



ALER Associação Lusófona de Energias Renováveis



FEDESMO Fórum de Energias e Desenvolvimento Sustentável de Moçambique

CONFERENCE

Renewable Energy Development Prospects in Mozambique: Opportunities and Challenges

NEW DATES: December 8th and 9th, 2015

Eduardo Mondlane University (UEM), Maputo, Mozambique

PROVISIONAL PROGRAM

DAY 1 – December 8th – MORNING

08h00 – 08h30 Registration

08h30 – 08h50 Welcoming Remarks

- Maurício Ndabanga, Vice-President, FEDESMO – Energy and Sustainable Development Forum for Mozambique
- Isabel Cancela de Abreu, Executive Director, ALER – Lusophone Renewable Energy Association
- MIREME – Ministry of Mineral Resources and Energy
- Ana Maria Mondjana*, Vice-Dean, UEM – Eduardo Mondlane University

08h50 – 09h15 Co-organizers presentation

- Isabel Cancela de Abreu, Executive Director, ALER – Lusophone Renewable Energy Association
- Maurício Ndabanga, Vice-President, FEDESMO – Energy and Sustainable Development Forum for Mozambique

09h15 – 10h00 Initial presentation: ALER's report presentation on the status of renewable energy in Mozambique

- Boris Atanassov, ALER consultant

10h00 – 10h30 Coffee break

10h30 – 11h30 Thematic Session I: Regulatory Framework

- Pascoal Bacela, National Director, DNE – National Energy Directorate
 - Olegário Banze*, National Director, MITADER – Ministry of Land Environment and Rural Development
 - Isália Munguambe Dimene, Environment and Quality Director, FUNAE – Mozambique Energy Fund
 - Carlos Yum*, Business Development Director, EDM – Electricity of Mozambique
- Moderator: Pedro Couto, Partner, Couto Graça e Associados

11h30 – 12h00 Questions and Answers

12h00 – 13h30 LUNCH

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DAY 1 – December 8th - AFTERNOON

13h30 – 14h30 Thematic Session II: Financing

- BCI - Banco Comercial e de Investimentos
 - Gildo Lucas, President, AMOMIF – Mozambique Association of Microfinance Operators
 - César Tique, Senior Rural Development Specialist, AfDB – African Development Bank
 - Isabel Neto, Senior Operations Officer, Energy & Extractives, World Bank
 - Jesus Gavilan Marin, Programme Officer, Delegation of the European Union
- Moderator: Manuel Protásio, Partner, Vieira de Almeida & Associados

14h30 – 15h00 Questions and Answers

15h00 – 16h00 Thematic Session III: Renewable energy projects

- Paulo Muxanga*, CEO, HCB – Hidroeléctrica de Cahora Bassa
 - Mayra Pereira, Consultant, EDP- FUNAE-EDM-JFS Project
 - Veronique Stolz, Director of the Energising Development Program, GiZ
 - Domingos Neto, Director, Kawedi – Manica Province
- Moderator: Augusto de Sousa Fernando, Chairman of the Order of Engineers

16h00 – 16h15 Questions and Answers

16h15 – 17h15 Thematic Session IV: Education, Training and Research

- Horácio Ernesto*, National Director, Ministry of Science Technology and Higher and Technical-Professional Education
 - Boaventura Cuamba, PhD, UEM – Eduardo Mondlane University
 - Urânio Stefane Mahanjane, Researcher and Coordinator, University Pedagógica
 - Carlos Munhá Freire, Technical Consultant, Centre for Resources and Professional Education / Industrial Institute of Maputo
- Moderator: Miquelina Menezes

17h15 – 17h30 Questions and Answers

17h30 End of day 1

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DAY 2 – December 9th - MORNING

08h30 – 09h00 Reception

09h00 – 10h00 Thematic Session V: Regional Initiatives

- Jaime Comiche, Operations Director, UNIDO – United Nations Industrial Development Organization
 - SACREEE – SADC Regional Centre for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency
 - CPLP – Community of Portuguese Speaking Countries
 - Phil Outram, DESA Infrastructure Adviser - Growth, Resilience and Rural Development, DFID – UK Department for International Development
- Moderator: Gilda Monjane

10h00 – 10h30 Questions and Answers

10h30 – 11h00 Coffee break

11h00 – 11h30 Final presentation: Barriers and recommendations for renewable energy developments in Mozambique - findings of ALER's study

11h30 – 12h30 Panel Debate

- Miquelina Menezes, Vice-President, ALER
 - Gilda Monjane, FEDESMO
 - Marcelina Mataveia, National Director, DNE
 - Carlos Lucas, Cooperation Director, UEM
 - Augusto de Sousa Fernando, Chairman of the Order of Engineers
- Moderator: Jeremias Langa*, journalist

12h30 – 13h00 Closing Plenary Session

- Isabel Cancela de Abreu, Executive Director, ALER

13h00 LUNCH

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