

High-Level User Meeting 2020

"Operational optimisation and technology development needs for the transition to a carbon-neutral society"

Virtual meeting, 13 October 2020, 13:00-16:30

ETN's High-Level User Meeting (HLUM) is an annual invitation-only meeting bringing together users from the highest management of utilities, industrial users and oil & gas community to discuss issues of strategic importance to our community.

The HLUM is your opportunity to highlight operational requirements and needs for your current fleets as well as technology development needs for the next generation of flexible and carbon-free turbines. Your feedback will be reported to the ETN Board and taken into account in ETN's future strategy. Common agreed priorities will also be presented to OEMs, suppliers & service providers and R&D community at a separate virtual session on 15 October 2020.

Each user will be asked to present 1-3 technical high priority issues or technical development requirements and needs to be discussed. It is an excellent occasion to exchange views and experiences with senior-level users from the oil & gas, utility and industry sectors, and to bring forward short- and long-term turbomachinery development needs that will have an important impact on the profitability of the operations and fulfillment of the users' long-term strategies.

13:00 – 13:30 SESSION I: INTRODUCTION & ETN STRATEGY

Welcome: Christer Björkqvist, ETN Chairperson: Pedro Lopez, Uniper

ETN strategy to enable cost-efficient turbomachinery operations in the energy transition and beyond

- Past HLUM recommendations
- ETN strategy, Working Groups and Projects
- ETN R&D Recommendation Report
- Engine-specific User Group meetings

13:30 – 14:30 SESSION II: USER PRESENTATIONS

Individual shorter presentations from all participants (operational and R&D needs)

14:30 - 15:00 BREAK

15:00 – 16:30 SESSION III: DISCUSSION AND CONCLUSIONS

- Round table discussion of the users' top priorities related to operations and future technology developments
- · Alignment on the ETN strategy and way forward
- Feedback to be presented to the GA
- Closing of the meeting





