



FUTURE ENERGY LEADERS' PORTUGAL PROGRAMME - FEL.PT

Your opportunity to influence Portugal's future energy landscape

The World Energy Council Portuguese Member Committee is looking for the energy leaders of tomorrow. If you are not older than 35 and think you have got what it takes to shape the future of energy in Portugal, we want to hear from you!

The Future Energy Leaders Portugal programme (FEL.PT) is based on the World Energy Council FEL-100 programme – it is designed to **inspire, grow and develop** the Portuguese energy leaders of tomorrow.

FEL.PT programme participants are invited to:

- Contribute to the World Energy Council's global and National energy dialogue
- Support the development of balanced policy frameworks
- Help shape energy solutions for tomorrow

The FEL.PT community builds on creative ideas and the innovative potential of the next generation, to challenge conventional thinking and explore new strategies for the future of our energy systems. It offers young professionals a unique opportunity to learn and develop, with exposure to critical issues in the energy debate.

As a Future Energy Leader of Portugal you will:

- Attend the World Energy Council Portuguese Member Committee's **workshops, events and meetings**;
- **Access Networking and business opportunities** with the major players in the energy sector at both national and global levels;
- **Participate in** the World Energy Council **Portuguese Member Committee's activities** and get acquainted with the latest technologies and global trends in the energy sector;
- Get connected with a global network of future energy leaders through active collaboration with the **FEL-100 network**;
- Gain access to a potential nomination to the FEL-100 network;
- Participate in other **World Energy Council's regional and international events**;
- Build a professional network as well as interacting with senior energy leaders in the country and from across the world;
- Access and contribute to the World Energy Council's strategic studies and flagship reports;
- Develop and share of a **FEL.PT vision and strategy**

Renewal and Diversity

Every year, new Portuguese Future Energy Leaders are selected in a competitive process to join the Council's FEL.PT programme and become a member of this exclusive global network. We strive for excellence, commitment and diversity. In order to guarantee the quality and continuity of the programme, **each selected individual is initially taken on board for one year**. Afterwards, the opportunity to remain in the programme is offered to those able to demonstrate commitment and involvement. At the end of their tenure, programme participants will receive a certificate and will join the FEL.PT-Alumni community to remain part of the World Energy Council's National network.



Self-governance system

The FEL.PT Programme emphasises the responsibility and independence of its participants. For this purpose, the FEL.PT Board is selected among FEL.PT participants and oversees and monitors the achievement of objectives, compliance with processes, as well as the selection of new programme participants.

Meet the FEL.PT community



“My participation in the FEL programme has been a life changing and enriching experience at all levels. At professional level, it is a unique opportunity not only to deepen my knowledge but also to develop new skills on topics away from my comfort zone, learning with worldwide experts and getting involved in projects alongside them. The global reach of the network also creates a long-lasting network for business partnerships and even enduring friendships. At personal level, to feed my curiosity while challenging myself to go far and beyond is an invaluable takeaway. The more I give to the programme, the more I take away. The FEL-100 also facilitates and promotes diversity of thought by enabling the contact with all major stakeholders within the energy sector cross all geographies and with fellow FELs that share the same passion and will to make the world a better and more sustainable place. This community presents an unique opportunity to cause tangible impact and create a legacy in fast forwarding the energy transition.”

Nuno Silva, Chair of the FEL-100 board



“For me, being part of FEL-100 community is a unique opportunity to be surrounded of amazing and inspiring people that work every day to bring their knowledge to contribute and engage at national and worldwide level to achieve a common goal: a greener and sustainable world. In my first year (2019) as a FEL it was a fantastic experience to be involved in the biggest energy event the “24º World Energy Congress” at Abu Dhabi and present our work as community to governments and senior leaders that can at the moment take decisions to promote the right actions and policies to change our present and the future of next generations! Based on my experience, the FEL-100 programme is a must for young professionals willing to become the energy leaders of tomorrow.”

Pedro Ernesto Ferreira, FEL-100



“Joining FEL-100 programme is an opportunity to make the difference and be instrumental in addressing one of the world's most pressing issues, rather than being just a witness. As a multifaceted Engineer and Energy enthusiast, there could be no better purpose than serving the leading global network of Energy experts. I joined the FEL programme in 2020, and I feel the urge to learn, to be trained, to network but, mostly, to humbly give back, energise the discussion, and contribute to problem-solving. I believe our generation has the opportunity and the duty to endeavour the most needed energy transition while humanising the energy.”

Ana Sousa, FEL-100

For more information on the programme and on how to become a Future Energy Leader please visit <https://apenergia.pt/about-fel-pt/> and www.worldenergy.org or email us through fel.pt@apenergia.pt.