WELCOME TO MEET ACTORS FROM TODAY’S HOTTEST INDUSTRY

The Vaasa Gas Exchange (VGE) is an international networking event for energy experts, focusing on natural gas and biogas in all forms for power generation, transportation and shipping. VGE will be held for the fourth time in 2019. VGE is the biggest networking event for the gas industry in the Nordics.

VGE is part of the Vaasa EnergyWeek event which will be held for the eighth time in 2019. EnergyWeek website is www.energyweek.fi and VGE website is www.energyweek.fi/vaasa-gas-exchange.

FIND OUT WHAT POSSIBILITIES THE BOOMING GAS MARKET OFFERS

VGE is held in the rapidly growing Nordic 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.

Over 90 exhibitors have registered for 2019. At VGE, you will have the opportunity to meet other actors, driving forces and potential partners from Finland and abroad. During the event visitors can find out what possibilities, challenges and alternatives the gas market offers currently and in the near future.

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.

Register in advance at WWW.ENERGYWEEK.FI or at the event. Participation is free.
GAS EXCHANGE SEMINAR

Theme: LNG & LBG – the Road to a Renewable Future
Chairman Lasse Pohjala, VASEK

The seminar will showcase interesting examples of regional and national natural gas and biogas users. The audience will learn more about how the use of these fuels is enhancing both business and operations. The distribution of natural gas and biogas in the Nordic countries is another central theme of the seminar, showing how growing availability helps interested users in switching to gas fuel. The seminar will also discuss the future for renewable fuels and how natural gas and biogas can be a vital part of the puzzle.

FIRST SESSION - 10:00-11:35

10:00 Opening words from the Chairman

10:05 Joakim Strand, Member of Parliament of Finland, Chairman of Vaasa City Council
Peter Ståhlberg, Managing Director, NLC Ferry / Wasalone
New Ferry Nb 6002 Kvarken Link

10:30 Harri Suistio, Project Engineer, Rauma Marine Constructions
Kvarken Link’s New Ferry Project - Towards the Future

10:50 Mark Bell, General Manager at SGMF, The Society for Gas as a Marine Fuel
Shipping Fuels Post 2020 – the Gas Option and Others

11:10 Gudrun Rollefsen, CEO, Barents NaturGass AS
Why do Businesses Choose Natural Gas?

11:30 Summary from the Chairman

SECOND SESSION - 13:30-15:05

13:30 Jouni Haikarainen, Senior Vice President, Portfolio Management and Trading, Gasum Oy
Gas Outlook in Finland: Where are the Markets Going?

13:55 Reetta Kaila, Sales Manager, Fuel Gas Supply Systems - Wärtsilä Gas Solutions
Marine Operations with LNG and Future Fuels

14:20 Benjamin Berg, Business Developer, Cryo Pur
Cryo Pur: an Innovative Solution for LBG Production

14:40 Jari Lemberg, Project Office Manager, Mirka Ltd.
Case Mirka: Shifting from Heavy Fuel to Gas

15:00 Summary from the Chairman

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