

# Naturgas Congress: Driving Innovation in Latin America and the Caribbean's Energy Future, April 9 to 11, 2025, Barranquilla, Colombia

# **Key Points:**

#### • Leadership Role of the Global South in Energy Transformation

The 27th Naturgas Congress emphasizes the critical role of the global south in stabilizing global energy markets and advancing renewable gas technologies. Colombia, as the host nation, aims to champion this effort by fostering strategic alliances and dialogues to secure natural and renewable gases as essential components of global energy transformation.

### Comprehensive Conference Agenda

The event features a strategic conference, technical sessions, and a climate hub, providing platforms for high-level dialogues, technical excellence, and industry advancements in sustainability. The agenda includes discussions on LNG's role in energy security, infrastructure development, and emissions reduction, aligning with regional and international climate goals.

# • Opportunities for Stakeholders

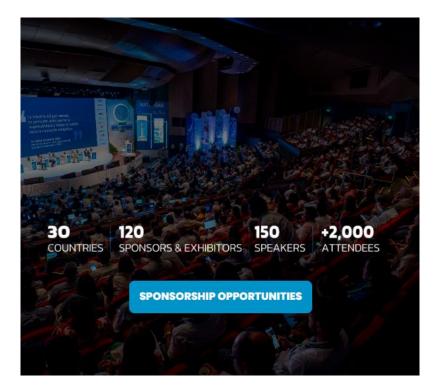
The Congress offers unique opportunities for sponsors, exhibitors, and speakers to showcase innovations, connect with key industry leaders, and influence policymaking. Exhibitors can leverage the platform to promote technologies and services, while sponsors gain visibility and access to transformative projects in the natural gas and energy sectors.



New York, New York January 22, 2025 - PRISM MediaWire - Hosted by the Colombia Natural Gas Association (Naturgas), the 27th edition of the Naturgas Congress is the largest and leading gas event in Latin America and the Caribbean, providing a regional voice for the global south.

Natural gas is poised to play a pivotal role in the energy future and the world's efforts to mitigate climate change, serving as a cleaner transitional fuel as the world moves away from more carbon-intensive energy sources. The gas industry primarily aims to promote quality of life through the transformative force of gases, providing global energy security, and tackling energy poverty worldwide while still generating profitable results. This resource is crucial in today's economies as a social, environmental, and economic development engine.

Nations in the global south are ready to stabilize the global energy market, as its Caribbean / Atlantic offshore basin is currently becoming an energy hub able to provide supply assurance to the region and the world. Colombia is well positioned to provide a voice for the global south nations by establishing strategic alliances with energy leaders and important dialogues with governments to firmly secure natural gas and renewable gases as critical resources for global energy transformation.





"The global south can inject additional stability into the global energy market, as its Caribbean / Atlantic offshore basin is transforming into an energy hub able to provide assurance of supply. However, prioritizing energy security and expanding renewable gas technologies, can and should go, hand-in-hand. I believe in the power of partnerships. Colombia is ready to champion the voice of the global south by establishing strategic alliances with energy leaders, as well as strategic dialogues with governments to firmly secure natural gas and renewable gases as the fundamental source for global energy transformation." - Luz Stella Murgas, President, Naturgas

# VENUE: CONVENTION CENTER PUERTA DE ORO, BARRANQUILLA



Puerta de Oro is the second largest convention center in the country, consolidating Barranquilla as a capital of local and international events. Puerta de Oro hosts major events that increase the competitiveness and projection of Barranquilla, and impact the development of commercial, industrial and tourist activity in the city.



Its location makes Puerta de Oro the perfect place for the 27th edition of the Congreso Naturgas:

- 15 minutes from the historic city center.
- 15 minutes from the hotel, financial and commercial area of Barranquilla.
- 15 minutes from Circunvalar Avenue, which connects the city with important industrial corridors and free trade zones.
- 45 minutes from Ernesto Cortissoz International Airport.
- 1 hour and a half from Cartagena de Indias and 1 hour and 15 minutes from Santa Marta by land.

### STRATEGIC CONFERENCE



The strategic conference brings together 100+ regional ministers, public sector stakeholders, policy makers and thought leaders with international executives, major contractors, developers and technology providers alongside financial institutions, investors, and business leaders. Expect keynote presentations, high level leadership debates and solution focused conversational style panel discussions delivering cutting edge content and industry insights.



This edition's strategic agenda includes high-level dialogues focused on the role of LNG as a crucial resource for global energy security, expanding and enhancing infrastructure to help meet global energy demand, while promoting strategic projects for supply assurance.

# TECHNICAL CONFERENCE



The Naturgas Congress Technical Conference welcomes a two-day programme of technical excellence delivered through a "Call for Abstracts" campaign and an expert steering committee.

Naturgas Congress invites you and your organisation to apply to speak at the 2025 technical conference and share your expertise with our audience of 2000 local, regional and international energy professionals. It provides unparalleled exposure to the Tier 1 operators and project developers shaping the energy landscape across Colombia, Latin America and the Caribbean, as well as national and regional government & policymaking heads.



The Naturgas Congress Call for Abstracts is open to the entire natural gas value chain, welcoming applications from candidates with a diverse background and broad experience. Technical conference speakers will be specialists in the fields of technology, innovation, data, process engineering, project and programme management, product management, and research.

#### **CLIMATE HUB**

In line with the recent COP16 in Colombia and COP28 in Azerbaijan, the climate hub during the Naturgas Congress will offer the audience an experience around the advances of the industry in terms of biodiversity, climate change and protection of life.

Within this hub, it is intended to show that this is an industry committed to practices that prioritize sustainability and the protection and respect for biodiversity, understanding the wealth that this component means for our country. Additionally, it will share good practices in terms of emissions reduction and national and international commitments of the global south to contribute to the climate goals of the regions and the world in general.

### **EXHIBITING OPPORTUNITIES**





Exhibiting at Naturgas Congress 2025 provides your organisation with an unparalleled business platform to showcase your company's products, technologies and services to local, regional and international business leaders, policymakers and industry professionals.

The exhibition will enable solution providers to showcase new products, technologies, and services while building and strengthening relationships to leverage market opportunities and forge new business across the region and the entire natural gas, LNG and energy value chain. Participants will be able to explore the latest solutions, services, and technologies that will increase operational efficiencies, reduce carbon emissions, and enhance business performance.

Don't miss your opportunity to showcase your company at the Naturgas Congress International expo and contact the team today - <a href="mailto:americas@gep-events.com">americas@gep-events.com</a>

A truly regional and international event for Colombia, Latin America & Caribbean natural gas markets.









# **REQUEST FLOORPLAN**

#### SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Partnering with the Naturgas Congress offers unprecedented access to project and partnership opportunities in a market with a huge transformative potential for the global south and a just and equitable energy transition.

The Naturgas Congress offers great opportunities for companies looking to develop and secure projects, influence policymakers, promote and market technologies, products and services into the regional and international natural gas market.



Becoming a sponsor of the congress can help your business access new markets, attract new clients, and elevate your brand while providing your company with the ideal platform to position your business as an industry leader and to showcase your projects, technologies, products and services to the key players across the natural gas value chain. As a sponsor, your company will connect with the industry's most important stakeholders, enabling you to forge new partnerships, capitalise on growth opportunities and demonstrate your business strength, innovation and expertise.

# **Request Sponsorship Opportunities**

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