



GLOBAL EPC PROJECTS PMC & EXHIBITION RIYADH 2026

SUMMIT FOCUS:

- ✓ Cutting-Edge Strategies: Learn from experts about the newest advancements in EPC project management.
- ✓ Best Practices: Discover proven best practices to enhance project efficiency and effectiveness.
- ✓ Networking Opportunities: Connect with peers and industry leaders to build valuable professional relationships.
- ✓ Innovative Technologies: Explore the latest tools and technologies driving the future of EPC projects.
- ✓ Project Management Trends: Stay updated with the latest trends and strategies in EPC project management.
- ✓ Mega Projects Execution: Gain insights into the successful execution of large-scale EPC projects, including NEOM.
- ✓ Risk Management: Learn techniques to identify, assess, and mitigate risks in EPC projects.
- ✓ Sustainability: Discover approaches to integrate sustainability into project planning and execution.
- ✓ Leadership and Collaboration: Enhance leadership skills and foster collaborative project environments.

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ANNUAL GLOBAL EPC PROJECT MANAGEMENT SUMMIT

09th Feb Day One

ANNUAL GLOBAL EPC PROJECT MANAGEMENT SUMMIT

18th Nov Day 2

08:30	Registration and Morning Coffee
08:50	Chairman's Opening Remarks

Trailblazing EPC: Redefining Energy Project Excellence in 2025

09:10 Case Study

Redefining Execution Strategies for Next-Generation EPC Megaprojects: From Fragmentation to Seamless Integration

- Transform fragmented workflows into integrated, agile execution models.
- Unified Innovation Framework: Driving collaboration, digitalization, and continuous improvement.

Pete Harpum
Senior Advisory Partner
OPEX Group

09:50 Case Study

Strategic Leadership in EPC Megaprojects: Lessons from a Global Industry Pioneer

- Scaling Complex Projects Across Borders
Insights into managing multi-billion-dollar EPC projects across volatile markets, cultures, and regulatory landscapes.
- Driving Innovation in Engineering & Construction
How digital transformation, modularization, and lean execution are reshaping CCC's project delivery model.

Hisham Kawash
Regional Managing Director
CCC [Consolidated Contractors International Company]

10:30 Morning Coffee and Networking

Critical Priorities: Enhancing Risk, Leadership decisions and Engineering Performance in Mega Projects

11:00 Case Study

Building Reliability in EPC Projects: Lessons, Risks, and the Path Forward

- Why EPC Projects Matter More Than Ever
- What are the Attributes of High Reliability Organizations?
- Where Reliability Fits in EPC Projects
- Construction Incident Lessons When Safety is Overlooked
- The Future We Can Build Together Safer - Stronger - More reliable

Ali Abdulla Al Ali
Senior Vice President –
Regional Client Engagement (GCC)
Petrofac

11:30 Case Study

Making a Paradigm Shift in Risk Management that is Harnessed by the Power of AI

- Enhances Leadership decisions
- Drive predictable performance.
- Build a culture of accountability.
- Elevate effectiveness of Internal assurance and leadership reviews.

Carla Davis-Madgett
President
UnTapped Sustainable Operations

12:00 Lunch Time

Crisis Management and Strategic Vision in Production Facilities

13:00 Case Study

Crisis Management and Emergency Response: Lessons Learned from Red Sea Global

- Developing robust emergency response plans for large-scale projects.
- How Red Sea Global prepares for and responds to safety incidents in remote locations.
- Real-life examples of crisis management and the importance of quick decision-making.

John Dunne
Group Head of Health and Safety
Red Sea Global

13:30 Case Study

Optimizing Offshore and Onshore Production for Sustainable Growth

- Strategic Vision in Production Facilities: Focusing on both offshore and onshore production to improve efficiency and meet future energy demands.
- Technological Integration: Advancing automation and digital solutions to better manage resources and minimize downtime. Leadership: Visible accountability drives safer behaviors on-site.
- Continuous Improvement: catering to sensitive Oil &Gas and infrastructure
- Navigating Industry Challenges: Addressing supply chain complexities, regulatory changes, and market fluctuations while ensuring steady growth.

Co-Speaking session

Arnaldo Melo
Director for Project & Engineering
SLB

Marco Russo
Global Head of Projects, Midstream
SLB

Orchestrating EPC Success: Technology & Digitalization Journey

14:00 Case Study

Enhancing Communication in Engineering Teams in multibillion EPC projects

- Process, People & Technology;
- Clear communication among team members is important for a successful engineering project;
- Tips for avoiding pitfalls outlined;
- Why Good communication matters;
- Common hurdles and Techniques to resolve conflicts;
- Building a collaborative team.

Mark Langerhorst
Project Manager
Worley

14:30 Afternoon Tea and Networking

16:00 Case Study

Supply Chain excellence: Digitalization journey towards Business objectives and technology alignment

- Align digital initiatives with strategic supply chain goals (cost efficiency, agility, sustainability)
- Leverage data analytics, AI, and IoT to drive visibility, demand forecasting, and decision-making
- Integrate end-to-end systems (ERP, WMS, TMS) for real-time synchronization across functions

Sayed Habib
Director Of Business Development |
E commerce | Franchisee
Danube Group

16:30 Summary of the Day

The Next Generation of EPC Project Management: From Coordination to Collaboration

- Breaking silos between disciplines to enhance project outcomes
- Leveraging early contractor involvement for better risk allocation
- Strengthening client-contractor partnerships through transparency and trust
- Embedding a performance-driven culture across the EPC value chain

Takeaway: Discover how collaboration, early alignment, and shared accountability can redefine success in complex EPC projects.

Panelists:

- Marco Russo, Global Head of Projects, Midstream, SLB
- Ahmad Al Ansari, Managing Director, Lagoon Qatar

Moderator:

Larry Wilson, CEO, SafeStart International

17:00 Summary of the Day

17:05 Closing Remarks from the Chair and end of Day Two

ANNUAL GLOBAL EPC PROJECT MANAGEMENT SUMMIT

10th Feb Day Two

ANNUAL GLOBAL EPC PROJECT MANAGEMENT SUMMIT

19th Nov Day 3

08:30 Registration and Morning Coffee

08:50 Chairman's Opening Remarks

EPC in 2025: Driving Next-Gen Project Management & Project Design Models

09:10 Opening Address Case Study

Adopting Integrated Project Delivery (IPD) in EPC Contracts – A Collaborative Approach Beyond Theory

- Multi-Party Contract & Collaborative Partnering
- Understanding Pain & Gain Sharing
- Collaboration & Risks in the Middle East
- Relations of Parties to EPC Contract
- The Future and Way Forward

Ahmad Al Ansari

Managing Director

Lagoon Qatar

09:40 Case Study

Advancing Sustainability Leadership in Energy Projects Across the Middle East

- Embed regional sustainability standards into large-scale energy developments
- Foster cross-sector collaboration to drive green innovation and decarbonization
- Leverage ESG frameworks to enhance project resilience and stakeholder trust
- Build local capacity through professional training and knowledge sharing

Dr. Mohammed Al-Surf

Founder and President

Sustainability Professionals of Saudi Arabia (SPSA)

10:30 Morning Coffee and Networking

EPC Project Safety: Catering to sensitive Oil&Gas and infrastructure Projects

11:00 Case Study

Beyond Compliance: Embedding Human Factors and Behavior-Based Safety into Organizational Culture

- Why Traditional Safety Programs Plateau-The limitations of rule-based systems and the need for a paradigm shift toward human behavior and state awareness.
- The Role of Human Factors in Serious Injuries and Fatalities (SIFs)
- The ROI of Safety
How safety culture improvements translate into measurable business outcomes: reduced downtime, lower turnover, and better morale.

Larry Wilson

CEO

SafeStart International

11:30 Case Study

Effective Safety Leadership: Strategies for a Resilient and Future-Proof Workplace

- Safety as a Strategic Core Value:
- How leaders integrate safety into decision-making.
- Psychological Safety and Crisis Management: The importance of fostering an open safety culture where employees feel safe to report risks and suggest improvements.
- Innovation and Technology: Utilizing data and digitalization to proactively manage safety risks.
- Future-Proof EHS Strategies: Preparing for emerging risks such as climate change, stricter regulations, and new technologies.

Linda Joosen

EHS Western Continental Europe Cluster
Manager, Chair EMEA EHS Ambassadors

Cushman & Wakefield

12:00 Lunch Time

13:00 Coffee & Networking

Evolving EPC Contracting: Enhancing Performance for Long-term Success

13:30 Case Study

Legal Strategies for Supporting Energy Transition Projects

- Navigate evolving regulatory frameworks impacting renewable energy developments
- Mitigate contractual risks in emerging green technology partnerships
- Support corporate governance aligned with ESG and sustainability goals
- Facilitate cross-border collaboration through compliant legal structures

Gaston Bilder

General Counsel

ENOWA (NEOM)

14:00 Case Study

Leading Legal Strategy in EPC and Smart Contracting for Large-Scale Projects

- EPC Contracting Expertise: Advising on the structuring and negotiation of complex EPC contracts for large-scale infrastructure and construction projects.
- Smart Contracting for Efficiency: Implementing blockchain-based smart contracts to streamline project execution, reduce delays, and ensure transparency.
- Legal Innovation in Project Delivery: Offering forward-thinking legal solutions to ensure projects are delivered on time, within budget, and in compliance with regulations.

Virginie Colauta

Partner

LMS Legal LLP

14:30 Afternoon Tea and Networking

15:00 Case Study

Navigating Legal Risk and Contractual Complexity in Global EPC Projects

- Strategies for mitigating legal and contractual risks across multi-jurisdictional EPC contracts
- Cost reimbursable EPC structures – good or bad?
- Joint ventures, approaches to liability and other variants on the traditional EPC structures
- EPC in nuclear: sector specific issues

Matthew Smith

Partner

Practice Group Coordinator

Construction and Engineering

K&L Gates LLP

EPC: Transformation & Beyond

15:30 Case Study

Innovative Procurement and Project Management in Construction: Humanoid Robotics transformation in EPC.

- Hyper-Personalization
- Autonomous Decision Making
- Anomaly Detection
- Negative or Reverse Impact of AI
- Humanoid Robots Risk

Muhammad Aamir Awan

Director Procurement

Project Management

Vinci Construction

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