

IRENA Youth Forum: The New Generation of Decision Makers

Renewables Beyond 2030 The Key Role of Youth in the Global Energy Transformation

Tenth session of the IRENA Assembly
10 January 2020, 14:15 – 18:00, Olive Garden Terrace
St. Regis Hotel, Saadiyat Island, Abu Dhabi

AGENDA

14:15 – 14:20 Group Photo Opportunity with High-Level Speakers

14:20 – 14:40 Welcome Remarks

Francesco La Camera, Director-General, IRENA

Dr. Thani Ahmed Al Zeyoudi, Minister, Ministry of Climate Change and Environment,
United Arab Emirates

14:40 – 15:10 Keynote Speech and Interactive Session

Tijjani Muhammad-Bande, President, UN General Assembly 74th Session, United
Nations

15:10 – 16:30 Working Groups Session

- ***Working group 1: Innovation and Renewables***
Moderator: Helen Watts, Director of Innovation and Partnerships, Student Energy
IRENA Representative: Arina Anisie, IITC
- ***Working group 2: Adaptation and Mitigation Efforts and the Role of Renewables***
Moderator: Yugratna Srivastava, Global Focal Point, UNEP- Major Group for Children
and Youth
IRENA Representative: Anuar Tassymov, CSP
- ***Working group 3: Socio-economic Benefits of Renewable Energy***
Moderator: Joshua Amponsem, Executive Director, Green Africa Youth Organization
IRENA Representative: Samah Elsayed, KPFC

16:30 – 18:00 Townhall Session: The Key Role of Youth in the Global Energy Transformation

*The session will start with a presentation of summaries from the Working Groups.

Panelists:

Dr. Kandeh Kolley Yumkella, Member of the Parliament, Sierra Leone

Ditte Juul Jørgensen, Director General at Directorate-General Energy, European Commission