

Workshop

## East Africa Shared Gas Initiative

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Columbia University Campus, Paris

FEEM jointly with KAPSARC and the Columbia University SIPA Center on Global Energy Policy is partner of the Eastern Africa Shared Gas Infrastructure Initiative. The research initiative investigates potential demand for natural gas in the Eastern African region based on the development of resources. The countries analyzed include Mozambique, Tanzania, Kenya, Uganda, Malawi, Rwanda, Burundi, Ethiopia and South Africa. The study looks at the best ways to effectively develop gas use in these countries based on case studies and investigates potential for more localized use of natural gas. Also the role renewable energies can play in the interaction with natural gas will be addressed. Moreover, the project analyzes to what extent the availability of gas supplies can trigger additional demand developments beyond what could be achieved due to normal energy demand growth and substitution. During the workshop will be discussed the first results and future outputs. The workshop is structured in three sessions: 1. *Role of gas in East Africa*; 2. *Strategies for gas demand development*; 3. *Developing regional transport infrastructure*.

## Agenda

9:00 *Registration of participants*

### 9:30 – 9:50 Welcome address

Kang **Wu**, KAPSARC

Tim **Boersma**, SIPA Center on Global Energy Policy

Manfred **Hafner**, Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei

### 9:50 – 11:50 Session 1. Role of gas in East Africa

*Understanding the current situation in East Africa*

Anne-Sophie **Corbeau**, KAPSARC

*How to foster the domestic development of natural gas from an industry's point of view*

Dario **Speranza**, Eni

*Natural gas and renewable energies: can natural gas serve as a complement to renewable energies?*

Giovanni **Occhiali**, Fondazione Eni Enrico Mattei

11:50 - 13:00 *Networking Lunch*

### 13:00 – 14:30 Session 2. Strategies for gas demand development

*Future trajectory of gas demand: anticipated gas demand developments*

Tatiana **Mitrova**, Columbia Center on Global Energy Policy

*Focus on Mozambique plans to develop downstream gas demand*

Isabel **Chuvambe**, INP

*Focus on South Africa's plans to develop downstream gas demand FEEM and Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore*

Kishan **Pilay**, South African Department of Trade & Industry

14:30 - 15:00 *Coffee Break*

### 15:00 – 16:30 Session 3. Developing regional transport infrastructure

*How best to develop a gas pipeline network within the region*

Thierry **Deschuyteneer**, Fluxys

*Financing the development of infrastructure*

Paul **Eardley-Taylor**, Standard Bank

16:30 - 16:45 *Closing Remarks*