



Africa Investment Exchange

AIX: Grid & Storage

Managing African power networks in an age of transition

30 April 2020, RSA House, London

The one-day AIX: Grid & Storage meeting brings the electricity supply industry, development financiers, large industrial players together with transmission operators to discuss key issues facing Africa's power network.

The innovative storage afternoon will examine the growth and impact of energy storage on the continent's power industry, and builds on AIX sessions held in 2019 which excited considerable interest in a potential 'game changer' to come.

AIX: Grid & Storage is held during the AIX London Spring Meetings, co-organised by Cross-border Information (Cbi), and Cbi's African Energy, a consultancy that has been involved at the heart of the debate surrounding the development of the energy sector in Africa for more than 20 years.

The meeting is held under the Chatham House Rule and structured round panel led discussions to facilitate open discussion.

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AIX London Spring Meetings



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Registration fee (10% discount until 11th February): £810 + VAT for meeting or £1,005 + VAT for meeting and dinner



Africa Investment Exchange: Dinner

29 April 2020, RSA House, London

This first AIX: Dinner at the Africa Investment Exchange London Spring meetings brings together the AIX community for an evening of discussion and frank exchanges in an amicable setting.

Dinner Ticket: £195 + VAT

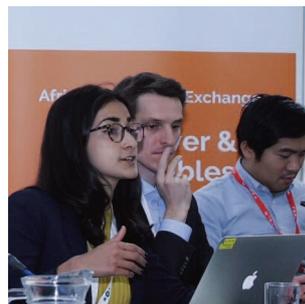


Africa Investment Exchange: Gas

29 - 30 April 2020, RSA House, London

The sixth annual AIX: Gas brings together the diverse perspectives of government, regulators, upstream operators, investors, power developers and other stakeholders to examine the continent's gas market.

Registration fee (20% discount until 11th February): £1,440 + VAT for meeting or £1,635 + VAT for meeting and dinner



Why RSA House?

RSA House was chosen to host the AIX meetings because of its excellent conference facilities, break out spaces and private meeting rooms, packaged together in a venue that provides a unique slice of London's history.

A hidden gem in the heart of London, and within a few minutes walk of major transport hubs, hotels, theatres

and some of London's most famous landmarks, RSA House was designed by Robert Adam in the early 1770s, and is the historic home of the Royal Society of Arts.

A famous centre for Enlightenment thinking, the building has been the intellectual and social home of some of the greatest thinkers and social activists of the past 200 years.

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30 April, 08h30 to 09h00 Registration & coffee

09h00 to 10h45

Grid strategies

Examining key institutional themes for grid operations in Africa today.

- **Governance model:** unbundling vs vertical integration
- **Tariff structure:** cost reflectiveness and funding models
- **Privatisation:** lessons learned from various experiences across the continent
- **Grid upgrades:** perspectives from the private sector, C&I customers and transmission operators

10h45 **Coffee**

11h30 to 12h45

Balancing and grid stability

Focusing on how best to respond to new challenges and opportunities in maintaining grid stability.

- Best practices in renewable energy sources (RES) integration: a global perspective
- What are the different peaking options?
- Energy management and peak shaving – including time-shift of renewables
- Synergies between storage, conventional power and emergency power solutions

12h45 **Lunch**

13h45 to 15h15

Storage Strategic Overview

The afternoon will focus on issues around storage as they impact on African electricity supply and other industries.

- Examining the solar-plus-storage model and opportunities for investment
- Recent tenders and best practices from around the world and African case studies
- Understanding the technologies, costs and applications for behind the grid and utility scale storage

15h15 **Coffee**

15h35 to 17h00

Developing the storage market

Market designs and regulatory changes to integrate storage into the energy mix: what are the options?

- What are demand trends from utility and IPPs for grid-scale storage applications and C&I clients?
- Measures regulators can take to promote the adoption of storage
- Where do batteries sit in a vertically integrated utility
- Structuring PPAs and other documentation issues for a storage project

17h00 **End of AIX Grid & Storage**

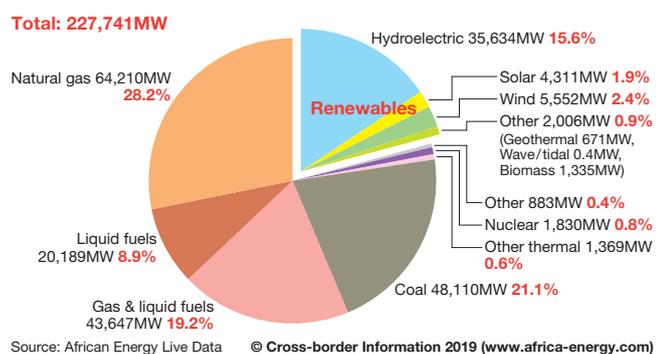
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Our unique perspective

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Participants will benefit from exclusive analysis based on [African Energy Live Data](#) - our unique platform that combines a range of analytics tools with project level detail of more than 6,000 power plants across the continent.

Africa's energy mix



Cbi Meetings pairs the extensive regional expertise and source network of Cbi's African Energy with a seasoned events team experienced in producing high-level investment forums and dialogues across the African continent.

As a consultant, Cbi has a unique perspective when it comes to understanding the themes and topics that provide the foundations for a vibrant conference agenda and the mix of project stakeholders required to create a lively and engaging panel-led discussion.

We are focused on producing meetings that create enduring dialogues between development finance institutions, public sector stakeholders and private sector investors including, private equity firms, venture capitalists, family offices, foundations, institutional investors and impact investors.

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Register to AIX: Grid & Storage

Please register those listed below for AIX: Grid & Storage 2020

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AIX: Grid & Storage + Dinner: £1,005 plus VAT

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Terms & Conditions

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Venue: RSA House

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