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Workshop on Reimagining Nuclear Energy

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Information Sheet

Introduction

Building on the successful event entitled *Reimagining Nuclear, Inspiring Youth*, held during the IAEA International Ministerial Conference on Nuclear Power in the 21st Century, from 26 to 28 October 2022, this event will explore innovative and creative ways to present nuclear energy to various audiences. Participants will have an opportunity to present their efforts and strategies for creating a new image for nuclear power, and exchange experiences and lessons learned from engaging and communicating with various groups of stakeholders. The workshop will be highly interactive, offering presentations, panel discussions and hands-on exercises.

Objectives

The purpose of the event is to explore new ways to portray nuclear energy as a modern, socially beneficial source of clean energy that can contribute to climate change mitigation and socioeconomic development, as well as offer numerous opportunities for future generations.

Target Audience

The event will gather government officials, nuclear facility operators, and other nuclear energy actors who are in charge of the development or implementation of national stakeholder engagement and communication strategies for nuclear power programmes, young nuclear professionals and nuclear advocates.

Working Language(s)

English

Topics

The event will consist of a series of presentations, group discussions, panels and interactive breakout sessions focusing on creative and effective ways for engaging with stakeholders, using IAEA and other available science-based resources. Selected presentations will be captured in a report produced by the IAEA. Topics may include but are not limited to:

- Mapping of stakeholder groups
- Choosing communication channels for different audiences
- Relationship and trust building
- Engaging with anti-nuclear activists
- Engaging stakeholders through art
- Engaging stakeholders through targeted education activities
- Lessons learned in stakeholder engagement

The event will also consider IAEA support on stakeholder engagement, including existing and potential capacity building activities by the IAEA, guidance publications and other tools.

All relevant information, including agenda, will be posted on this [web page](#).

Participation and Registration

All persons wishing to participate in the event have to be designated by an IAEA Member State or should be members of organizations that have been invited to attend.

In order to be designated by an IAEA Member State, participants are requested to send the **Participation Form (Form A)** to their competent national authority (e.g. Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Permanent Mission to the IAEA or National Atomic Energy Authority) for onward transmission to the IAEA by **31 January 2023**. Participants who are members of an organization invited to attend are requested to send the **Participation Form (Form A)** through their organization to the IAEA by the above deadline.

Selected participants will be informed in due course on the procedures to be followed with regard to administrative and financial matters.

Participants are hereby informed that the personal data they submit will be processed in line with the [Agency's Personal Data and Privacy Policy](#) and is collected solely for the purpose(s) of reviewing and assessing the application and to complete logistical arrangements where required. The IAEA may also use the contact details of Applicants to inform them of the IAEA's scientific and technical publications, or the latest employment opportunities and current open vacancies at the IAEA. These secondary purposes are consistent with the IAEA's mandate.

Papers and Presentations

The IAEA encourages participants to give presentations on the work of their respective institutions that falls under the topics listed above.

Expenditures and Grants

No registration fee is charged to participants.

The IAEA is generally not in a position to bear the travel and other costs of participants in the event. The IAEA has, however, limited funds at its disposal to help meet the cost of attendance of certain participants. Upon specific request, such assistance may be offered to normally one participant per country, provided that, in the IAEA's view, the participant will make an important contribution to the event.

The application for financial support should be made using the **Grant Application Form (Form C)**, which has to be stamped, signed and submitted by the competent national authority to the IAEA together with the **Participation Form (Form A)** by **31 January 2023**.

Venue

The event will be held at the Vienna International Centre (VIC), where the IAEA's Headquarters are located. Participants must make their own travel and accommodation arrangements.

General information on the VIC and other practical details, such as a list of hotels offering a reduced rate for IAEA participants, are listed on the following IAEA web page:

www.iaea.org/events.

Participants are advised to arrive at Checkpoint 1/Gate 1 of the VIC one hour before the start of the event on the first day in order to allow for timely registration. Participants will need to present an official photo identification document in order to be admitted to the VIC premises.

Visas

Participants who require a visa to enter Austria should submit the necessary application to the nearest diplomatic or consular representative of Austria at least four weeks before they travel to Austria. Since Austria is a Schengen State, persons requiring a visa will have to apply for a Schengen visa. In States where Austria has no diplomatic mission, visas can be obtained from the consular authority of a Schengen Partner State representing Austria in the country in question.

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Subsequent correspondence on scientific matters should be sent to the Scientific Secretary/Secretaries and correspondence on other matters related to the event to the Administrative Secretary.