



# KOSOVO SOLAR FORUM 2022

## Promoting Investment in Renewable Energy

### Agenda\*

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#### DAY 1 - Thursday, 21 July

##### 09:00 - 09:30 Opening Remarks

- Minister of Economy - Artane Rizvanolli
- Energy Project Management Specialist, USAID - Edmond Shyti

##### 09:30 - 09:45 Session 1 – Investment and Solar PV Market Development

Presentation: USAID/KESS Activity

- Rooftop solar assessment video
- USAID/KESS activity overview
- How to Become a Prosumer (animated video)

##### 09:45 - 10:30 Session 2 - The Future of Prosumers

Intro and panel discussion: Energy Regulatory Office (ERO) and USAID/KESS Activity

- Regulatory Framework to support generators for self-consumption
- Q&A

##### 10:30 - 10:45 Coffee Break

##### 10:45 - 11:15 Session 3 - Investing and Financing Small-scale Solar Opportunities

Presentation: USAID/KESS Activity

- Financing solar subsidies, credits and grants
- Commercial banks financing solar
- Kosovo Credit Guarantee Fund (KCGF) initiatives

##### 11:15 - 12:00 Session 4 - Highlights of Leading Self-Consumption Projects

Intro and panel discussion:

- Leading solar projects for self-consumption - installer perspectives
- Community Solar PV for Self-consumption – Village of Prelez
- Q&A

##### 12:00 Lunch

##### 13:00 - 17:00 Solar Development Trade Fair

- Solar Developers/Installers
- Commercial Banks (financing solar)
- Public Financial Institutions
- Chambers of Commerce
- Development Projects/Donor Organizations
- Others

## DAY 2 - Friday, 22 July

### 09:00 – 09:15 **Opening Remarks**

Forum Moderator

### 09:15 – 09:30 **Session 1 - Summary of RES proposals for Kosovo 2022**

Presentation: USAID/ESA Activity

- Total MW by technology
- The municipal perspective: construction permitting
- Advance comments on grid integration
- RES Portal

### 09:30 – 09:50 **Session 2 - RES Utility-Scale Investment**

Showcase: ProCredit Bank

- ProCredit Bank 3MW Solar PV Plant  
First project to apply for regulated support scheme
- Q&A

### 09:50 – 10:15 **Session 3 - Designing a Competitive Scheme (Working Group Recommendations) and Investment Opportunity for Large-Scale Auctions in 2022**

Presentation: Ministry of Economy

- Objectives of the auction
- Proposed elements and criteria

### 10:15 – 10:30 **Coffee break**

### 10:30 – 11:00 **Session 4 - Integrating Large-Scale RES projects: Kosovo Prepares the Transition**

Panel discussion: USAID/ESA Activity

- Project summary of each developer's proposal
- What is needed and expected from the Government?

### 11:00 – 11:15 **Session 5 – The Economics of RES Large-scale Projects in Europe and Western Balkans**

Presentation: USAID/ESA Activity

### 11:15 – 11:50 **Session 6 - Kosovo RES Potential: Solar and Wind**

Presentation: Transmission, System and Market Operator (KOSTT), Ministry of Environment, Spatial Planning, and Infrastructure & USAID/ESA Activity

- Capacity factor of solar and wind plants in Kosovo
- Grid integration
- GIS solar potential
- Q&A

### 11:50 – 12:50 **Lunch Break**

### 13:00 – 13:20 **Summary remarks:**

- Prime Minister of Kosovo, Albin Kurti
- U.S. Ambassador in Kosovo, Jeffrey Hovenier
- Minister of Economy, Artane Rizvanolli

### 13:20 – 13:45 **VIP Walk through of Solar Trade Fair**

### 14:00 – 17:00 **Solar Development Trade Fair**

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