

International Conference:

Beyond the Natural Resource Curse: Industrial Upgrading in the Brazilian O&G industry

Time: Friday February 3 2017, 8:30 – 17:30

Place: Prodigy Hotel Santos Dumont Airport, Rio de Janeiro

The conference presents results of the project 'The "developmental state" reloaded: Brazilian industrial policy in the XXIst Century' funded by the Norwegian Research Council.

Sessions discuss the following topics:

- * Building the Brazilian O&G Industry – Helge Ryggvik (TIK/University of Oslo);
- * Human Resources Capacity Building – Einar Braathen (NIBR/HiOA);
- * Local Content and the Pace of Exploration – Henrik Wiig (NIBR/HiOA);
- * Brazilian O&G Supply Chain: Progresses and Challenges – Antonio Botelho (Iuperj/UCAM); Yuri Kasahara (NIBR/HiOA) and Marcelo Simas (Iuperj/UCAM);
- * Evolving Brazil's Local Content Policy – Yuri Kasahara (NIBR/HiOA) and Antonio Botelho (Iuperj/UCAM);

Discussants: Representatives from ANP, BNDES, FIRJAN, IBP, Innovation Norway, MME and ONIP.

Two keynote speeches will frame the conference's debates and conclusions:

Olav Wicken (TIK/University of Oslo) on resource industries and the knowledge economy.

Gary Herrigel (University of Chicago) on the co-evolution of industry and regulation in Norway.



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