Strategic Innovation Forum
Water · Energy · Sustainability

24-25 NOVEMBER 2026
Budapest, Hungary

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

DAY 1 TUESDAY, 24 NOVEMBER 2026

08:30 – 09:15	**Registration & Welcome Coffee**
09:15 – 09:45	**Official Opening & High-Level Dialogue** László Gajdos – Minister | H.E. Maya Kadosh – Ambassador of Israel to Hungary Sam Eisenberg – KKL-JNF | Tibor Tóth – CEO, Budapest Stock Exchange (BÉT)
09:45 – 10:00	**Academic Partnership Signing Ceremony** MATE & Ben-Gurion University | Ludovika & Bar-Ilan University
10:00 – 10:20	**Strategic Priorities for Hungary** Ministry of Science and Technology | Ministry of Economy and Energy | Hungarian Investment Promotion Agency (HIPA)
10:20 – 10:35	**Coffee & Networking Break**

WATER

10:35 – 11:25	**Every Drop Counts – Strategic Discussion I** Ben-Gurion University | Governmental Authority for Water and Sewage of Israel | Mekorot | Hungarian Water Partnership | Budapest Water Works
11:25 – 12:05	**Every Drop Counts – Strategic Discussion II** Netafim | Kineret Academic College | KITE | UBM Group

ENERGY

12:05 – 12:35	**Beyond Generation – The New Energy Ecosystem I** Bar-Ilan University | Noga | Israel Electric Corporation | MAVIR | MEKH
12:35 – 13:35	**Beyond Generation – The New Energy Ecosystem II** Doral Energy | Israel Natural Gas Lines (INGL) | Solar Markt Group | ALTEO
13:35 – 14:20	**Networking Lunch**
14:20 – 14:40	**The Future Starts Now** Dr. Péter Horváth – State Secretary for Science Policy and Innovation
14:40 – 14:50	**Israel & Hungarian Business Partnership** Foreign Affairs Committee

INNOVATION

14:50 – 15:30	**AI * Water * Energy – The Next Infrastructure Revolution** MMESZ | MBR Group | Schneider Electric | Magyar Telekom | Telematics Wireless | University of Debrecen
15:30 – 16:00	**Innovation in Action** NanoClear | YWT | RealiteQ | Raphael Valves
16:00 – 16:30	**From Challenge to Opportunity – Israel * Hungary** Powered by BÉT
16:30 – 16:45	**Coffee & Networking Break**
16:45 – 17:25	**From Technology to Market – Scaling Innovation into Real-World Impact** BlackRock | Richter Gedeon | ERSTE Bank | Kinneret Innovation Center
17:25 – 18:05	**2035: The Future We Are Building** Bosch | BCG Group | National Innovations Agency of Hungary | Hunland Group | University of Szeged
18:05 – 18:15	**Closing Remarks**

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19:00 | Kimpton BEM LED Hall

Standing reception and
Budapest Festival Orchestra concert

DAY 2 WEDNESDAY, 25 NOVEMBER 2026

TIME	PROGRAMME
08:30 – 09:00	REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE
09:00 – 09:30	OPENING ADDRESS
09:30 – 10:30	PRE-SCHEDULED B2B / B2G MEETINGS – ROUND 1–2
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK
11:00 – 12:30	PRE-SCHEDULED B2B / B2G MEETINGS – ROUNDS 3–5

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