# The Amsterdam Engineering Procurement Construction Project Management Forum November 2023 Virtual & In-Person event of the year

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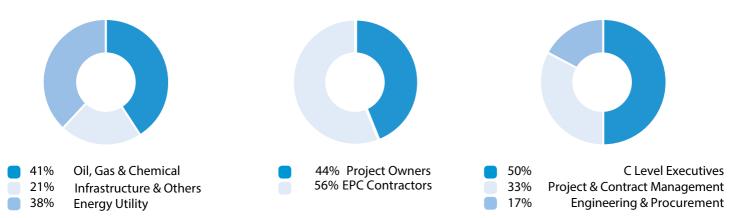
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# Highlights

# **Industry Breakdown**

### **Job Function Breakdown**



# **Key Focus:**

- Industry growth post pandemic opportunities in 2022
- War in Ukraine: the construction impact on European and global economies The domino effect of the Ukraine crisis on gas and LNG Projects
- Stay ahead with forecast suggesting boost in market growth during the forecast period (2022-2023)
- Resolving restraining factors and navigating towards pre pandemic levels with rising oil & gas exploration activities
- Discover regional insights into driving factor towards rising EPC activities and further increasing the O&G footprint on the market.
- To what extent the project implementation schedule (including in particular the milestones and the final completion date), the procurement plan and the transportation study have to be revisited and, possibly, amended.
- Overcome supply chain disruption and sourcing challenges likely to affect project delivery and margins
- The role of effective relationship management in successful large oil and gas projects Monitoring Negotiations to Mitigate Risk in Multiple Party Contracts.
- Dealing with critical project drivers (time, cost, quality and scope) and how they are affected when Alert Levels change or are redefined.
- Mitigating the risk of delays in power plant projects: An EPC contractor's view on different contractual concepts

# **Industry Focus**

Project owners, EPC Contractors and Sub-contractors with activities in new construction, and expansion projects from:

- Oil and gas producers
- Pipeline owners
- LNG industry
- Terminals and storage
- Law Firms
- Infrastructure Companies

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# Who Will Attend

Heads, Vice Presidents, Directors, Managers and Senior executives from contracting companies involved in engineering, Procurement and Construction projects with disciplines including:

- Project Managers
- Project Planners
- Change Managers
- Program Managers
- Portfolio Managers
- Project control functions
- Project Sponsors
- Project Consultants
- Contracts Managers
- Claims Managers
- Compliance Officers
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- EPC Realisation Managers

- Risk Managers Commercial Managers • Supply Chain Managers
  - Procurement Managers
  - Sales Managers
- Legal Counsel
- Business Development
- Managers
- Business Analysts
- Sustainability Managers
- Operations
- Production Process



# DAY 1

#### 08:30 Registration (Tea / Coffee) 08:50 Opening address from the Chair

#### 09:00 Project Execution - In search of excellence

- Excellence in project execution realistic start
- Out of sequence execution can we avoid it?
- · Project predictability from systems Benchmarks & Team maturity
- People @ the center What are we doing at Fluor BV

#### Lidia Stepanyuk, Department Manager, Project Controls & Estimating Fluor

# 09:30 Energy Transition (ET) Projects how can EPC contractors smooth & accelerate the FEED to EPC process to meet the needs of ET customers?

- As recently reported the energy transition to mitigate climate change is becoming moreurgent if we are to limit temperature rise to 1.5oC avoid catastrophy,
- · How can EPC contractors adapt and support this?
- How can the FEED to EPC process be open fair
- and transparent commercially?
- What project execution strategies can be utilised to deliver such projects quickly and efficiently?
- How can the use of digital delivery tools across the project life cycle support accelerated delivery?

#### Mark Cowley, Vice President Operations, Petrofac

#### 10:00 Morning Coffee and Networking

#### 10:30



#### Alex Hadden HSE Director Brown & Mason

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# 11:00 Safety and sustainable D&D: Application of new technologies

- Best-practice D&D Coal Power Plants
- Safety Culture. A real challenge for us. Anllares and La Robla Projects
- Case Study La Robla: Demolition of the Office building and works with a lift-platform-torch to separate the boiler from the turbine building

Zhafran Sulaiman Head Decommissioning & Abandonment Petronas

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#### 11:30 TBA

#### Faisal A. Al-Turairi

Planning & Programming Services Unit

Utilities & Facilities Services Department Saudi Aramco

# 14:00 Optimizing costs and boosting profitability before, during and after decommissioning

- Recycling and circular economy as a basis for profitable
- decommissioning and demolition
- Ensuring profitability by reusing the facilities
   Red flags: How not to turn the decommissioning process into an
- Red flags: How not to turn the decommissioning process into an expensive failure
- Prospects for selling the site: What needs to be considered?
- An examination of budget planning: Why is it vital to have a financial reserve?

### Kurt Van Stappen Senior Project Manager Engie Tractabel

#### 14:30 The missing link between maintenance and Project

- People Management
- Maintenance Processes
- Project Management Process
- Reliability Process (link between M & P)

Rudi Frederix Project Manager Operational Excellence Siemens Mobility

15:00 Coffee and Networking

# 15:30 Adjusting EPC Lump Sum contracting to market volatility climate : another Pandora box?

Generating controlled exceptions to fixed pricing : provisional, adjustable or floating sums?The scheduling dimension of the inflationary fever : why Force Majeure will not cure the plague Between the threat of a renegotiation claim and the burden of a partnering approach, which option would YOU take?

**François THUAULT** Director- Contract Management, Major International EPC Contractor

#### 16:00 Project Cost Increases & Mitigation Strategies

- Insolvency
- Performance Excuses
- Foreseeability
- Price Adjustment
- Delay
- Increased Costs

Daniel Hoffiz, Senior Counsel, TotalEnergies Distributed Generation

16:30 Project Challenges & Opportunities in the current environment

Bert Rits Head of Projects OMV

#### Thomas Salitz Branch Manager AUCOTEC AG

#### 08:30 Registration (Tea / Coffee) DAY 2 08:50 Opening address from the Chair

#### Balancing Transactional Costs to Maximize Returns for 09:00 **EPC Contractors**

 There has been revolutionary transformation in construction industry in last decade has

- · Growing competitiveness in the market mainly drove this
- · Transaction costs have significant impact on bottom line and project success

Madhu P Pillai, Advisor - Oil & Gas Projects, Kentz (Kent)

#### 09:30 DISPUTE CIRCUIT BREAKERS ON MEGA PROJECTS

Conflict avoidance - early-stage engagement and contracting approaches Appropriate ADR and managing the escalation of disputes Checkpoints in arbitration - staying creative to avoid the full fight

Thierry Linares Senior Managing Director, Construction Solutions FTI Consulting

#### 10:00 Risk management for floating offshore wind farms

- Different from fixed-bottom offshore wind farms
- Business case sensitivities
- Interface management
- Operational challenges
- Geographical expansion and cultural risks

Pepijn Docter, Project director for offshore wind Tata Steel Europe

10:30 Morning Coffee and Networking

#### 11:00 Avoidance, management and efficient resolution of disputes

·Collaborative contracting, project committees, dispute managers, use of Al and other ways of identifying risks and avoiding disputes ·Devising the multi-tier dispute resolution clause that suits your project What are the alternative to arbitration that work best? The use of

Dispute Boards in international projects

·Arbitrating an EPC dispute - effective case management techniques, use of technology and dealing with evidence

#### Renato Nazzini Professor of Law King' s College London

#### 11:30 Importance of Lesson Learned Implementation in Brownfield Project

·Execution for Petrochemical Plant - Steam Coil Replacement in Methanol Plant Equipment Manufacturing Plan & Ensuring compliance to QA/QC Plan ·Transportation challenges for Heavy Equipment from Sea Port to Plant Site

Incorporation of lesson learned in execution strategy

- ·Segregation of Pre-Shutdown/Shutdown Scope
- ·Contractor/Sub-Contractor Management
- Interface & Risk Management

·Cost Optimization & Cost Saving from Lesson Learned

#### Naif S Al-Qahtani Project Engineer, Sipchem

#### 13:30 Offshore Wind Farm Installation Contracts -challenges when mixing **BiMCO** with FIDIC

- · Dealing with delays
- Knock-for-(almost)-knock
- Payments
- Seabed problems

#### Jacob C. Jorgensen, Senior Legal Counsel Maersk Supply

#### 14:00 EPC contract in renewable energy

- · Voltalia: IPP and EPC Contractor
- · Focus on Solar projects contractual scheme
- Impact of project financing onto EPC contracts
- · Synergies between procurement and contract

Kevin Danton, Group Director Procurement & Contract, Voltalia

14:30 Afternoon Tea and Networking Break

#### 15:00 Keep Projects on track during Front-End Engineering, **Construction and Start up**

- Be patient in the Front-End-Engineering and specify correctly the requiered achievments
- Keep change requests as low as possible, there are many whises which will blow up a project
- Respect new technologies but don't over estimate the savings it could be end up in the opposite
- Have a clear stratetgy for the design, procurement, construction and start up
- Keep in mind the resource shortages, knowledge, skills and long delivery times.

#### Heinz Janiec, Project Manager, Specialty Engineering

#### 15:30 Collaborative Principles for Better

#### **Supply Chain Practice in Managing Projects**

The rationale for collaborative business practices across supply chains and why collaboration can be the jewel in the crown for organisations in the private, public and 3rd sectors.

·Collaborative arrangements: Different supply chain perspectives, drivers and interdependencies

Raising the game - the CRAFT 8 Stage Life Cycle Model and ISO 44001: The evolution and emergence of a new global standard for collaborative working in managing projects.

The importance of stakeholder engagement in harnessing the benefits of collaborative working practices

· Commercial risk and pricing considerations associated with

collaborative versus traditional contracting arrangements in managing projects.

Pan-industry supply chain collaboration: An exemplar case study of solutions developed by and for the energy sector.

Norman K. Mclennan Professor

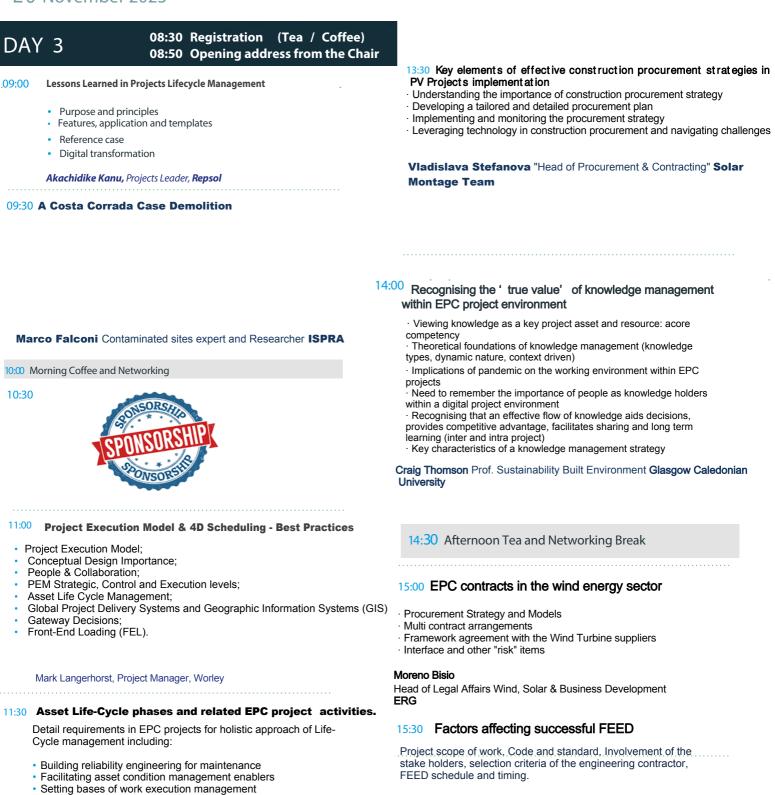
#### 16:00 How to overcome the challenges Renewables **Energy Sector – SOLAR**

Danny Stadler Head of Project Management &	Construction
BELECTRIC	

16:30 Balancing the energy trilemma in the global EPC markets

- Growing energy security concerns on supply chain
  - Boost in demand for EPC services
- Capacity and cost challenges

Binny Bagga Vice President - Energy Services Reserach **Rystard Energy** 



- · Being ready for leadership from early stages

Ahmed Abdel-Zaher Khalifa Maintenance Planning Manager, Asset Management Consultant Sidi Kerir Petrochemicals Co. (Sidpec)

12:00 **Business Lunch**  Sherif El Nabawy Engineering Manager, Dragon Oil

#### **16:00** Future and Challenges of Project Controls Digitalization

- · The status of EPC project controls; from inaccurate to misleading
- Do we have enough data and tools to replace the current practices?
- · A model framework for project controls that relies on data analytics
- · The challenges that face the transformation and digitalization

Mohamed El-Mehalawi ,Global Improvement Leader - Projects , Dow

#### 16:30 Topic TBA

Fernando Pinto Contracting and Procurement Specialist EDP

**17:00** Modular projects: design and delivery

Herve Baron Senior Project Manager Solvay

DA	<ul><li>4 08:30 Registration (Tea / Coffee)</li><li>08:50 Opening address from the Chair</li></ul>	
09:00	The role of Human and organisational factors in Asset Management	13:30Eni Rewind experiences in decommissioning of tall structures
	<ul> <li>Human and organisation factors (HOF): The role of Human and</li> <li>organisational factors in Asset Management.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Eni Rewind decommissioning major challenges at Eni petrochemical sites in Italy</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Influence of safety management systems on asset and safety</li> <li>performance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Plants description</li> <li>Project constrains – hot topics</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Safety critical communication in asset management</li> <li>What can we learn from Asset incidents/accidents and the role</li> <li>of HOF?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demolition Technique: mechanical dismantling &amp; critical I Project &amp; Execution Phase</li> </ul>
	Analysing asset data and promote continual improvement	Natale Pezzimenti Civil engineer decommissioning projects EniRewind
	Mashel Gonyora, Manager SHE:Enablement, Compliance and Assurance Sasol	
09:30	Comparative Analysis of Water Pipeline Leakages in Diferent Material Impact of Salt Content	
	Effect of Weather Condition on Water Pipeline System Effect of High Pressure on Water Pipeline System Different Pipeline Materials	Elimination of NOx & no C02 emissions during construction works on site: Examples Challenges Collaboration and outlook
	<b>Abdulaziz Yousef</b> , Associate Engineer Water Operation Division Utiliti & Facilities Services Deptartment, <b>Saudi Aramco</b>	es Wouter Perry Business Development Manager Stantec Group
10:00	Utilities & Facilities Services Deptartmnet, <b>Saudi Aramco</b> Morning Coffee and Networking	
10:30	Best Practise in Megaprojects	
		14:30 Afternoon Tea and Networking Break
	Iney Turner Professor of Project Management EMA Business School	15:00 IoT technologies offered by https://www.aoms-tech.com/ and the cost benefits they provide from the perspective of EPC project delivery method for the processing and industrial industries
11:00	Managing Liability through Defects Obligations	<ul> <li>Integration of IoT into EPC Projects</li> <li>Cost-effectiveness of IoT in EPC Projects</li> <li>Case Studies and ROI Analysis</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Defects rectification: what is the purpose and</li> </ul>	Doina Dobre, Senior Cost Estimator, Emerald Cost Consulting
Overlap with Long Term Service contracts		15:00 How to balance the choice of adopting an EPC vs a traditional approach to managing complex projects
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11:30	ΤΒΑ	Grant Morrison Director, Head of Category Management Maersk Drilling
		15:30 Topic TBA

Dr. Yvonne Waterman Specialist asbestos liability law Waterman Legal Consultancy

12:00 Business Lunch

Senior Project Manager & Ambassador Morgan Sindall Construction & Infrastructure

# 16:00 The Digital Era impact over industry · Technologies and Risk impact

- · Expertise & skill level
- Investment & strategies
  The outcome % of adoption of Tech

Aamir Awan

Mark Jones

Director Project Management VINCI Construction



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