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## ADIPEC TO BRING THE INDUSTRY TOGETHER AND DRIVE GROWTH

**W**elcome to the May ADIPEC News issue. ADIPEC 2017 will take place at a vitally important juncture for the oil and gas industry. This year, the theme of “Forging Ties, Driving Growth” will be particularly pertinent, with Abu Dhabi as a global oil and gas hub being the ideal venue for this dialogue to take place.

The UAE is always looking at ways to build strong partnerships with international companies and other nations to develop and secure energy for the future. We are driving the momentum behind smarter investments, cost optimisations and efficient operations to maximise the whole value chain of the petroleum industry. Although we are seeing signs of recovery for the industry, we need to ensure the upwards momentum is sustained, which makes strategies in the oil and gas industry of paramount importance. This year’s ADIPEC will focus on this key theme with a range of exhibits, presentations and



**Ali Khalifa Al Shamsi, ADIPEC 2017 Chairman**

plenary sessions being delivered by some of the world’s foremost experts in the field of oil and gas. Last year, ADIPEC saw the largest and busiest show to date in the show’s 32-year history despite the challenging market conditions. That is strong evidence of the significance of ADIPEC in the global energy sector, as well as of the diverse and high-level delegates attracted to an excellent exhibition. ADIPEC represented all areas of interest very well but I

was particularly impressed with the Offshore & Marine Exhibition. It not only had its dedicated conference and an increased number of ships on the waterfront, but also a self-propelled jack-up barge, made in the UAE. This year the programme will be strengthened even further. Offshore is a very important part of UAE’s oil and gas sector, and it is important that we highlight the opportunities in the area.

The Young ADIPEC Pavilion was also a huge success – an appropriate platform for the youth to engage and display their creativity in the oil and gas sector. ADIPEC 2017 will build on the success of last year and deliver an even stronger event. The show is always evolving and we are constantly looking at ways to make it better. Last year we saw the introduction of the Security in Energy Conference, which proved to be a big hit. This year the Security in Energy Conference will be even bigger and better. We are also launching the Global Downstream Business

Leaders Panel, which will address this crucial aspect of the oil and gas sector. ADIPEC is undoubtedly among the world’s most prestigious oil and gas events. It is ideally located in Abu Dhabi, at the heart of the region’s oil and gas industry. Over the years, the name ADIPEC has become synonymous with quality and integrity, attracting IOCs and NOCs and the biggest names in the industry whether corporate or government. The momentum continues to build due to the up-to-date nature of conferences and sub-exhibitions that address the top agendas, opportunities and challenges facing the industry.

### ADIPEC 2016 KEY FACTS:

<b>135,000</b>	<b>96,376</b>	<b>8,500+</b>	<b>2,034</b>
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