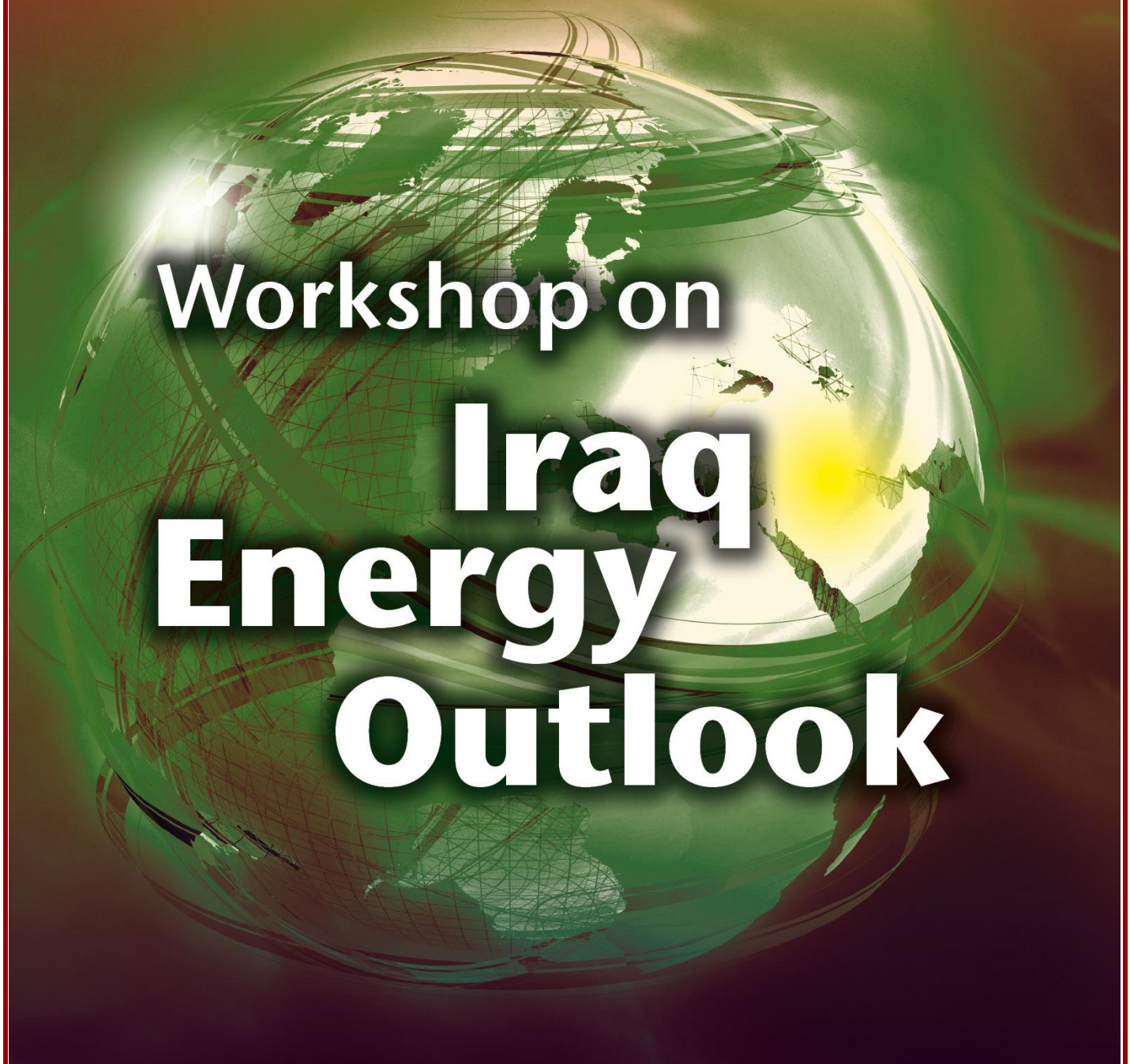


**World Energy
Outlook 2012**



International
Energy Agency

A central graphic of a globe with a green and yellow color scheme. The globe is overlaid with a complex network of white and red lines representing energy infrastructure, including power lines and oil pipelines. The globe is set against a dark red background with a subtle gradient.

**Workshop on
Iraq
Energy
Outlook**

Istanbul, Turkey, 4 May 2012

With the support of the Turkish Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources



IEA workshop

IRAQ ENERGY OUTLOOK

Istanbul, 4 May 2012

Venue: Conrad Hotel, Istanbul

9.00 am - 6.15 pm

BACKGROUND

In 2012, the International Energy Agency will be conducting a comprehensive analytical study of the energy outlook for Iraq as part of its annual flagship publication, the **World Energy Outlook**. The study will be released as a special report in early October 2012.

Iraq's energy sector is both central to the reconstruction and development of the Iraqi economy and of huge importance to the global outlook. This workshop aims to examine the factors that will influence the role of energy in Iraq's future, by addressing the following:

- The role of the energy sector in the Iraqi economy and trends in domestic energy demand, with a particular emphasis on the electricity and transportation sectors and domestic market structures.
- The supply outlook and investment needs, both in power generation, transmission and distribution as well as in hydrocarbon development.
- The implications of Iraqi energy developments for the environment and water use, and the impacts on global energy supply and security.

The work on Iraq in 2012 is being conducted with the support and close cooperation of the Government of Iraq.

This workshop, organised with the support of the Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources of the Republic of Turkey, is intended to bring together policymakers, industry representatives and other stakeholders – by invitation only – to exchange views on Iraqi energy perspectives. The results of the meeting will help to shape the key findings and messages of the *World Energy Outlook*.

The meeting will be informal in nature and will be held according to the Chatham House Rule, according to which *participants are free to use the information received, but neither the identity nor the affiliation of the speaker(s), nor that of any other participant, may be revealed*. Each session will be introduced with a short presentation by an invited expert, to be followed by an open roundtable discussion.

WORKSHOP AGENDA

THURSDAY 3 MAY

7.00 pm - Reception hosted at the residence of the Consul General of the United States to Istanbul, Turkey, Mr Scott Kilner
9.00 pm
Transport from the Conrad Hotel will be provided, leaving at 6.15 pm.

FRIDAY 4 MAY

8.30 am Registration and coffee

9.00 am **Welcome remarks:** Sefa Sadik Aytekin, Deputy Undersecretary, Ministry of Energy and Natural Resources, Turkey

Keynote address: H.E. Thamir Ghadhban, Chairman of the Prime Minister's Advisory Commission, Iraq

Workplan of WEO-2012 Iraq Energy Outlook: Dr Fatih Birol, Chief Economist, International Energy Agency (IEA)

Session 1: Energy in Iraq – fuelling Iraq's reconstruction and development

9.45 am *Chair:* Simon Stolp, World Bank
Introductory interventions:
H.E. Martin Kobler, Special Representative of the United Nations Secretary General for Iraq
Dr Usama Karim, Advisor to the Deputy Prime Minister for Energy, Iraq
Dr Kamal Al-Basri, Chairman of the Iraq Institute for Economic Reform

11.00 am Group photo

11.10 am *Break*

Session 2: Iraq's electricity sector – short-term needs and long-term interests

11.30 am *Chair:* Hamish McNinch, International Expert
Introductory interventions:
Dr Majeed Abdul-Hussain, Parsons Brinckerhoff
Dr Abdul Qader Ahmed, Mass Global

12.40 pm *Lunch sponsored by the Turkish Petroleum Corporation (TPAO)*

2.00 pm **Special address:** Tariq Shafiq, Managing Director, Petrolog & Associates

Session 3: Iraq's oil and gas supply – *managing the development of a huge resource*

2.20 pm *Chair:* Tariq Shafiq, Managing Director, Petrolog & Associates

Introductory interventions:

Dr Ali Al-Mashat, Advisor, Prime Minister's Advisory Commission, Iraq

Ruba Husari, Managing Director, Iraq Insight

3.30 pm *Break*

Session 4: Iraq and international markets – *impacts on regional and global balances*

4.00 pm *Chair:* H.E. Thamir Ghadhban, Chairman of the Prime Minister's Advisory Commission, Iraq

Introductory interventions:

Dr Mussab Al-Dujayli, former Director General, State Oil Marketing Organisation

Jonathan Elkind, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Energy of the United States

Coby van der Linde, Director of the Energy Programme, Clingendael Institute, the Netherlands

5.00 pm *Break*

Session 5: Summary and conclusions

5.15 pm *Co-Chairs:*

H.E. Fareed Yasseen, Ambassador of Iraq to France

H.E. Nick Bridge, Ambassador of the United Kingdom to the OECD

Tour de table with recommendations for key topics and areas of study for consideration in the WEO-2012

Concluding remarks by Dr Fatih Birol, IEA

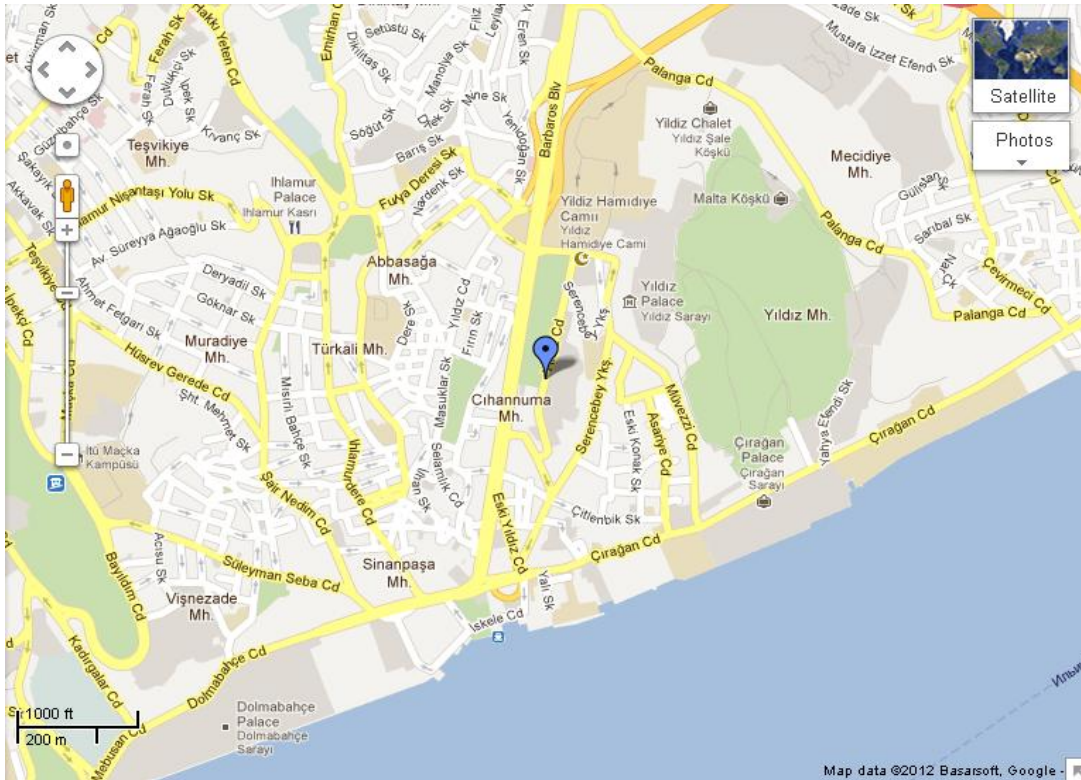
6.00 pm Meeting closes

6.30 pm - 8.30 pm Reception hosted by the Head of the European Union Delegation to Iraq, Ambassador Jana Hybášková

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

VENUE

Conrad Hotel,
Cihannüma Mah. Saray Cad. No.5
Beşiktaş, İstanbul, 34353, Turkey



LANGUAGES

The languages of the workshop are English and Arabic.
Simultaneous interpretation will be available.

LUNCH

Lunch is kindly sponsored by the
Turkish Petroleum Corporation (TPAO).

RECEPTIONS

The Consul General of the United States to Istanbul, Turkey, Mr. Scott Kilner,
has kindly offered to host a reception on Thursday 3 May at 7.00 pm.

The Head of the European Union Delegation to Iraq, Ambassador Jana Hybášková,
has kindly offered to host a reception on Friday 4 May at 6.30 pm.