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Venue:
Royal Maxim Palace Kempinski Cairo, First Settlement - 11477 Cairo - Egypt

Agenda

First Day – March 28th

10:00-11:00	Welcoming Coffee & Registration
11:00 - 13:00	Opening Ceremony Master of Ceremony: Dr. Khaled HABIB, Strategic Planning and Transformation Consultant
11:00 - 11:30	Welcome Speeches: Jauad EL KHARRAZ, Executive Director, RCREEE Giorgio GRADITI, President, MEDENER Jamila MATTAR, Director of Energy Department, The League of Arab States Ali Mohamed ABDEL FATTAH, Permanent Undersecretary of the Ministry of Electricity and Renewable Energy, Egypt Ahmed EL BELTAGUI, Energy Program Manager, the European Union Delegation to Egypt H.E. Ambassador Christian BERGER, Head of the European Union Delegation to Egypt (Online Speech)
11:30 - 12:40	High-Level Dialogue on Energy Transition in the Mediterranean Region and the pathway to COP 27 Moderator: Jauad EL KHARRAZ, Executive Director, RCREEE Houda ALLAL, Director, OME Grammenos MASTROJENI, Senior Deputy Secretary General, UfM Energy and Climate Action Fethi HANCHI, General Director, Agence Nationale de la Maîtrise de l'Énergie, Tunisia Cyril DEWALEYNE, Programme Officer, European Commission DG NEAR Matteo FUMERIO, International Relations Officer, European Commission DG ENER
12:40 - 13:00	The meetMED II project Context and goals Agathe LACOMBE, meetMED II project Manager, ADEME Ashraf KRAIDY, meetMED II Deputy Project Manager, RCREEE Practicalities for the first meetMED week Corinna VIOLA, Activity A2.1 Leader, ENEA



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13:00 - 14:00	Lunch time
14:00 - 16:00	<p>Plenary Session 1: Mediterranean Sustainable Energy Investment Forum Good practices and innovative funding mechanisms addressed to both buildings and appliances will be presented. The goal is to facilitate the discussion among relevant stakeholders in order to identify barriers and single out the enabling conditions and necessary changes in the national legal frameworks to develop a conducive business environment.</p>
14:00 - 14:40	<p>Introduction Maged MAHMOUD, WP5 Leader, RCREEE Edoardo PANDOLFI, Activity A5.1.2 Leader, ENEA</p> <p>Keynote Presentations Moderator: Roberta BONIOTTI, MEDENER Secretary General</p> <p>Anette JAHN, Head of Sector, CINEA, European Commission Peter SWEATMAN, Energy Efficiency Financial Institutions Group (EEFIG) Cristina CASELLA, Programme Manager, DG NEAR, EU Commission</p>
14:40 - 15:40	<p>Roundtable: Moderator: Maged MAHMOUD, Technical Director, RCREEE</p> <p>Abdelkader BACCOUCHE, Agence Nationale de la Maîtrise de l'Énergie, Tunisia Davide CANNAROZZI, Ceo & Founder, GNE Finance Rasmi HAMZEH, Executive Director, Jordan Renewables and Energy Efficiency Fund Assen GASHAROV, Senior Expert on Energy Efficiency, EIB Gabriel de LASTOURS, Energy for Southern and Eastern Mediterranean, EBRD José LOPEZ, AFD Naguib AMIN, Team Leader, CLIMA-MED project</p>
15:40 - 16:00	Final discussion & Take away messages for COP27



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Second Day – March 29th

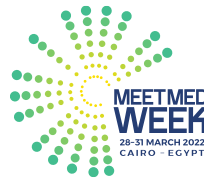
10:00-11:00	Welcoming Coffee & Registration
11:00 - 13:00	<p>Plenary Session 2: Concerted Action on Buildings (Part 1)</p> <p>The building sector is responsible from 20% up to 35% of the total energy consumption of each country of the region. To reduce it countries have been implementing a number of measures such as building codes, insulation standards, minimum energy performance standards (MEPS) and labelling systems for appliances. Despite the government commitments and regulatory and institutional frameworks, the implementation of these measures is evolving slowly.</p> <p>To counter these bottlenecks, Concerted Action on buildings aims to progressively harmonize strategies and policies on energy efficiency in buildings and appliances and to strengthen regional cooperation.</p>
11:00 - 11:20	<p>The Concerted Action for Building from meetMED project perspective</p> <p>Agathe LACOMBE, meetMED Project Manager, ADEME Alessandro FEDERICI, WP2 Leader, ENEA Marie-Pierre MEILLAN, WP3 Leader, ADEME Rui FRAGOSO, Activity A2.2 Leader, ADENE</p>
11:20 - 13:00	<p>Keynote Presentations:</p> <p>Anette PERSSON, Buildings and Products Unit, DG ENER, EU Commission - EPBD Concerted Action and implementation of the Renovation Wave Jens LAUSTSEN, Coordinator of the EPBD Concerted Action - Focus on European Level Rui FRAGOSO, ADENE - EnR study on Renovation Wave</p> <p>Round Table:</p> <p>Moderator: Alicia TSITSIKALIS, ADEME</p> <p>Dario CHELLO, Chef d'Equipe, Programme Technical Assistance in Algeria Eman ADEL, RCREEE Naguib AMIN, Team Leader, CLIMA MED Project Rym NAFTI, PEEB Tunisia, Programme for Energy Efficiency in Building (PEEB) Nora STEURER, UNEP GlobalABC Pedro CARDOSO, ADENE Bernard MASSABO, General Secretary at EUROMED, Nice Metropole (France)</p>
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch time
14:00 - 16:00	<p>Plenary Session 2: Concerted Actions on Buildings (Part 2) Technicalities of EE in Buildings</p>



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<p>14:00 - 15:40</p>	<p>Moderator: Rui FRAGOSO, ADENE</p> <p>Energy Efficiency Building Codes Cláudia MONTEIRO, ADENE, Working group leader - Introduction Radouan YESSOUF, AMEE - Règlement thermique de Construction au Maroc (RtCm) Imed TRIKI, ANME - Thermal regulations for new buildings in Tunisia</p> <p>Building Renovation Anna SÁLAMA, ENEA, Working group leader - Introduction Maria Anna SEGRETO, ENEA - TEESCHOOLS Mohammad MOSLEH, RSS - Promoting Energy Efficient Technologies through Good Practices in Public Buildings</p> <p>Labelling and Training Cláudia MONTEIRO, Working group leader, ADENE - Introduction Rayan MOURTADA, ALMEE - GRASSMED GREEN BOOCC Imed TRIKI, ANME - Tunisian building label</p> <p>Financing Anna SÁLAMA, ENEA, Working group leader - Introduction Aristotelis BOTZIOS-VALASKAKIS, CRES - Energy Performance Contracts: Financing Opportunities and Challenges Imed TRIKI, ANME - Energy transition fund: Financial tool for promoting EE</p>
<p>15:40 - 16:00</p>	<p>Final discussion & Take away messages for COP27</p>

Third Day – March 30th

<p>10:00-11:00</p>	<p>Welcoming Coffee & Registration</p>
<p>11:00 - 13:00</p>	<p>Plenary Session 3: Concerted Action on Appliances (Part 1)</p> <p>Appliances are one of the highest consumers in the SEMCs. A key concern is the low-quality products in the local market that do not take into consideration energy consumption. The Concerted Action focuses on assisting policy makers towards a harmonized energy efficiency legislations and standards in the region. To this aim, harmonized standards and regulations in the appliances' sector will help in the smooth flow of quality/efficient product that will consequently increase the consumer's demand for high-efficiency electrical appliances and help remove inefficient products from the market.</p>
<p>11:00 - 11:20</p>	<p>The Concerted Action for Appliances from meetMED project perspective</p> <p>Ashraf KRAIDY, meetMED Deputy Project Manager, RCREEE Alessandro FEDERICI, WP2 Leader, ENEA Ahmed KHALIL, WP4 Leader, RCREEE Asmaa AHMED, meetMED Communication Expert, RCREEE</p>



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<p>11:20 - 13:00</p>	<p>Keynote presentation</p> <p>Paolo TOSORATTI, Policy Officer, Buildings and Products Unit, DG ENER, EU Commission</p> <p>Roundtable: Efficient Appliances to Facilitate Energy Transition in SEMCs Moderator: Mohamed ABDELHAMEED, RCREEE</p> <p>Abdelkader BACCOUCHE, ANME Khalid ELFARRA, CEO TARSHEED Katja EISBRENNER, COOL-UP Programme Andreas Hermelink, COOL-UP Programme Ioana SANDU, EEPliant3 Project Mohamed BAYOUMI, UNDP Egypt</p>
<p>13:00 - 14:00</p>	<p>Lunch Break</p>
<p>14:00 - 16:00</p>	<p>Plenary Session 3: Concerted Action on Appliances (Part 2) Technicalities of Efficient Appliances</p>
<p>14:00 - 15:40</p>	<p>Keynote presentation</p> <p>Ahmed KHALIL, RCREEE - Key Pillars for Efficient Appliances</p> <p>Moderator: Ahmed KHALIL, RCREEE</p> <p>Appliances' MEPS & Standards Akram ALMOHAMADI, RCREEE - Regional Overview (Focus on activities A2.3 & A4.1.3)</p> <p>Market Surveillance & testing Abdelkader BACCOUCHE, ANME - Regional Overview (Focus on activity A4.1.2) Fethi HANCHI, ANME - Market Surveillance in Tunisia</p> <p>Scrapping Campaigns Ioana SANDU, PROSAFE – EU experience in scrapping campaigns</p> <p>Awareness raising & training Eman ADEL, RCREEE - Regional Overview (Focus on activities A4.2)</p> <p>Financing of efficient appliances Mohamed ABDELHAMEED, RCREEE - Regional Overview Mr. Rani AL ACHKAR, LCEC - Financing of Efficient Appliances in Lebanon</p>
<p>15:40 - 16:00</p>	<p>Final discussion & Take away messages for COP27</p>



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Fourth Day – March 31st

10:00-11:00	Welcoming Coffee & Registration
11:00 - 13:00	<p>Plenary Session 4: Monitoring Energy Efficiency</p> <p>MeetMED II will implement a common Regional Energy Observatory Database on energy efficiency indicators and complete / update data on buildings and appliances, in order to follow up NEEAPs and national strategies' implementation. The meeting will foster international comparison based on harmonized set of energy efficiency indicators and exchange of information on good practices of data collection and energy efficiency trends analysis, as well as on information about practices on energy modelling and NEEAP development and implementation.</p>
11:00 - 11:30	<p>Overview of meetMED project focus on policies and M&E Approach</p> <p>Agathe LACOMBE, meetMED Project Manager, ADEME Alessandro FEDERICI, WP2 Leader, ENEA Didier BOSSEBOEUF, Activity A2.4 Leader, ADEME</p>
11:30 - 12:40	<p>Moderator: Didier BOSSEBOEUF, ADEME</p> <p>Specific energy efficiency indicators in buildings and appliances Florent GAUTHIER, ENERDATA/ADEME Hossam AL HERAFI, RCREEE Feedbacks from new-comers</p> <p>Exchange of information and practices in national planning activities Bruno LAPILLONNE, ENERDATA/ADEME - Survey results APRUE - National practice</p> <p>Exchange of information and practices in NEEAPs and national strategies implementation Hossam AL HERAFI, RCREEE - Survey results Muhieddin TAWALBEH, RSS/NERC - The experience of Jordan Mohammad MOBAYYED, PEC/PENRA - The experience of Palestine</p>
12:40 - 13:00	Final discussion & Take away messages for COP27
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch time
14:00 - 16:00	<p>Closing Plenary:</p> <p>Moderator: Ashraf KRAIDY, meetMED Deputy Project Manager, RCREEE</p> <p>Maged MAHMOUD, Activity A5.1.2 Leader, RCREEE Rui FRAGOSO, Activity A2.2 Leader, ADENE Ahmed KHALIL, WP4 and Activity A2.3 Leader, RCREEE Hossam AL HERAFI, Activity A2.4 Leader, RCREEE</p> <p>Key messages</p> <p>The way forward to COP27</p>



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	<p>Mohammed ELHUSSEINY, UfM Energy and Climate Action Houda ALLAL, Director, OME Ahmed EL BELTAGUI, EU Delegation Marco BERTI PALAZZI, International Relations Officer, European Commission DG ENER</p> <p>MeetMED II Letter of Intent for COP27 Alessandro FEDERICI, ENEA - Closing remarks and word Agathe LACOMBE, meetMED Project Manager, RCREEE Giorgio GRADITI, President, MEDENER Jauad EL KHARRAZ, Executive Director, RCREEE</p> <p>Signature of the Letter of Intent</p>
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Media representatives are most welcome to attend this event.

Useful Information

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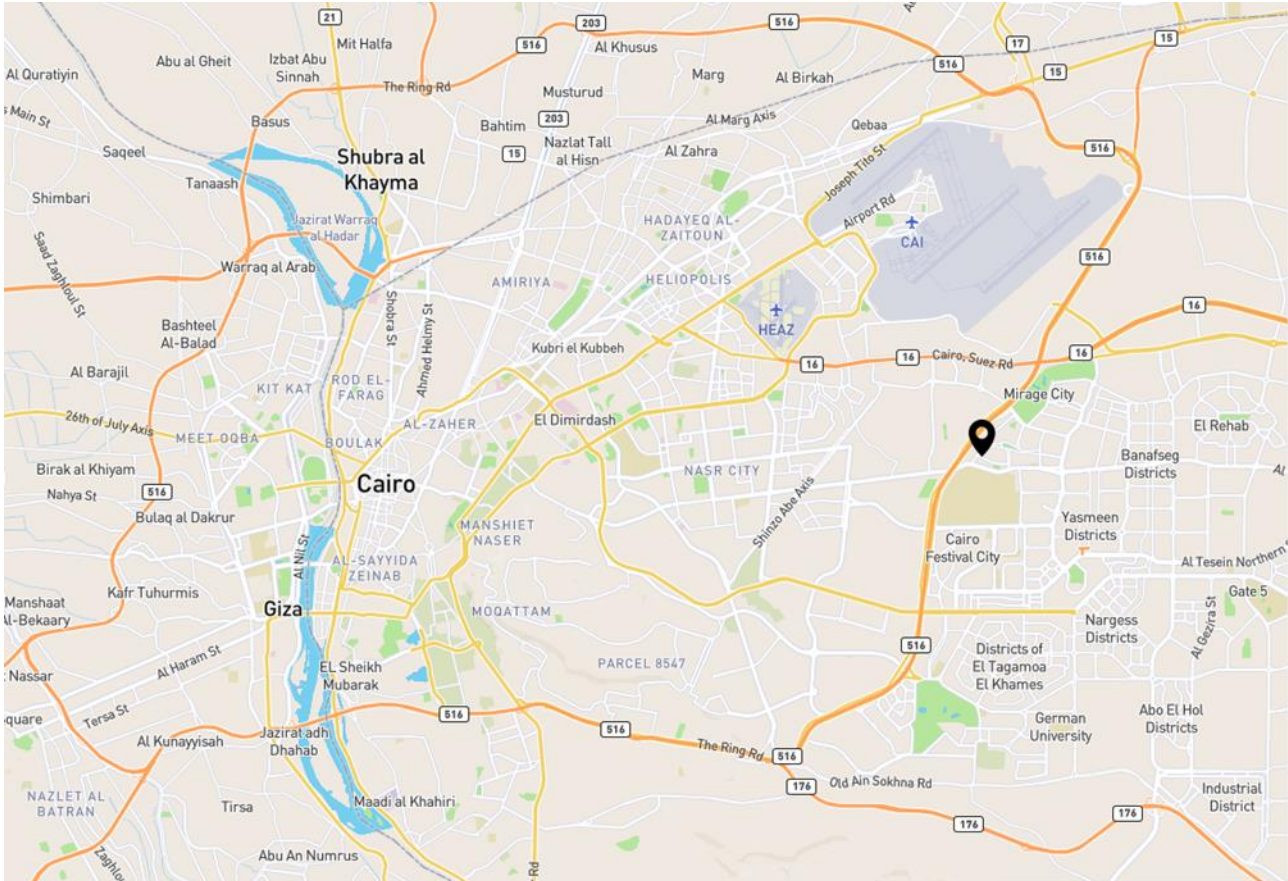


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VENUE INFORMATION

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MAP



Directions:

Travelling from Cairo International Airport by car, the journey takes approximately 15 minutes.

Take the ring road exit from inside the airport towards the direction of Maadi. Once you get on the ring road, you will be able to see the hotel on your left-hand side. Continue on the ring road until you reach the First Settlement bridge (near the police academy) and take the U-turn to the other side of the ring road. The hotel will be on the right-hand side.