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About the Conference

Conference Objectives

- Take stock
- Learn and share
- Inform and inspire
- Connect humanitarian practitioners and displaced communities
- Network and have fun
High Level Opening & Welcoming Remarks

09:00-10:00 CAT
Session in Plenary
Opening Remarks

Damilola Ogunbiyi

CEO and Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General for Sustainable Energy for All and Co-Chair of UN-Energy
Panel Discussion

Jennifer Morgan
State Secretary and Special Envoy for International Climate Action, Federal Foreign Office of Germany

Veneranda Ingabire
Head of MINEMA Special Projects Implementation Unit (SPIU), Government of Rwanda

Mark Carrato
Coordinator of Power Africa program, Power Africa, USAID

Andrew Harper
Special Advisor to the High Commissioner for Climate Action, UNHCR
Progress in humanitarian energy: 2012-2022
Presentation

Humanitarian Energy State of Play

Owen Grafham
Assistant Director, Environment and Society Programme, Chatham House
Humanitarian energy 2012-2022: progress or posturing?

Owen Grafham
Assistant Director, Environment and Society Programme
Chatham House
(nearly) a decade ago...

- Developed an end-use accounting model to estimate energy use among the forcibly displaced.

- Led to the first ever projections about energy access, use and cost in these settings.

- Revealed the huge scale of energy poverty among this vulnerable group, and placed a spotlight on the negative coping strategies that this energy poverty led to.

- And also highlighted the opportunities that existed for doing things differently.
Access: further away than ever

2014
77% use basic fuels for cooking

2020
81% use basic fuels for cooking

Source: Lahn and Greifenh (2015)
Access: further away than ever

2014

89%
have no access
to power

Source: Lahn and Graham (2015)

2020

94%
have no access
to power

↑5%
Why are the numbers getting worse, when it feels like we’re doing better?

- **Partly methodological** - because we know more, and have improved data from a number of locations which has actually led us to downgrade our estimates of energy access from a few important hosting countries such as Ethiopia and Sudan.

- **But mostly about sheer numbers**– progress on the issue isn’t keeping pace with the rising numbers of displaced people. The number of people in camps has increased by 34% between these two assessments. And millions more displaced into towns, cities and rural areas where they are also suffering a range of problems related to access and affordability.
But not just about the headline access figure

We are making progress in other areas.

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And the humanitarian sector is moving too

**Coming from...**
- Refugee crisis as short-term humanitarian response
- Encampment policies
- Refugees as passive recipients of traditional aid
- Large scale, ad-hoc procurement
- Engaging with refugees as CSR for private sector
- Ad-hoc approach to deliver energy limited to camps

**Humanitarian focus**
- Support long-term planning and investment and demonstrate the benefits of this approach
- Continue to advocate for energy’s place on humanitarian agendas
- Welcome new actors and stakeholders into the space

**Humanitarian capacity**
- Build the technical and financial capacities of humanitarian agencies
- Advocate for increased awareness of the longevity of refugees’ stay in host countries
- Catalyse institutional change to improve engagement with the private sector
- Capture and disseminate lessons learned

**Policy and practice**
- Identify where a market-based approach could work and implement supportive policies
- Incentivise and support host countries that are willing to adopt progressive policies
- Breakdown the humanitarian and development silos by aligning aid with the development priorities of host countries

**Private sector engagement**
- Explore where different mechanisms of investments work
- Create aggregated data that can attract investment
- Tackle information asymmetry to facilitate deal creation
- Support companies’ scaling up efforts through capacity building and technical assistance
- Facilitate partnerships with other service providers

**Moving towards...**
- Displacement understood as a long-term issue
- Economic integration of refugees within host countries
- Refugees as self-reliant: customers, employees and active agents
- Market and livelihood based approaches
- Engaging with refugees as core strategy for private sector
- Energy access as an enabler of development
- Comprehensive approach that includes host communities

Thank you!

Any questions?
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Rules of Engagement

• Respectful and critical dialogue
• Be present (your emails can wait!)
• Connect with refugee leaders
• Be on time
• Take initiative and follow up
• Concrete action points
## HEC Agenda

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COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING

10:00-10:30 CAT

Transition to breakout rooms