



OTC 2026 POST-EVENT REPORT

ENERGY'S GLOBAL
MEETING PLACE

NRG CENTER >> HOUSTON, TEXAS, USA >> 4-7 MAY 2026



THE WORLD CAME TO HOUSTON

The Future of Offshore Energy Took the Stage

For four days, Houston became the center of the global energy conversation.

OTC 2026 brought together global energy leaders to address energy security, offshore investment, digital transformation, and lower-emission technologies, resulting in four days of technical collaboration, business development, and policy dialogue.

Heads of state, ministers, policymakers, operators, engineers, investors, technology innovators, and future industry leaders were present to exchange ideas, showcase solutions, build partnerships, and shape the future of offshore energy.

From groundbreaking technologies and strategic investments to major policy discussions and business opportunities, OTC once again demonstrated why it remains the industry's most influential global gathering.



If you weren't at OTC 2026, you missed where the future of energy was being built.

OTC 2026 Highlights



25,000

ATTENDEES FROM
OVER **100+** COUNTRIES



NEARLY
1,000
EXHIBITING
COMPANIES



360+

TECHNICAL
PRESENTATIONS



17
SPOTLIGHT ON NEW
TECHNOLOGY AWARD
WINNERS



150+

MEDIA
REPRESENTATIVES



30,000+
MEDIA MENTIONS



SENIOR GOVERNMENT
LEADERS FROM
GUYANA, GHANA,
NIGERIA, AND CONGO



PARTICIPATION FROM
LEADING OPERATORS
AND **TECHNOLOGY**
PROVIDERS

OTC 2026 AT A GLANCE

BY THE NUMBERS



"The global offshore energy industry met in Houston—and the future of energy was on display."

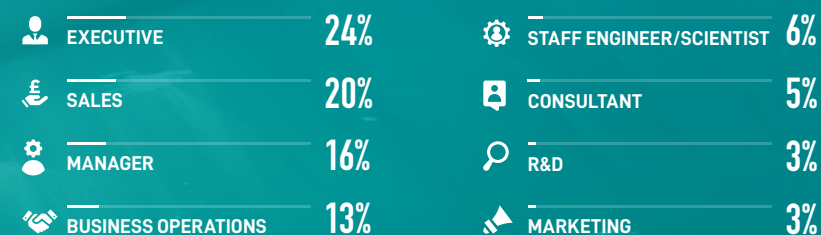
OTC 2026 Attendee

THE PEOPLE WHO DRIVE THE INDUSTRY WERE HERE

Decision-Makers. Influencers. Buyers. Leaders.

OTC delivers more than attendance—it delivers access. The event attracted senior leaders and purchasing influencers actively involved in evaluating, recommending, and approving products, services, and technologies.

JOB FUNCTIONS



MARKET SEGMENTS REPRESENTED



ENERGY'S GLOBAL MEETING PLACE

A WORLD OF OPPORTUNITY



31%

INTERNATIONAL
ATTENDANCE



69%

U.S.A.
ATTENDANCE



International Government & Trade Delegations

The presence of dignitaries representing **17 countries and regions** at OTC underscores the event's growing global significance and international reach. Representation was strongest from **Brazil (89 attendees, 38%)**, followed by the **United States (29)** and **Colombia (20)**, with notable participation from **Nigeria and Ukraine (17 each)**. This broad geographic representation highlights OTC's status as a premier forum for international engagement, bringing together leaders and decision-makers from across the Americas, Europe, the Middle East, Africa, and Asia. The top five countries accounted for nearly three-quarters of all attendees, reflecting both the event's strong regional influence and its expanding global footprint.

TOP ATTENDING COUNTRIES

- ✓ UNITED STATES
- ✓ NIGERIA
- ✓ BRAZIL
- ✓ CHINA
- ✓ CANADA
- ✓ UNITED KINGDOM
- ✓ ARGENTINA
- ✓ MEXICO
- ✓ NORWAY
- ✓ ITALY

INTERNATIONAL PAVILIONS

- ✓ ARGENTINA
- ✓ BRAZIL
- ✓ CANADA
- ✓ CHINA
- ✓ FRANCE
- ✓ ITALY
- ✓ JAPAN
- ✓ KOREA
- ✓ NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR
- ✓ NIGERIA
- ✓ NORWAY
- ✓ THE NETHERLANDS
- ✓ TRINIDAD & TOBAGO
- ✓ UNITED KINGDOM

OFFICIAL DELEGATIONS

- ✓ GUYANA
- ✓ BRAZIL
- ✓ NIGERIA
- ✓ TRINIDAD & TOBAGO

COUNTRY

AFRICA.....	1	ITALY.....	2
ALGERIA.....	13	NIGERIA.....	17
ARGENTINA.....	14	ROMANIA.....	1
BRAZIL.....	89	SAUDI ARABIA.....	3
CANADA.....	1	UAE.....	2
COLOMBIA.....	20	UKRAINE.....	17
GUYANA.....	4	USA.....	29
INDIA.....	12	VIETNAM.....	9
INDONESIA.....	3	GRAND TOTAL.....	237

WHERE GLOBAL LEADERS SHAPED THE FUTURE OF ENERGY

INFLUENCE STARTS HERE

The OTC 2026 technical program welcomed some of the most influential global leaders across government, policy, and industry. Discussions focused on energy security, offshore investment, emerging technologies, global competitiveness, and the evolving energy mix.

Featured Government Leaders Such as



**HIS EXCELLENCY
DR. MOHAMED IRFAAN ALI**

President

Co-operative Republic of Guyana



JOHN JINAPOR

Minister of Energy & Green Transition

Ghana



BRUNO ITOUA

Minister of Hydrocarbons

Republic of Congo



HEINEKEN LOKPOBIRI

Minister of Petroleum Resources

Nigeria



WHERE GLOBAL LEADERS SHAPED THE FUTURE OF ENERGY

SENIOR U.S. GOVERNMENT LEADERSHIP

U.S. Department of Energy



KYLE HAUSTVEIT
16th Assistant Secretary

U.S. Department of Energy's
Office of Hydrocarbons and
Geothermal Energy Office



RYAN PEAY
Deputy Assistant Secretary

Office of Resource Sustainability
- US Department of Energy

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management



MATT GIACONA
Acting Director

Bureau of Ocean Energy
Management (BOEM)



MEGAN CARR
Associate Director for
Strategic Resources

Bureau of Ocean Energy
Management (BOEM)

Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement



BRYAN DOMANGUE
Gulf of America OCS
Region Director

BSEE



KENNETH STEVENS
Acting Director (Principal
Deputy Director)

BSEE

Executive Participation Included



Technology Leaders Included



THE INNOVATIONS SHAPING THE NEXT DECADE

TECHNICAL PROGRAM FOCUS AREAS



ENERGY
TRANSITION



DIGITALIZATION
& AI



OFFSHORE
RENEWABLES



LNG
SOLUTIONS



DRILLING &
PRODUCTION



SUBSURFACE
ENGINEERING



OFFSHORE
STRUCTURES



HSE &
CYBERSECURITY



Together, these sessions highlighted the industry's commitment to innovation, operational excellence, sustainability, and the future of offshore energy.



360+
PRESENTATIONS



48
TECHNICAL SESSIONS



18
PANELS AND
KEYNOTE SESSIONS



9
EXECUTIVE DIALOGUES

THE ENERGY INDUSTRY'S MARKETPLACE

NEARLY 1,000 EXHIBITORS. ENDLESS OPPORTUNITIES.

The OTC exhibition floor brought innovation to life

Spanning more than 166,000 square feet, companies from around the world showcased technologies, services, equipment, software, and solutions shaping the future of offshore energy.

Attendees experienced:

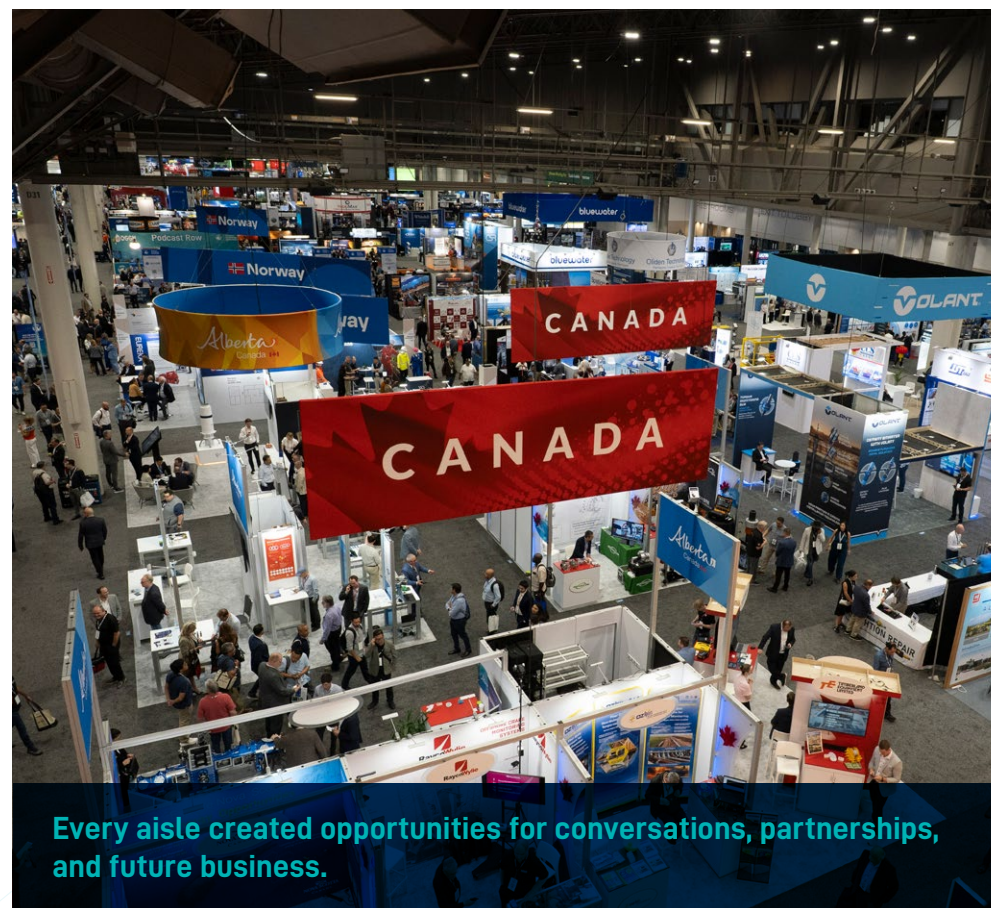
- ✓ Immersive technology demonstrations
- ✓ Interactive exhibits
- ✓ Product launches
- ✓ Live equipment showcases
- ✓ Networking lounges
- ✓ International pavilions

The energy on the show floor was unmistakable.



Spotlight
on New
Technology

17 Award-Winning Technologies = The OTC Spotlight on New Technology Awards is the premier awards program in the offshore energy industry. It is designed to highlight new technologies in the offshore energy sector for companies exhibiting at the Offshore Technology Conference.



Every aisle created opportunities for conversations, partnerships, and future business.

EXHIBITOR SUCCESS

VISIBILITY. CONNECTIONS. OPPORTUNITY.



INCREASE BRAND
VISIBILITY



LAUNCH PRODUCTS



GENERATE LEADS



SCHEDULE MEETINGS



MEET QUALIFIED
BUYERS



CREATE LONG-TERM
BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES



STRENGTHEN CUSTOMER
RELATIONSHIPS

OTC DELIVERED ACCESS TO:



25,000
ATTENDEES



100+
COUNTRIES



40%
EXECUTIVE/MANAGEMENT
DECISION-MAKERS



NEARLY
1,000
EXHIBITORS



WHAT EXHIBITORS HAD TO SAY



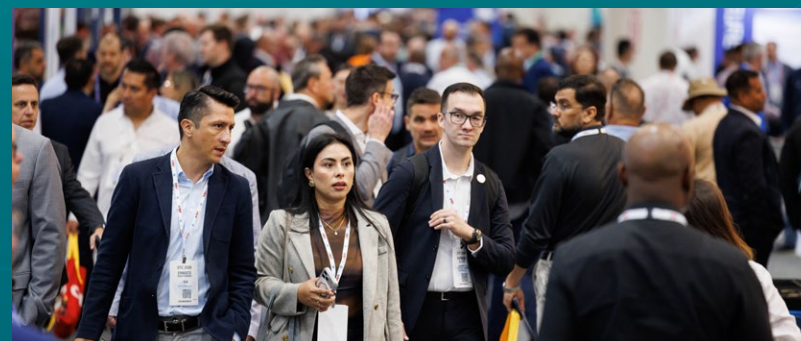
"OTC delivers real value by bringing together key players across the offshore energy space, creating opportunities for meaningful conversations and the development of strategic, long-term relationships."

OTC 2026 Exhibitor



"A truly engaging conference where the creative engineering strength of the worldwide oil and gas industry comes together to shape the future."

OTC 2026 Exhibitor



SPONSOR SUCCESS

AMPLIFYING BRANDS ACROSS THE GLOBAL ENERGY LANDSCAPE

OTC sponsors enjoyed far-reaching exposure before, during, and after the event.



Sponsorship Benefits Included:

- ✓ Premium branding opportunities
- ✓ Digital promotion
- ✓ Executive engagement
- ✓ Leadership visibility
- ✓ Media exposure
- ✓ Networking activations
- ✓ Direct customer interaction

SPONSOR REACH



25,000
INDUSTRY
PROFESSIONALS



40%
MANAGEMENT & EXECUTIVE
DECISION-MAKERS



100+
COUNTRIES



150+
MEDIA
REPRESENTATIVES



24%
EXECUTIVE
LEADERS

STRATEGIC SPONSORS



KHAFJI JOINT OPERATIONS عمليات الخفجي المشتركة



PLATINUM SPONSORS



GOLD SPONSORS



GLOBAL MEDIA IMPACT

THE INDUSTRY CONVERSATION EXTENDED WORLDWIDE

OTC generated significant global visibility across traditional media, digital platforms, podcasts, and industry channels.



150+

MEDIA
REPRESENTATIVES



30,000

MEDIA
MENTIONS

FEATURED GLOBAL MEDIA OUTLETS >>



TOPICS DRIVING HEADLINES >>



DEEPWATER
GROWTH



LOWER-EMISSION
ENERGY DEVELOPMENT



AI & OFFSHORE
AUTOMATION



AFRICA'S ENERGY
INVESTMENT MOMENTUM

PODCAST ROW >>



25+ EPISODES RECORDED LIVE
Featuring executives, government officials, technical experts,
and international delegations.



4M+ POTENTIAL
LISTENER REACH



208 COUNTRIES



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Houston, Texas

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See you at OTC 2027

OTC continues to be the place where:

- ✓ Global energy leaders connect
- ✓ New technologies are launched
- ✓ Business partnerships begin
- ✓ The future of offshore energy takes

JOIN THE WORLD'S OFFSHORE ENERGY COMMUNITY IN HOUSTON

#OTC2027