at the German Institute of Development and Sustainability (IDOS).

Mohamed Mostafa El-Khayat – Executive Chairman, NREA.



Matteo Restelli.

Interim Chairman of the Investment Needs and Financing Infrastructure Committee of the Observatoire Méditerranéen de l'Energie.

Development Director of Gas Assets at Edison and Executive BD Director at IGI Poseidon S.A, development company focused on infrastructures in SEE and MENA region, he benefits from 20 years involvement in the development of large-scale international infrastructures over the different businesses and value chain of energy industry. He graduated in Mechanical Engineering.



Vincent Chauvet.

Following his preparatory classes at the Lycée Louis-Le-Grand in Paris, he joined HEC Paris, obtained a degree in History at the Sorbonne, then joined SciencesPo Paris, graduating in 2011 from the Master Corporate and Public Management.

A literary critic for the newspaper La Tribune, Vincent Chauvet also worked as an intern at the Ministry of the Economy and at the General Staff of the Army, on budget programming. In 2013, he headed a course in European affairs at New York University, then

returned to Europe to work as a consultant in the digital economy. "Autunois" proudly attached to its territory and its inhabitants, he made the choice in 2014 to engage politically in the service of his commune and became deputy mayor, then Mayor of Autun in July 2017 (Modem), and re-elected in June 2020 in his functions.

A convinced European and very attached to the opening of his city on the international scene, he was appointed in 2020 to represent the delegation of Mayors of France within the European Committee of the Regions in Brussels. Particularly involved in environmental and climate issues, in particular the contribution of cities and local authorities to the transformation of public action and the implementation of green budgets, he has been CoR rapporteur on the opinion "Strengthening the ambition Europe's climate by 2030: investing in a climate-neutral future for the benefit of our people" and "The implementation of green budgets at local and regional levels".



Edoardo Dellarole.

Programme Committee Chairman of OMC Med Energy Conference since 2020.

He is presently Head of Electrification Cluster – Business Partner Energy Evolution in the Research and Technological Innovation Department at Eni. He holds a Master degree in Environmental Engineering, a PhD in Environmental Geo-Engineering and a Master in Business Administration. He has twenty years of experience in the Energy Industry with particular regard to General Management, Innovation, HSE and Technical consultancy.



Lapo Pistelli.

Director Public Affairs – Eni.

Born in Florence in 1964. He was appointed Director Public Affairs of Eni on July 1, 2020.

He was member of the Italian Parliament from 1996 to 2015 (1996/2004 and 2008/2015), and also member of the European Parliament (2004/2008).

He served as Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Italy from 2013 to 2015. He resigned from all his institutional and political roles in July 2015, when he entered Eni as Senior Vice President for Strategic Analysis for Business Development Support. He was appointed Executive Vice President of International Affairs since

on April 14th, 2017.

Among other things, he's a member of the Council of Chatham house, member of the board of the European Council on Foreign Relations (ECFR) and of the Istituto Affari Internazionali (IAI), member of the WE – World of Energy editorial committee and of the EastWest scientific committee.

He's Chairman of OME (Observatoire Méditerranéen de l'Énergie) and member of the IRENA's (International Renewable Energy Agency) Global Commission on the Geopolitics of Energy Transformation.