

## Protecting critical infrastructure and improving resilience of emergency response in North Africa

The energy sector around the world face many production challenges, including fires, explosions and gas leaks which can cause major incidents & financial losses

DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, July 2, 2015 /EINPresswire.com/ -- The oil, gas and power industries implement various measures to avoid major asset failures and disasters. However, pipeline explosions or leaks, plant explosions, gas leaks, transformer explosions, electricity short circuits and other incidents are not unheard of and happen all around the world. These disasters have multiple implications for operating companies, including major financial losses and tarnished reputations.

International crisis management experts are due to meet at the North Africa Security & Crisis Management Summit organised by IQPC Middle East this September in Cairo, Egypt. The 4-day event provides a platform for stakeholders to discuss how to protect critical infrastructure from potential threats and improve resilience of their crisis and risk management programmes.

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## Key speakers include:

- Omar Zehari, HSSE Manager, JV BP Sonatrach Statoil, Algeria
- Hamdy Faroun, Production Operation Manager East Zeit, Dana Petroleum, Egypt
- Nasser Al Buhairy, Chief Security Officer & Head of Emergency Response, Kuwait Oil Company, Kuwait
- Mohamed Abdelaziz, Quality Manager, Segas, Egypt
- Alaa Said Ahmed Elshora, HSE Dept. Head, Egyptian General Petroleum Corporation, Egypt
- Mohamed Kandil, Safety & Fire Section Head, Cairo Oil Refining Company, Egypt
- Hussein Al Bashik, HSE Superintendent, Sirte Oil, Libya
- Dr. Arafa El-Najjar, Environmental Researcher, Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency (EEAA), Egypt
- Eng. Sherif El-Hanafy, Senior HSE Engineer, Agiba Petroleum, Egypt

The North Africa Security & Crisis Management Summit will take place on 13 – 16 September 2015. Find the full programme, speaker list and registration form at <a href="https://www.crisismanagementnorthafrica.com/news">www.crisismanagementnorthafrica.com/news</a>, call + 971 4 364 2975 or email enquiry@iqpc.ae.

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Press are invited to attend this important industry forum. If you would like a complimentary press pass please email Vidhya Suman at Vidhya.suman@iqpc.ae

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