

# IAEOGS QATAR 2026

## CODE OF CONDUCT AND COMPLIANCE FRAMEWORK

### Purpose

The International African Energy, Oil and Gas Summit (IAEOGS) is a high-level global platform dedicated to investment dialogue, policy engagement, and strategic collaboration across Africa's energy value chain. The Summit convenes senior government officials, global investors, industry leaders, regulators, and innovators in a professional and policy-aligned environment.

IAEOGS Qatar 2026 is committed to delivering a Summit that upholds international best practices while fully respecting the laws, customs, cultural values, and regulatory requirements of the State of Qatar.

This Code of Conduct establishes clear behavioural expectations to ensure a safe, dignified, inclusive, and lawful environment for all participants.

This Code applies to all official IAEOGS Qatar 2026 activities, including conference sessions, exhibitions, private meetings, social events, site visits, and all associated digital platforms.

Participation in IAEOGS Qatar 2026 constitutes full agreement with this Code of Conduct and with applicable Qatari laws and venue regulations.

### Compliance with Qatari Laws and Cultural Norms

- All participants are required to conduct themselves in accordance with:
- The laws and regulations of the State of Qatar
- Venue policies and security requirements
- Cultural norms, traditions, and public decorum standards

Participants must behave in a manner that reflects professionalism, respect, and cultural sensitivity at all times, both within and outside official Summit venues.

Failure to comply may result in removal from the event and referral to venue security or relevant authorities.

### Prohibited Conduct

The following behaviours are strictly prohibited at IAEOGS Qatar 2026, whether occurring in person or online:

- Any form of harassment, intimidation, coercion, or discriminatory behaviour.
- Offensive, abusive, or disrespectful language or conduct toward individuals or groups.
- Behaviour that violates public decency, professional standards, or local customs.
- Verbal threats, physical intimidation, or acts of violence.
- Unwelcome or inappropriate physical contact or personal advances.
- Possession, use, or distribution of illegal substances or prohibited items.
- Unauthorised photography, audio or video recording, particularly in restricted areas or without consent.
- Disclosure or misuse of personal or confidential information.
- Disruption of official sessions, meetings, or venue operations.
- Any action that compromises safety, security, or the reputation of the Summit or host country.

Any violation may result in immediate removal from the Summit, revocation of access credentials, and further action in accordance with Qatari law.

### **Professional Conduct and Communication**

- IAEOGS Qatar 2026 welcomes participants from diverse national, cultural, and professional backgrounds. To promote constructive engagement, participants are expected to:
- Communicate respectfully and professionally at all times.
- Be mindful of cultural differences and sensitivities in speech and behaviour.
- Avoid offensive gestures, language, or conduct.
- Engage in discussions constructively, focusing on ideas rather than individuals.
- Respect personal boundaries and privacy.
- Seek consent before sharing photographs, names, or statements on public platforms.
- Professional attire appropriate for an international business and diplomatic environment is expected at all official Summit activities.

### **Reporting Concerns or Incidents**

Participants who experience or witness behaviour that may violate this Code of Conduct are encouraged to report concerns confidentially through the following channels:

- Contact a member of the IAEOGS Organising Team available on site.
- Email: [conduct@iaeogs.com](mailto:conduct@iaeogs.com)
- Reach out to a designated Incident Response Team member via phone or messaging platforms.

All reports will be handled discreetly and in coordination with venue security where necessary. Matters involving legal or security concerns may be escalated to appropriate authorities in accordance with local regulations.

## **Incident Response Team**

IAEOGS Qatar 2026

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WhatsApp available

Additional local compliance contacts will be communicated to registered delegates prior to the event.

## **Privacy, Security, and Data Protection**

To ensure safety and compliance:

- Official Summit badges must be worn visibly at all times within designated venues.
- Security screening and access control measures must be respected.
- Do not publish or circulate content that could endanger individuals or violate privacy laws.
- Official photography and recordings will be conducted in accordance with venue approvals and local regulations and used solely for Summit-related purposes.

## **Commitment**

IAEOGS Qatar 2026 is committed to delivering a world-class, lawful, and respectful Summit experience that reflects the standards of global diplomacy, international business, and responsible engagement.

All participants share responsibility for upholding this Code of Conduct and contributing to an environment defined by integrity, respect, and collaboration.

By attending IAEOGS Qatar 2026, participants affirm their commitment to these principles and to full compliance with the laws and regulations of the State of Qatar.