



# NEPAL'S LARGEST POWER SECTOR EVENT

Venue: The Soaltee Hotel, Kathmandu

Date: 15<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> October, 2025



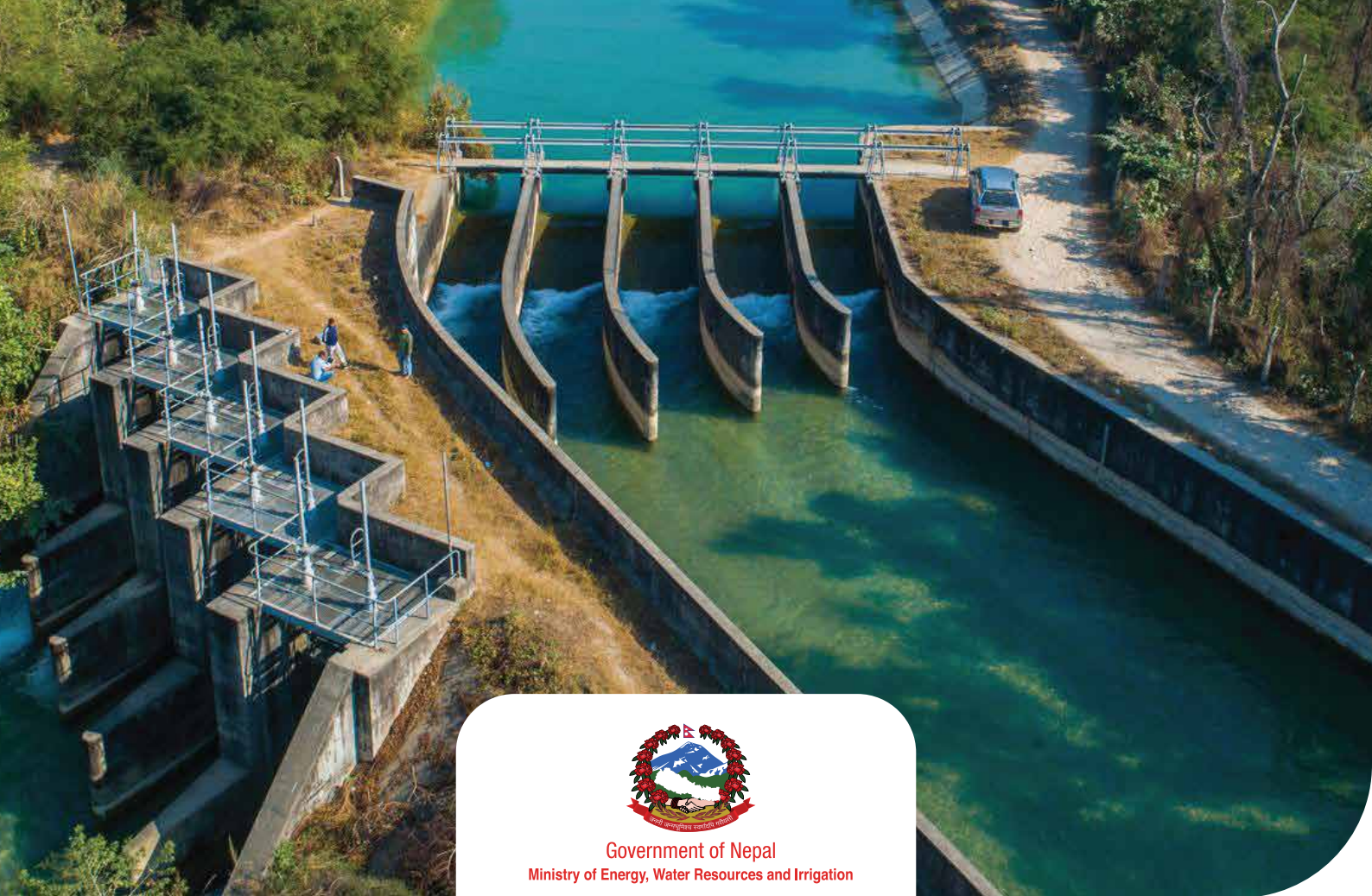
## ABOUT IPPAN

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Independent Power Producers' Association, Nepal (IPPAN) is a non-governmental, member-based, not-for-profit, and autonomous organization of Private Sector Power producers' with a current Executive Committee of 27 members and member companies of 570. IPPAN has been instrumental in advocating for private sector investment friendly acts, policies, regulations and their prompt effective implementation.

IPPAN carries out various activities for the development and promotion of the energy sector in Nepal along with the capacity building of its members and power sector stakeholders.





Government of Nepal  
Ministry of Energy, Water Resources and Irrigation

# PATRONS

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The Ministry of Energy, Water Resources and Irrigation is a key governmental institution responsible for the planning, development and management of a country's energy and water resources. It oversees the generation and distribution of electricity, with a focus on expanding access to renewable energy, particularly hydropower. The ministry also manages water supply systems and irrigation infrastructure, supporting agriculture and ensuring efficient use of water resources. By promoting sustainable practices and resource conservation, the ministry plays a crucial role in national development, energy security and climate resilience.

# OVERVIEW

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The Independent Power Producers' Association, Nepal (IPPAN) is pleased to announce its flagship event, the "Power Summit 2025", which will be held on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025. This year's theme, "Mission 28,500 MW: Powering Nepal, Energizing the - Region", reflects IPPAN's commitment to advancing the energy sector. Since its inception in 2006, IPPAN has organized the Power Summit in every two years, and this will be the 9<sup>th</sup> edition of the prestigious event, taking place in Kathmandu.

The Power Summit serves as a key platform for promoting renewable energy, fostering a collaborative business environment and offering valuable insights into the latest technologies, policies and energy-related developments. It attracts a diverse range of participants, including policymakers, politicians, national & international experts, academia, national & international government representatives, all the stakeholders, manufacturers, suppliers, consultants, financial institutions, banking and insurance companies, national & international vendors, contractors, construction companies etc. all coming together to explore innovative solutions and opportunities for growth in the energy sector.



**1000+**  
PARTICIPANTS

**30+**  
COUNTRIES

**10+**  
SESSIONS

**25000 MW**  
PROJECT SHOWCASE

# KEY HIGHLIGHTS



Power Summit 2025 is envisioned as a high-level forum designed to accelerate cross-border power trade, attract climate-resilient investments and deepen collaboration among governments, development partners, private sectors, technical experts and industry leaders. With Nepal's hydropower potential estimated at over 200GW of which only a small portion is currently harnessed, the summit offers a strategic platform for exploring new investment opportunities and partnerships to meet the ambitious national target by 2035.

This gathering will serve as a timely and inclusive space for stakeholders including policymakers, financiers, project developers, engineers, consultants, multilateral institutions, research bodies, technology providers and contractors to exchange ideas and build synergies for a sustainable energy future. Through meaningful dialogue and regional cooperation, Power Summit 2025 seeks to contribute to a resilient and interconnected South Asian energy market while supporting Nepal's national development priorities.



# WHY POWER SUMMIT ?



Nepal has one of the World's  
Leading Potential for Hydropower



More than 30000 MW  
are under Development Phase



Target to meet production of  
28,500 MW by 2035



Estimated investment of  
approximately \$46.5 billion USD  
for target meet



Green and Clean Energy  
Production (Mission 28,500 MW)  
& Net Zero Emission



Environment,  
Social and Governance –  
Sustainability and other issues



Deepen Relation, strike deals and  
flourish businesses



Cross-Border Trading and  
Regional Cooperation



New Technology  
and Innovation



Regulatory Mechanism  
and Open-Access



Climate Resilient and  
Carbon Trading



Energy Security and  
Regional Collaboration



Domestic and International  
Financial Mechanism  
(FDIs) in Energy Sector



Power Dialogue with  
Policy Maker



Renewable and Hydrogen



Energy for Social and  
Economic Development

# WHY SPONSOR ?

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- Your brand will be showcased to key decision-makers such as Ministers, Developers, Regulators and Financiers.
- Policy Influencers And Regulatory Authorities shaping South Asia's Energy Landscape.
- Be seen as a driver of Nepal's Energy Transformation
- Coverage through National & International press, Digital Campaigns, TV channels and Post-Event Publications
- Involves participation from various Energy involved countries, Development Partners and Global Investors.
- Sponsor a Technical Track, Women in Energy Panel, or Esteemed Leaders' Session
- Partner on ESG or CSR Initiatives showcased at the event
- Direct Engagement With Power Producers, Government Agencies and Financiers.
- Access to High-Impact Stakeholders
- B2B and B2G Opportunities via Targeted Networking.
- Champion Innovation, Sustainability and Regional Energy Integration
- Supports Nepal's Clean Energy Roadmap and Cross-border Trade Goals.
- Policy, Project Financing, Climate Resilience, Technology and Regional Cooperation.
- Offer a Branded Product Demo, Video Booth or Green Innovation Showcase
- Brand Exposure to Ministers, Policy Makers and Industry Leaders.
- B2B and B2G Networking Opportunities.
- Opportunities to Speak On Panels, Lead Sessions or Co-brand Event Components.

# POWER SUMMIT 2025

## DRAFT AGENDA

Theme : Mission 28,500 MW: Powering Nepal, Energizing the Region

Date : 15 - 16 Oct 2025 (29 - 30 Ashoj 2082)

Venue : The Soaltee Kathmandu

### DAY 1: OCTOBER 15, 2025

#### – Strategic Vision and Partnership

##### INAUGURAL SESSION (9:00 – 11:00)

- Registration and Reception
- Welcome Remarks- President, IPPAN
- Address – ADB (TBC)
- Address – IFC / World Bank Group (TBC)
- Remarks – Secretary, MoEWRI / NEA / ERC
- Keynote Address – “Mission 28,500 MW: From Vision to Reality”
- Address – Hon. Minister of Energy, Government of Bangladesh (TBC)
- Address – Hon. Minister of Power, Government of India (TBC)
- Remarks – Hon. Minister of Energy, Government of Nepal
- Inaugural Address – Rt. Hon. Prime Minister of Nepal
- Group Photo & Networking Tea

##### SESSION I: POLICY & REGULATION FOR 28,500 MW

- Open Access, Power Trading, Licensing Reform
- Institutional roles: MoEWRI, NEA, DoED, ERC
- Enabling policies for domestic and export markets

##### SESSION II: FINANCING NEPAL'S ENERGY FUTURE

- Domestic investment capacity and banking system
- Foreign direct investment and climate finance
- Role of HIDCL, Green Bonds, and blended finance models



### SESSION III: REGIONAL POWER TRADE AND MARKET INTEGRATION

- Bilateral/Trilateral trade mechanisms
- Cross-border transmission projects
- Harmonizing regulations and building confidence

### SESSION IV: SCALING SOLAR FOR A SUSTAINABLE ENERGY MIX

- Unlocking Nepal's solar potential
- Utility-scale and rooftop solar
- Hybrid models with hydropower
- Policy and investment needs

### SESSION V: DOMESTIC DEMAND, CONSUMPTION & DISTRIBUTION

- Enhancing industrial demand
- Electrification of transport and agriculture
- Crypto mining
- Reducing import dependency through reliable supply

### SESSION VI: IPPs FOR A SUSTAINABLE AND RESILIENT FUTURE

- Sharing best practices from IPPs on environmental stewardship and community upliftment
- Highlighting social safeguard initiatives and local benefit-sharing models
- Addressing challenges of GLOFs, cloudbursts, and shifting rainfall patterns
- Showcasing climate-resilient designs adopted by developers

## DAY 2: SEPTEMBER 18, 2025

### – Innovation, Investment & Sustainability

#### SESSION VII: ESG AND SUSTAINABLE INFRASTRUCTURE

- ESG integration into infrastructure
- Community benefit sharing
- Aligning with international sustainability standards

#### SESSION VIII: PROJECT SHOWCASE – DRIVING THE MISSION

- Key hydropower project highlights
- Developer experiences
- Fast-track projects and innovation in execution

#### SESSION IX: TECHNICAL INNOVATIONS IN ENERGY SECTOR

- Smart grids, digital tools
- AI and GIS in hydro
- Storage and climate adaptation tech

#### SESSION X: PRIVATE SECTOR IN TRANSMISSION DEVELOPMENT

- PPP models for transmission
- Private sector engagement
- Cross-border coordination

#### SESSION XI: RENEWABLE ENERGY BEYOND HYDROPOWER

- Scaling hybrid models
- Green Hydrogen Prospects in Nepal
- Battery Energy Storage Systems (BESS)
- Grid integration and storage

#### SUMMIT WRAP-UP AND CLOSING REMARKS

- Reflections and next steps
- Announcements
- Vote of Thanks

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FOR YOUR CONSIDERATION

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