# Energy Industries Council Job Description

Job Title:	Events Co-ordinator (Middle East, Africa, Russia & CIS)	Business Location:	Dubai, UAE
Responsible to (Line):	Regional Director, Middle East, Africa, Russia & CIS)	Responsible for (Line):	N/A

## **Purpose / Role**

To produce, develop and manage the events programme for the region. Maintain close relationships with all participants to maximise their experience and reflect the professionalism of the EIC.

### Key aims and objectives

- Take full ownership and management of all agreed events
- Structure each event to allow all participants to explore and develop their international business aspirations
- Provide a high-level platform for major companies to address hot topics and reveal global opportunities
- Manage event advisory groups to ensure contributors reflect market conditions and event activities
- Maximise internal relationships to raise the EIC's profile and ensure smooth delivery of all events
- Develop lasting relations with key stakeholders for each event

## Prime responsibilities and duties

Responsible for the EIC's regional event programme. Currently includes (but not limited to):-

- UAE Connect (Abu Dhabi)
- Market & Project Updates (Online)
- > Business Opportunities Presentations (Abu Dhabi, Dubai)
- Local networking events
- Roundtables (GCC Wide)

Take overall responsibility for (appropriate to each event):-

- Developing and maintaining relationships with influential specifiers and purchasers speaking
- Generate and manage sponsorship packages
- Ensuring each event is fully subscribed with speakers, exhibitors and delegates
- Liaising with partner organisations to actively promote each event and ensure their offering is reciprocal
- · Physically promoting each event at identified external events and meetings
- Producing concise written reports and content to promote each event
- Preparing quarterly sales forecasts and managing expenditure
- Risk Registers to raise awareness of emergency scenarios, potential risks and guarantee surplus
- Producing dashboard results of event statistics, demographics and results to aid event development

### **Key interfaces**

#### Internal

- Regional Director Middle East, Africa, Russia & CIS
- Head of UK & National Events
- Membership & Marketing
- IT Department, Finance Department
- Overseas Events Team, Sector Analysts, Overseas Offices
- CEO, Senior Management Team

#### External

- Event Advisory Group Members
- Global energy project owners, developers and contractors
- EIC members, Associate Members, Regional Committee Members
- Non-member companies
- Department for International Trade (DIT) and other organisations in the energy sector
- External suppliers venues, caterers, suppliers, event organisers etc.

#### **Core competencies**

- Good standard of knowledge of the oil, gas, power, nuclear and renewable sectors and of the needs of companies operating within these sectors at all levels of the supply chain
- Experience in a client facing role of B2B direct sales and business development with excellent communication skills at all levels both over the telephone and face to face
- Experience of delivering online content via GoToWebinar or similar medium
- Event knowledge that can be applied to speaker recruitment, agenda design, promoting exhibition sales and overseeing event logistics
- Excellent presentation skills and the ability to address both small and large audiences professionally, clearly and with confidence
- Proactive self-starter and experienced project manager able to structure, prioritise and organise own workload
- High degree of enthusiasm and commitment to promoting the EIC, its values and the benefits of the event programme to UK registered companies and international buyers
- Sound computer literacy and the willingness to embrace and become quickly familiar with the EIC's CRM systems and databases
- Relationship management that can be applied to recognising industry products and services and market requirements with maturity for satisfying each company's objectives with the varied activities being organised
- Good humoured and seasoned networker with the tenacity to take ownership of recruiting all the various types of participants required at each event
- Self-starter articulate, creative, results driven individual with the ability to see the bigger picture for the benefit of EIC members and the wider EIC team
- Budgetary control ensuring income and costs are balanced by the level of provision required but with the confidence to introduce new initiatives to develop the programme
- Ability to conduct speaker introductions at all EIC Connect events and advisory group meetings confidently
- Multi-tasker, able to think ahead and respond quickly for every eventuality
- International exposure ideal but not essential although must be prepared to travel

Issued (date):	Signed by Line Manager:	Functional concurrence: (if appropriate)	Signed by Employee:
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