



Tuesday, 7 January 2020

Mr. Faris A. H. Al-Sheikh
Director of Strategic Planning & Economic Services
OPEC Fund

**Re: Invitation - International Carbon Capture, Utilization and Storage (iCCUS) Conference
25 - 26 February 2020, Four Seasons Hotel, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia**

Dear Mr. Faris,

On behalf of the organizing committee of iCCUS, and held under the kind patronage of HRH Prince Abdulaziz Bin Salman Al Saud, Saudi Arabia's Minister of Energy and H.E Shaikh Mohammed bin Khalifa bin Ahmed Al Khalifa Bahrain's Minister of Oil, we take great pleasure in inviting you to participate as a speaker at the **International Carbon Capture, Utilization and Storage (iCCUS)** conference being held on 25 - 26 February 2020, at the Four Seasons Hotel, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

The iCCUS Conference will bring together world energy leaders, including leading ministers, senior executives from major energy and industry, policy makers, financiers, and renowned scientists, to discuss the role of CCUS in enabling a Circular Carbon Economy. Experts will share ideas on how industry can unlock the potential of CCUS technology in addressing deep carbon dioxide emissions reduction across the economy.

iCCUS will focus on driving the circular carbon economy by supporting policies, collaboration, emerging business, the role of finance, and technology innovation. A particular emphasis will be given to how Gulf countries can build on international efforts to realize the value of CCUS in sustaining economic development and diversification.

Specifically, I would like to invite you to be part of a panel discussion which will take place on the main stage on 26 February 2020 at 11:00 – 12:00. The suggested session is titled:

“FINANCING CCUS”

Please RSVP your confirmation or decline directly to the iCCUS team, katiebriggs@dmgevents.com who will manage and liaise with the committee. Response is required by Monday, 13 January 2020 so that we can plan accordingly.

On behalf of the committee, we value your participation and your support and hope that you join us at this important conference.

I enclose a brief of the iCCUS conference brochure.

Yours Sincerely,

Ahmad Al-Khowaiter
Chairman of the iCCUS Conference