

# Global Coalition for Energy Planning

Vision and principles

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# **GCEP** Global Coalition for Energy Planning

## Current Landscape:

- Need to accelerate energy transition investments especially in EMDEs
- Opportunities to accelerate investments through more effective energy planning
- Diverse landscape for energy planning support in the Global South, with room for greater impact through better alignment

## Why a Global Coalition for Energy Planning?

- Raise political awareness of the relevance of country led energy planning.
- **Bridging Energy Planning and Financing:** The core purpose of the Global Coalition for Energy Planning (GCEP) is to strengthen the connection between energy planning and financing, aiming to reduce costs and mitigate investment risks.
- Set a global agenda and promote increased coordination in energy planning.

# What is GCEP?

- A lean coordination structure.
- Born out of G20 ETWG impactful results.
- Based on current and past G20 presidencies' priorities.

## G20 ENERGY TRANSITIONS MINISTERIAL MEETING

FOZ DO IGUAÇU, 04 OCTOBER 2024

### MINISTERIAL OUTCOME STATEMENT

Note the establishment, by the Brazilian Presidency, of the Global Coalition for Energy Planning (GCEP) and the announcement of the 1st Energy Planning Summit, to be held in 2025 in coordination with the incoming South African Presidency;



### G20 Rio de Janeiro Leaders' Declaration

“We acknowledge the important role of domestic **energy planning**, capacity building, policy strategies and frameworks, as well as cooperation between different levels of government, **in creating enabling environments to attract financing for energy transitions.**”



# Who Makes GCEP?

- An open partnership, with biennial rotating leadership
- No technology prescriptive work

## First biennia

- Brazil to lead the first biennia (2025-2026)
- IRENA invited as the first Secretariat



# Principles of GCEP

- Promoting transparent and effective energy planning
- Facilitating knowledge exchange and capacity building
- Catalyzing investment through enabling environments
- Encouraging national ownership and inclusive participation
- Leveraging existing initiatives and partnerships

# 1<sup>st</sup> Energy Planning Summit

- The Energy Planning Summit will serve as the primary convening body of the GCEP, responsible for setting the strategic direction and reviewing progress towards the Coalition's objectives.
- **Shaping GCEP's Workstreams:** The event will serve as a key platform to discuss, define and structure the workstreams of the Global Coalition for Energy Planning (GCEP).
- **Challenge-led engagement:** Countries and international organizations can choose the workstreams they want to engage with, based on the specific challenges they face in their energy transition. This inclusive and collaborative approach ensures that GCEP's activities reflect diverse perspectives, address real-world needs, and strengthen global cooperation and impact.



## Next steps

- **Expand Country Membership:** Join us in building a strong base of countries in the coalition, with broad participation from developing nations. If your country is interested in becoming a member and shaping the future of energy planning, reach out to us at [gcep@irena.org](mailto:gcep@irena.org).
- **Define Priorities:** Engage member countries to collaboratively establish the coalition's key priorities and strategic focus.
- **High-Impact Events Participation:** Strengthen the coalition's visibility and partnerships by participating in major global events, such as the IRENA Assembly and the SEforALL Forum. Side-event reinforcing SA G20 priorities on energy planning and security
- **1st Energy Planning Summit:** Organize and promote the Summit in Rio as a landmark event to drive international dialogue and shape the future of GCEP.
- **COP30:** Showcase the coalition's progress and foster global collaboration at the COP30, highlighting the role of energy planning as a tool to bridge the investment gap in the energy transition.



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