

DESALINATION FOR THE ENVIRONMENT - CLEAN WATER AND ENERGY

27-30 APRIL 2025

ALFÂNDEGA CONGRESS CENTRE, PORTO, PORTUGAL



Portuguese Water Partnership



ASSOCIAÇÃO NACIONAL DE ENGENHARIA



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CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

Sunday 27 April 2025

- 08:30–17:30 Registration
- 09:00–18:00 Exhibition set-up
- 09:00–13:00 Workshop on Greener Desalination: Case Studies from Large-Scale SWRO for Sustainable Water Supply to Brine Valorisation for a Circular Economy
- 13:00–14:00 Lunch
- 14:00–17:00 Workshop on Brine Valorization Facility, NEOM, Duba, Saudi Arabia — Research and Development Experience
- 18:30–20:00 Welcome reception – Noble Room, Alfândega Congress Centre

Monday 28 April 2025

- 08:00–09:00 Registration
- 09:00–10:15 Official opening of the conference and exhibition
- 10:45–12:15 Panel session “Water Value Chain for Green Hydrogen Production”
- 12:15–13:15 Lunch
- 13:15–17:30 Technical sessions

Tuesday 29 April 2025

- 08:30–17:30 Technical sessions
- 10:30–11:45 Panel session “Best Practices of PPP in the Water Sector”. Organised in collaboration with the Saudi Water Partnership Company and the Portuguese Water Partnership.
- 19:30–23:00 Gala Evening at the CASA FERREIRINHA, Porto. Pick up outside Alfândega Congress Hall at 19:00

Wednesday 30 April 2025

- 08:30–14:30 Technical sessions
- 11:30–12:30 Miriam Balaban Innovation Award Session.
- 12:30–13:30 Lunch
- 13:30–14:30 Technical Sessions.
- 14:30–15:30 Closing ceremony and the announcement of the winner of the Miriam Balaban Award.
- 14:30–18:30 Sol2H2O Water-Energy Transition Symposium: Portuguese National Day. In Portuguese only.