

# Powering Society. Securing Energy

Munich Security Conference

## Energy Security

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Herbert Quandt Pavilion

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Energy has become the defining question of Europe's security, prosperity, and global influence. As an official partner of the Munich Security Conference, the BMW Foundation Herbert Quandt convenes leaders from policy, business, science, and civil society to address this challenge head-on.

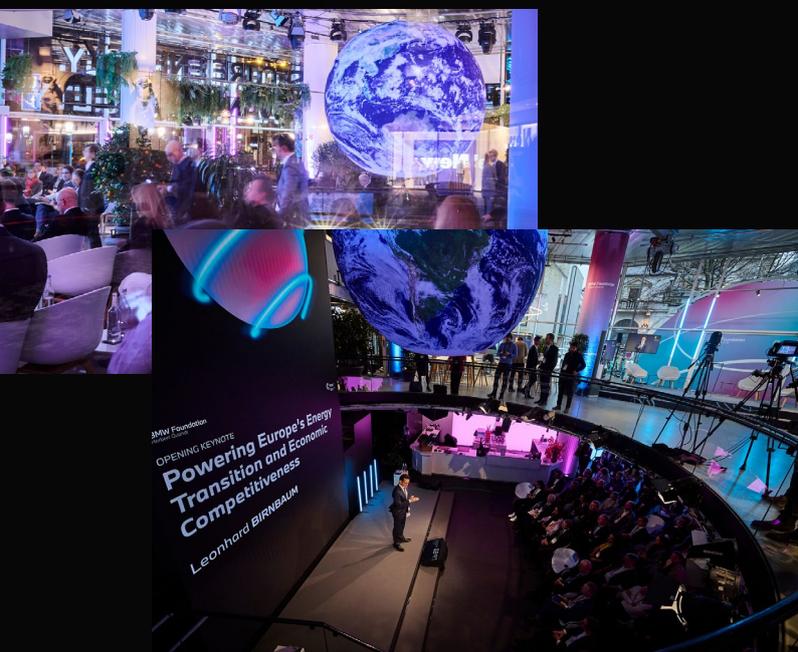
Over three days, the Energy Security Hub 2026 in the heart of Munich provides a dedicated forum for strategic exchange on how Europe can mobilize technology, strengthen competitiveness, and forge global alliances to build a resilient energy and industrial future.



### KEY TOPICS 2026

- 1 Mobilizing Technology:** Implementing and securing a robust European energy system
- 2 Strengthening Competitiveness:** Building policy and financial frameworks to advance Europe's industrial leadership
- 3 Creating Alliances:** Forging global strategies to secure energy and democracy

Complementing MSC's focus on international security issues, the BMW Foundation Herbert Quandt Pavilion is a springboard for developing solutions for a strong European economy and a future-proof society.



**SPEAKERS OF THE LAST YEARS**

- **Ursula von der Leyen** (President, European Commission)
- **Frans Timmermans** (former Executive Vice President of the European Commission for the European Green Deal)
- **John F. Kerry** (former U.S. Special Presidential Envoy for Climate)
- **Brad Smith** (President and Vice Chairman, Microsoft)
- **Fatih Birol** (Executive Director, International Energy Agency)
- **Leonhard Birnbaum** (CEO, E.ON)
- **Jennifer Morgan** (Special Envoy for International Climate Action and Former State Secretary, German Federal Foreign Office)
- **Bill Gates** (former CEO, Microsoft)
- **Hina Rabbani Khar** (Former Minister of State for Foreign Affairs, Islamic Republic of Pakistan)
- **Maria Ressa** (Nobel Peace Prize Laureate (2021); Founder & Chief Executive Officer, Rappler)

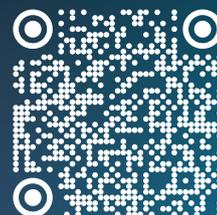
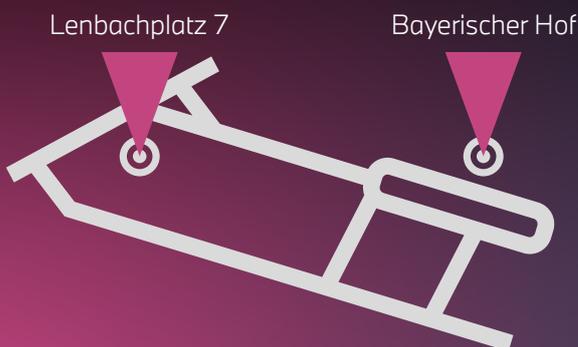
**FACTS & FIGURES**

The 2025 pavilion

**500** attendees **65** keynote speakers from **34** countries  
**27** media representatives covering the Energy Security Hub

**LOCATION**

The Pavilion in close partnership with the MSC is located at Lenbachplatz 7, just a 3-minute walk from the MSC's main venue, the Hotel Bayerischer Hof.



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