

7TH INTERNATIONAL FORUM

MINERAL RESOURCES IN GREECE

A Driving Force for Economic Development

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The 7th International Forum on Mineral Resources is the most important annual event on Mining and Raw Materials in Greece. The event will address all important issues of the Mining Sector and will focus on the significant contribution of the Mineral Resources to the development of the Greek economy.

AGENDA:

ROUNDTABLE 1

EU policies for securing a sustainable supply of raw materials.

Raw materials are crucial to Europe's economy and essential to maintaining and improving our quality of life. Securing reliable and unhindered access to certain raw materials is a growing concern within the EU and across the globe. Which are the Commission's actions at EU and international level?

ROUNDTABLE 2

Developing the objectives and the framework of a national mining and minerals policy.

How can we develop a framework that Greece's deposits are managed in a long-term sustainable way and at the same time establish an effective and active system for organising permits, supervision and information that facilitate the exploration and extraction of the mineral substances?

ROUNDTABLE 3

Innovations in mining: Safety, Energy and the Environment.

One of the primary concerns of the industry is promoting cooperative research and development of mining technologies that are energy efficient, enable sustained economic growth and are environmentally safe. What are the recent innovations on the above fields?

Among this year's confirmed speakers include:



Michalis Verriopoulos
Secretary General for Energy & Mineral Resources, Ministry of Environment & Energy



Gwenole Cozigou
DG Enterprise & Industry, Director, European Commission



Mark Rachovides
President, Euromines



Athanasios Kefalas
President, Greek Mining Enterprises Association



Dimitris Dimitriadis
General Director, Thracian Gold Mining S.A.



Georges Kremlis
Head of Unit, DG Environment, European Commission



Yannis Maniatis
MP Democratic Coalition, f. Minister of Environment & Energy



Christos Kavalopoulos
General Manager, Greek Mining Enterprises Association



Kostas Skrekas
MP, New Democracy Party former Minister of Development & Competitiveness



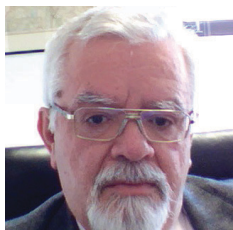
George Stasinou
President, Technical Chamber of Greece



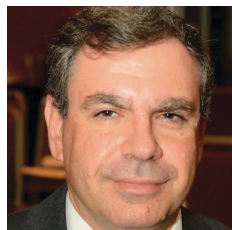
Athanasios Savvakis
President, Federation of Industries of Northern Greece (FING)



Vasili Nicoletopoulos
CEO Natural Resources PC



Marios Leonardos
Mining & Geotechnical Consultant



Nikos Vettas
Director General, Foundation for Economic and Financial Research



Kyriakos Assimakopoulos
Mining & Raw Materials Manager, Heracles Group of Companies, LAFARGE Holcim



Katerina Adam
Associate Professor of Mining & Metallurgical Engineering, NTUA



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