



## 22 March 2018, Vaasa City Hall, Finland

The Vaasa Gas Exchange (VGE) event will be held for the third time in 2018. **VGE is organised by University of Vaasa** in partnership with **Gasum, Merinova, Novia University of Applied Sciences, Stormossen, VAMK University of Applied Sciences, VASEK, Wärtsilä** and the **Åbo Akademi University**. In 2017 almost 70 exhibitors participated and we expect over 80 for 2018.

VGE is **part of the Vaasa EnergyWeek** event which is organised in partnership between various actors in the region. The EnergyWeek is an international energy conference consisting of different events. It will be held for the seventh time next year (19 – 23 March 2018). A total of over 4,000 energy experts from various parts of Finland and Europe took part in 2017. The event website is [www.energyweek.fi](http://www.energyweek.fi) and the video from 2017 can be found from [www.youtube.com/watch?v=HaGiJ2sxSNI](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HaGiJ2sxSNI).

### THE PURPOSE AND GOAL OF VGE

**VGE is an international networking event for energy experts, focusing on natural gas and biogas** in all formats for power generation, transport and shipping. The event is held in the **growing regional gas cluster**. The cluster has many active companies and actors working together with innovative projects such as a new LNG terminal, gas fueling stations and an energy laboratory for education and industry. VGE will take place on **Thursday, 22 March 2018** in the **Vaasa City Hall**. At VGE, enterprises will have an opportunity to meet other actors, driving forces and potential partners from Finland and abroad.

At the heart of the event is the **exhibition hall** where exhibitors can showcase their activities and products. Participants have an **opportunity to reserve conference rooms to hold meetings with corporate representatives**. In addition, there will be a free open **seminar, exhibitor briefings** and an **evening and networking function** on Wednesday, 21 March 2018.

### REGISTRATION

Companies are accepted to the event in the order of registration. Those who register first will have a wider choice of location for their stand. Registration takes place either by telephone or email to Teemu Närvä (contact details are at the end of this newsletter).

## PARTICIPATION FEE AND RELATED MATTERS

The participation fee to the VGE event is €1185 (+ VAT) and it includes the following:

- **An exhibition stand in the agreed position**
- **Back and side walls to the stand** (the partition walls are 1m wide)
- **Carpet, brochure stand and a table** (width 103 cm, height 105 cm, depth 53 cm)
- **Electric connections and WLAN**
- **2 lunch vouchers and coffee/tea vouchers**
  - Additional lunch vouchers can be purchased for €11 (+ VAT) each
- **2 tickets to an evening function on 21 March** in the Åbo Akademi premises
  - Additional evening tickets can be purchased for €60 (+ VAT) each
- **Right to use conference rooms for meetings** with company representatives during the event
- **Company listing in VGE marketing material & url link in online exhibitor list**
- **Coat check fee at City Hall**

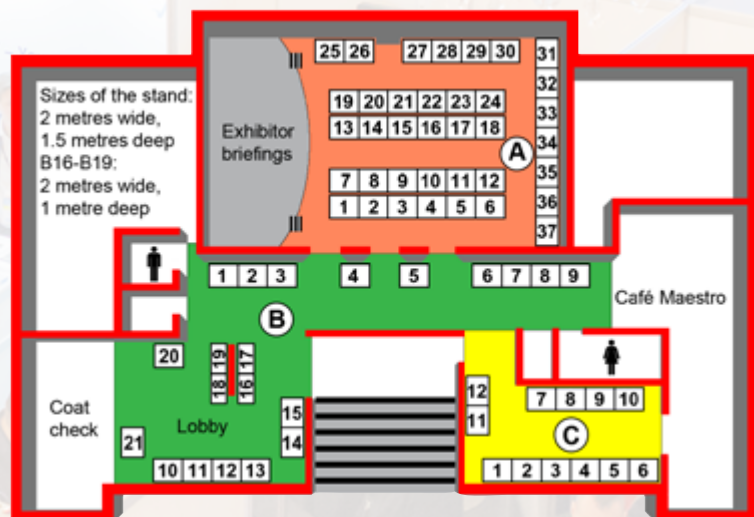
## OTHER TERMS & CONDITIONS, AND EXTRA STRUCTURES FOR THE STANDS

The participation fee does not include chairs, insurance against loss or damage, or any other matters not stated in the above chapter. Extra structures, carpets and/or fittings for your stand can be ordered from Maiseri's ([www.maiseri.fi](http://www.maiseri.fi)) selection: <http://maiseri.fi/media/MaiseriMessupalvelut2017web.pdf>. The exhibition builder will invoice separately for the cost of any extra structures and fittings or carpets.

## CANCELLATION POLICY

For cancellations made by 15 January 2018, we will refund 50% of the participation fee. No refunds will be given for cancellations made after that date. In the event of cancellation, the right to use the stand and other matters included in the participation fee will return to University of Vaasa.

## EXHIBITION MAP



## PRELIMINARY EVENT SCHEDULE

### Wednesday, 21 March 2018

6pm – 7pm Stand set-up  
7pm – 11pm evening and networking event

### Thursday, 22 March 2018

8am – 9am Stand set-up  
9am – 4pm Exhibitor stands are open  
9am – 4pm Conference rooms can be booked  
10am – 3pm Gas Exchange Seminar

## CONTACT DETAILS

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## EXHIBITORS 2017

Ab Stormossen Oy, Ammongas A/S, Askalon Ab filial i Finland, Beijing Fortune High Co. Ltd, Beup Automation Oy, BioGTS Oy, Bioprocess Control AB, Brugg-Pema Oy, City of Vaasa - Logistics Development Unit, Detector Oy, E12 Atlantica Transport, Endress+Hauser Oy, Environment & Bio Solutions AB, Escarmat, Eversheds Asianajotoimisto Oy, Festo Oy, Fimuskraft Oy, Flamkontroll AB, Fuchs Oil Finland Oy, Gasmet Technologies Oy, Gasum, GE Energy, GLS Tanks International GmbH, Höyrytys Oy, Inspecta Oy, iPEC, Iveco Finland Oy, Jeppo Biogas Ab, Klinger Finland Oy, Klinkmann Oy, Kokko Control Oy, Kontram Oy, Kosan Gas Finland Oy, Kovartek Oy, Kvarken Ports Ltd, KäyttöAuto Oy, LNGTainer Ltd, Malmberg Water AB, Masino Industry Oy, Neste Jacobs Oy, Nordic Gas Solutions AB, Oilon Oy, Oy Konwell Ab, Oy Säätö Ab, Ramator Oy, RMV TECH Oy, Roschier Attorneys Ltd, Scania Suomi Oy, Sick Oy, SiGa-Tech s.c., Sintrol Oy, SK Protect Oy, Starline Valves Oy, Sulzer Pumps Finland Oy, TECON textile constructions GmbH, Teknologian tutkimuskeskus VTT Oy, TONISCO Service Oy, TransAlgae Botnia-Atlantica project, University of Vaasa, Uwira Oy, Vaasa Energy Institute, Vahterus Oy, Valmet, Veho Oy Ab, Westenergy Oy Ab, Viessmann Oy, Wärtsilä, Åbo Akademi University.