

Automotive Engineering Day

Towards Sustainable Transportation in Developing Countries

Agenda

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Saturday, April 22, 2017

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Registration and Reception
9:00 am - 9:15 am	Opening Remarks
9:15 am - 9:40 am	Speaker Presentation Filipe Fraga, European transport strategy and policy, Belgium <i>Topic TBD</i>
9:40 am - 10:05 am	Speaker Presentation Dr. Rody Chammas, Hybrid Technologies, Toyota Motor Europe, France <i>Topic TBD</i>
10:05 am - 10:30 am	Speaker Presentation Dr. Charbel Mansour, Energy and Powertrain Systems, LAU, Lebanon <i>Topic TBD</i>
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Break
11:00 am - 11:15 am	Keynote Speech H.E. Minister Caesar Abi Khalil, Ministry of Energy and Water <i>Perspectives for Sustainable Transportation in Lebanon</i>
11:15 am - 11:30 am	Welcoming Speech President Joseph Jabra, LAU
11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Panel Session Moderator: Dr. Hassan Harajli, CEDRO Project Director, UNDP Panelists: Filipe Fraga, Dr. Rody Chammas, Michel-Ange Medlej (Advisor to the Minister, Oil&Gas Strategy, MOEW), Vahakn Kabakian (Climate Change, UNDP), Dr. Raymond Ghajar (Power Systems, LAU), Dr. Marc Haddad (Technology Policy, LAU) <i>What are viable energy transition strategies for sustainable transportation in developing countries? Future trends, enablers and barriers.</i>
12:30 pm - 2:00 pm	Lunch
2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	Interactive Session Dr. Roch Khoury, Thermal Energy Systems, Mines ParisTech, France <i>Topic TBD</i>
3:00 pm - 4:30 pm	Workshops: Porsche (Body Structure and Materials; Transmission Systems), Toyota (Hybrid and Fuel-Cell Powertrains)
4:45 pm	Closing Remarks and Group Picture