2024 activity calendar: events not to be missed

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Greetings to our readers, associates and friends,

As you will have the opportunity to notice, in this issue of our NewsLetter, we have published the promotional banner of the Summit organized by Globuc "Downstream Central Asia & Caspian", the annual event now in its eleventh edition dedicated to Oil and Gas which this year expands its spectrum to renewable energies.

This year on the first day of inauguration of the works on 17 September 2024, a day dedicated entirely to the industrial sector linked to Hydrogen and its application and industrial production in Kazakhstan will be held.



2nd BUSINESS SUMMIT HYDROGEN IN CENTRAL ASIA AND CASPIAN

17 September 2024, Astana



18-19 September 2024, Astana

Confindustria as media partner of Globuc will contribute to the distribution, promotion and involvement of Italian companies in the event and at the same time the involvement of operators and professionals from our member companies who will participate as well as speakers.

There are still slots for companies wishing to participate, so we urge engineering companies in the sector to contact us for details (segreteria@confindustria-kazakhstan.it)



This year Confindustria Kazakhstan will then be present at the CPHI in Milan from 8-10 October, the most influential event in the pharmaceutical sector in Italy and Europe in collaboration with Atameken to start the promotion campaign with a view to joint participation in a stand Confindustria at KIHE 2025 which will be held next May 21-23 and for which we would like to prepare a pool of companies to be represented in the Kazakh market



30TH KAZAKHSTAN INTERNATIONAL HEALTHCARE EXHIBITION



Another event on Rare Earth CRM (Critical Raw Material) organized by the European Union and for which Confindustria would like to involve and involve Italian companies from the mining/extraction sector up to the instrumental sector with its entire industrial supply chain.

The first selection of companies, possible speakers, experts and participants will be made by 22 August 2024 in the following specific sectors:

Extraction

<u>Application as Strategic Project - Extraction</u>

Processina

Application as Strategic Project - Processing

Recycling

<u>Application as Strategic Project - Recycling</u>

Replacement/Reuse

<u>Application as Strategic Project - Substitution</u>

Strategic raw materials are critical to the success of the green and digital transitions, as well as the resilience of the defense and aerospace sectors.

The European Rare Earths Law outlines new strategic projects to increase the EU's capacity to extract, process and recycle strategic raw materials and diversify EU supplies from third countries.

These projects make a significant contribution to the Union's security of supply of strategic raw materials.

These three events just mentioned will be an interesting opportunity for Italian companies and Confindustria (Kazakhstan and Central).

In fact, from the outcome of these activities, it will be possible to identify a first group of companies that will accompany us to the Italian/Kazakh Forum in November in Italy.

This Forum will represent the last stage leading up to the June 2025 Conference (organised in collaboration with Atameken) and which will be held in Kazakhstan as a side event and in conjunction with the "Astana International Forum"



