

The Meridian Institute Executive Energy Leadership – South Africa

Solve the Energy Crisis, Secure Investment, and Lead the Transition

Date: Tuesday, September 15, 2026 | Live Online | SAST 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM

Limited to 60 participants

Organized by The Meridian Institute

Course Overview

South Africa's energy sector stands at a pivotal crossroads, confronting aging infrastructure, intermittent supply, and high-stakes investment decisions that will shape the nation's energy future.

This one-day online program equips senior executives with the strategies, tools, and insights to:

- Address immediate energy challenges with confidence
- Make informed operational and investment decisions
- Lead teams and organizations through the energy transition
- Benchmark decisions against global best practices
- Apply real-world scenarios in interactive Applied Decision Labs
- Engage with peers and experts in the Executive Networking Lounge
- Access The Meridian Institute Alumni Network for ongoing collaboration
- Review the full course recording after the session

Limited to 60 participants to ensure focused engagement and meaningful interaction.

Who Should Attend

- CEOs, COOs, CFOs, Heads of Strategy or Energy
- Senior policymakers and regulators
- Investors and fund managers in energy infrastructure
- Utilities, renewable energy developers, and industrial energy managers

- Consultants and advisors supporting energy projects

This course is for executives and decision-makers who must act strategically, allocate capital wisely, and lead organizations through a high-stakes energy transformation.

Course Outcomes

Participants will leave able to:

1. Understand South Africa's energy challenges and opportunities
 2. Make high-impact investment and operational decisions
 3. Lead organizational energy strategies effectively
 4. Apply lessons in Applied Decision Labs simulating real-world scenarios
 5. Network with peers and energy leaders during the Executive Networking Lounge
 6. Access post-course resources and The Meridian Institute Alumni Network
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Agenda (9:00 AM – 4:30 PM SAST)

9:00 – 9:30 AM | Welcome & Orientation

- Introductions and course objectives
- Overview of South Africa's energy landscape
- Executive Poll: Priorities and Expectations

9:30 – 10:45 AM | Module 1: Strategic Imperatives

- Current energy challenges and opportunities
- Market trends and risk analysis

11:00 – 12:15 PM | Module 2: Crisis Leadership & Risk Management

- Navigating supply interruptions and policy uncertainty
- Executive decision-making under pressure

12:15 – 1:15 PM | Lunch & Executive Networking Lounge

- Intimate online roundtable with instructors, investors, and policymakers

1:15 – 2:30 PM | Module 3: Investment & Capital Strategy

- Evaluate high-impact projects and opportunities
- Global benchmark comparisons

2:30 – 3:45 PM | Module 4: Leading Through Energy Transition

- Aligning teams and stakeholders for effective execution
- Applied organizational strategies

3:45 – 4:15 PM | Module 5: Applied Decision Lab

- Live Scenario: Manage a South African Energy Crisis
- Real-time decision-making with instructor feedback

4:15 – 4:30 PM | Closing & Key Takeaways

- Consolidate insights and actionable strategies
- Certificate of Executive Energy Leadership
- Access to The Meridian Institute Alumni Network and full course recording