



**Agenda**  
**9<sup>th</sup> EU-GCC Energy Experts Group meeting**  
**25 February 2009**  
**Brussels**

**Time:** starting 10:00

**Venue:** Borschette Conference Centre; Rue Froissart 36, Brussels 1040. Room 4C

**10:00-10:20 Opening statements**

1. 10:20-10:50 Review of short and medium-term energy market developments (GCC leads)
2. 10:50-11:20 Recent developments in the EU energy scene (EU leads)
3. 11:20-11:50 Investments in the oil and gas sector in the GCC countries (GCC leads)
4. 11:50-12:20 Discussion
- 12:20-13:30 Lunch
5. 13:30-16:00 Work programme of EU/GCC Energy Experts Group
  - a) Exchange of information on technological advances
    - § Possibilities for GCC participation in the EU 7<sup>th</sup> FPRD
    - § Strategic Energy Technologies Plan
    - § Carbon Capture and Storage
    - § Natural gas technologies, including LNG
  - b) Exchange of views on the possibilities for enhancing EU-GCC cooperation