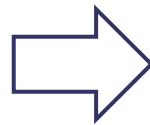


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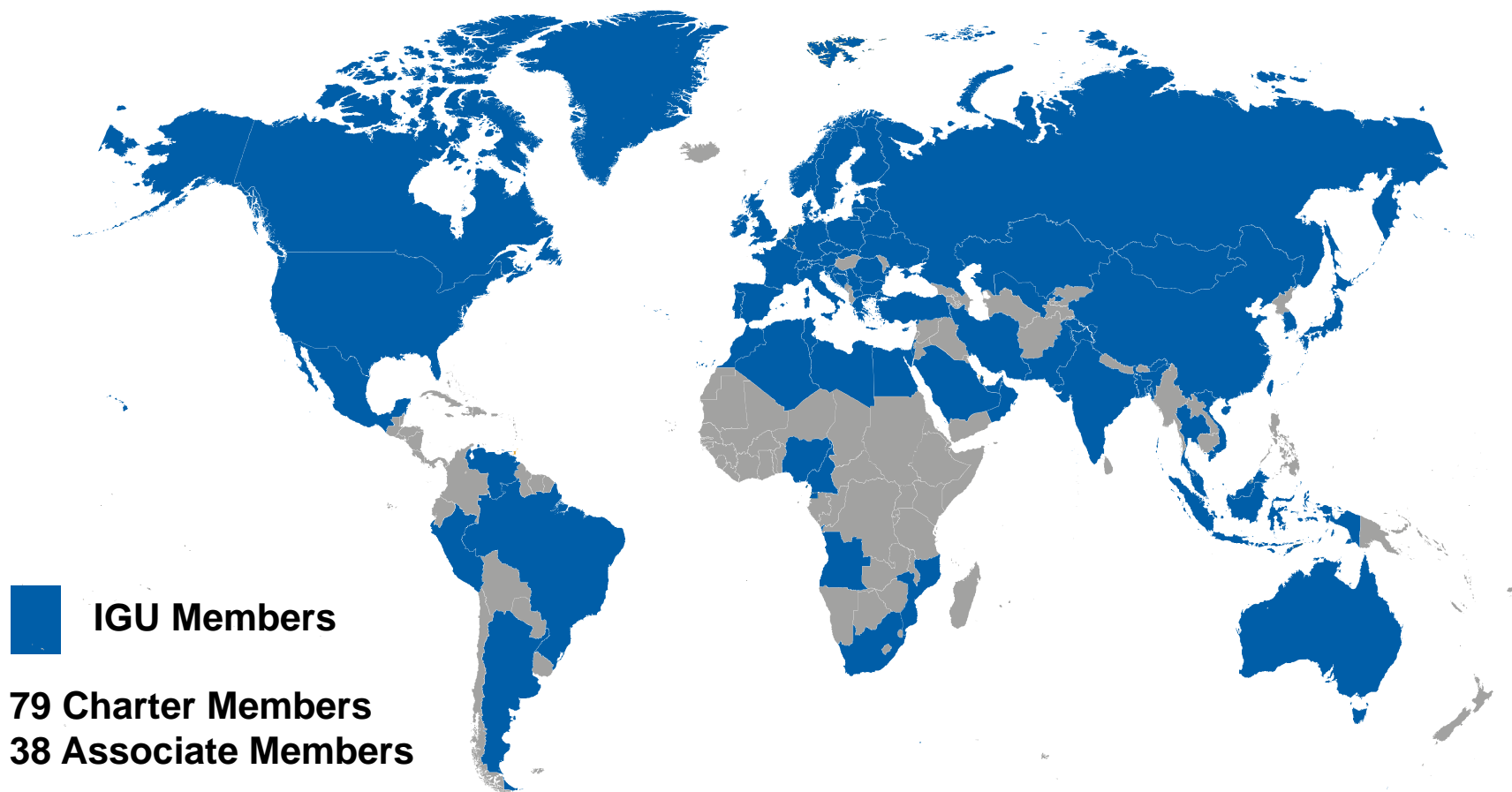


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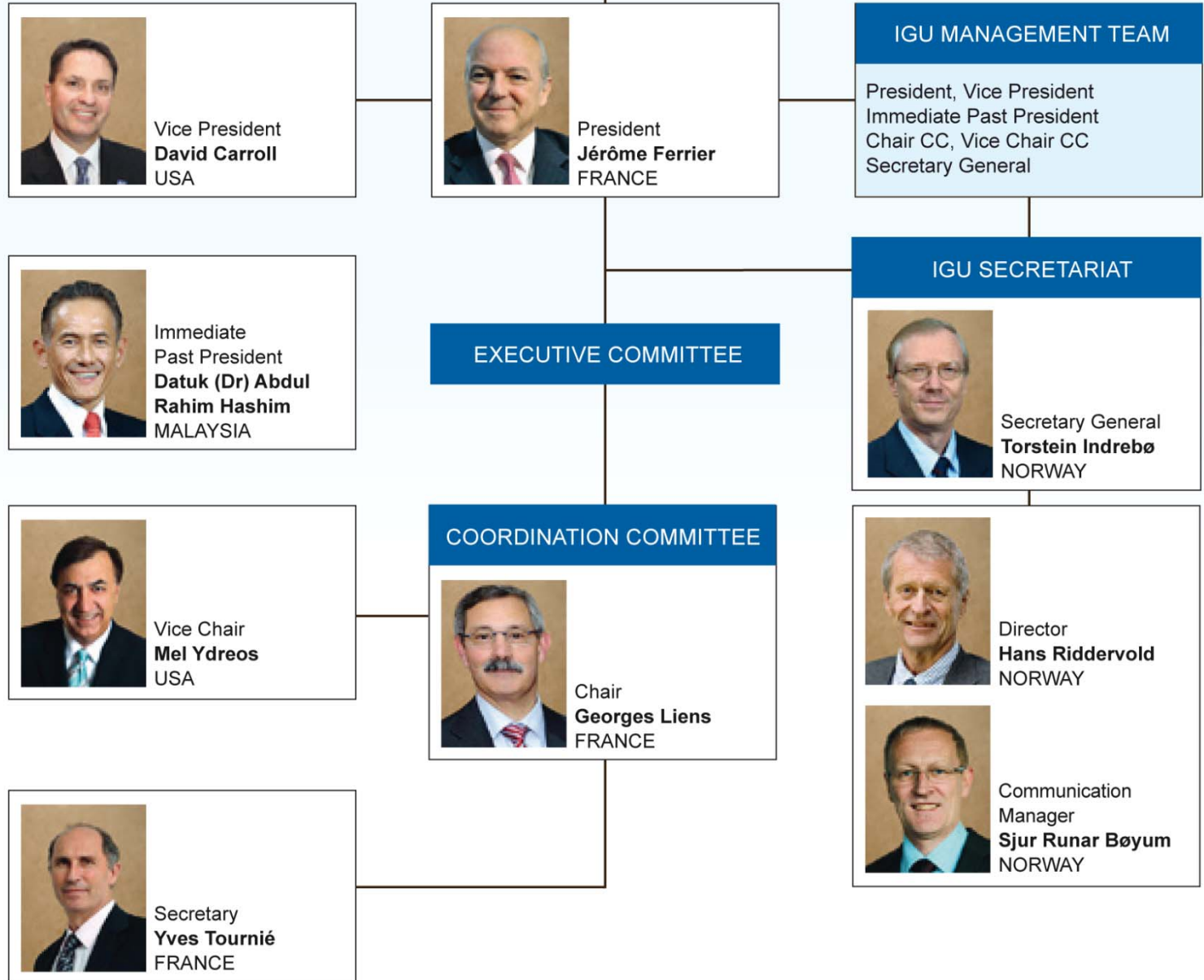
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Vision and mission of IGU



Vision:

IGU shall be the most influential, effective and independent non-profit organisation serving as the spokesperson for the gas industry worldwide.

Mission – main points:

- **Advocate for natural gas as an integral part of a sustainable global energy system**
- **Promote the political, technical and economic progress of the global gas industry**
- **Support and facilitate the global transfer of technology and know-how**
- **Maximise the value of its services to members and other stakeholders**



IGU human resources



- **IGU have human resources to draw on for advice:**
 - **IGU regional coordinators in five regions around the world**
 - **IGU Wise persons**
 - Consists of four persons
 - **Advisory Committee for Sustainability**
 - Consists of eight persons

- **In addition there are more than 650 persons (at the moment) in the Coordination Committee sphere from around the world**

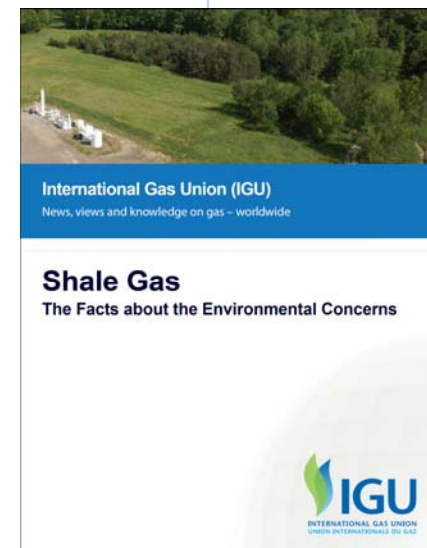
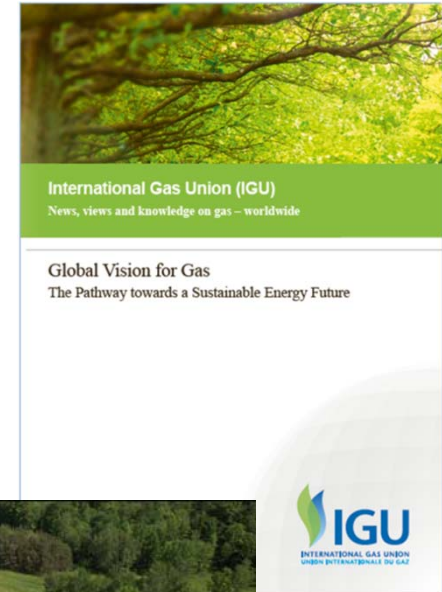
Gas Advocacy Work

Focus on communication with

- Policy makers
- Stakeholders outside the energy industry

Information on different topics

- Markets for gas today and tomorrow/
utilisation
- Natural gas resources, supply & transport
- The role of gas in climate change mitigation
- Shale gas – the facts about the
environmental concerns



The IGU Global Vision for Gas lays out a clear pathway towards a sustainable energy future



- Available resources
- Proven technology
- Sharply reduced greenhouse gas emissions
- Improved air quality and public health
- Combination with renewables
- Affordable energy
- Job creation



Policy messages

Natural gas is a fuel very well-suited to meet the energy challenges in the context of a portfolio-approach consisting of:

- Reductions in energy use
- Enhanced energy efficiency
- Expanded use of low carbon technologies
- Natural gas replacing more carbon-intensive fuels such as coal and oil



 **Gas: Abundant, affordable, acceptable, adaptable**

 **Gas: Part of the long term energy solution**



Third IEF-IGU Ministerial Gas Forum



3rd IEF-IGU Ministerial Gas Forum

Paris, France, 16 November 2012

Call for Sustainable Energy Policies and Improved Cooperation
– Enhancing the Role of Natural Gas

Promoting dialogue with policy makers

COP 18 Doha, IGU Symposium



United Nations
Framework Convention on
Climate Change

COP 18 in Doha, Qatar
26 November – 7 December 2012

IGU will again be present and active to promote the role of gas.

Main focus topics:

- **Climate change mitigation**
- **Energy access for all**

- European Cooperation towards Energy Roadmap 2050
- Memberstate forum in 2013
- Gas week with exhibition and hearing will be arranged in 2013

Goals:

- Create recognition among policy makers of the benefits of NG
- Increase awareness of NGO's, environmental organisations, etc
- Build new contacts, alliances



Access to energy is needed

«More than 1.4 bn people worldwide have no access to electricity [...] Some 2.5 bn people [...] rely on traditional biomass for cooking and heating»

Source: UN Sustainable Energy for All website



Gas can play an important role in changing this picture and in providing access to energy to those in need.

IGU invited by UNIDO to contribute to further development through knowledge-transfer and trainings

Wide range of information available



Various slide packages & reports:

- Natural Gas: Facts & Figures
- Slide package on gas advocacy
- Gas & Climate Change Mitigation Report
- Report on environmental issues surrounding shale gas production
- Summarising overview on environmental concerns regarding shale gas

www.igu.org/gas-advocacy

Selected Publications:

- Global Vision for Gas: The Pathway towards a Sustainable Energy Future, 2012
- Shale Gas, The Facts about the Environmental Concerns, 2012
- World LNG Report 2011
- Natural Gas Unlocking the Low-Carbon Future, 2010
- The Role of Natural Gas in a Sustainable Energy Market (with Eurogas), 2010
- Guidebook to Gas Interchangeability & Gas Quality (with BP), 2011

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The Role of Coordination Committee in IGU

- The committees/ Task Forces are key meeting places
- Professionals discuss and network
- Involve external organisations when appropriate, e.g.:



THE WORLD BANK
Working for a World Free of Poverty



International Institute for
Applied Systems Analysis



- Seminars and workshops
- Reports of general interest
- Apply general IGU publication policy (currently updated)

Publication policy



- **IGU are involved in own conferences and conferences together with others where copy right is an issue.**
- **The existing copy right procedure was established in 2000, and is due for an update**
- **The procedure has been updated with the contribution from Ho Sook Wah former CC Chair, based on the experience made during the Malaysian triennium, assisted by Peter Storm, Honorary Secretary General**

Publication policy



- The types of publications by IGU are defined as follows:
 - Papers and Reports produced by Technical Committees and Task Forces under the Coordination Committee
 - Papers and Reports commissioned by IGU Presidency and/or Secretariat
 - Papers and Reports presented during Conferences
 - Joint publications with other organisations

Publication policy



- Standard Publication Procedure

- To specific persons and bodies
- Published on the IGU members Web-site

- Special Publication Procedure

- Have the Report printed on the IGU standard professional lay-out
- Prepare for printing in the IGU Magazine
- Arrange feature article about it in other Gas magazines – if feasible
- Arrange a Press release and/or a conference about the Report –if feasible
- Publish in the open part of the IGU Web-site
- Encourage management of IGU to address key issues from the report at conferences where IGU has been invited to giving speeches

Item 9 Publication policy



- Retaining periode for WGC and IGRC conferences are six months
 - That is, after six months papers etc. from the conference will be put on the open part of the IGU website under the relevant conference
 - Until six months it will only be available to participants of the conference in question

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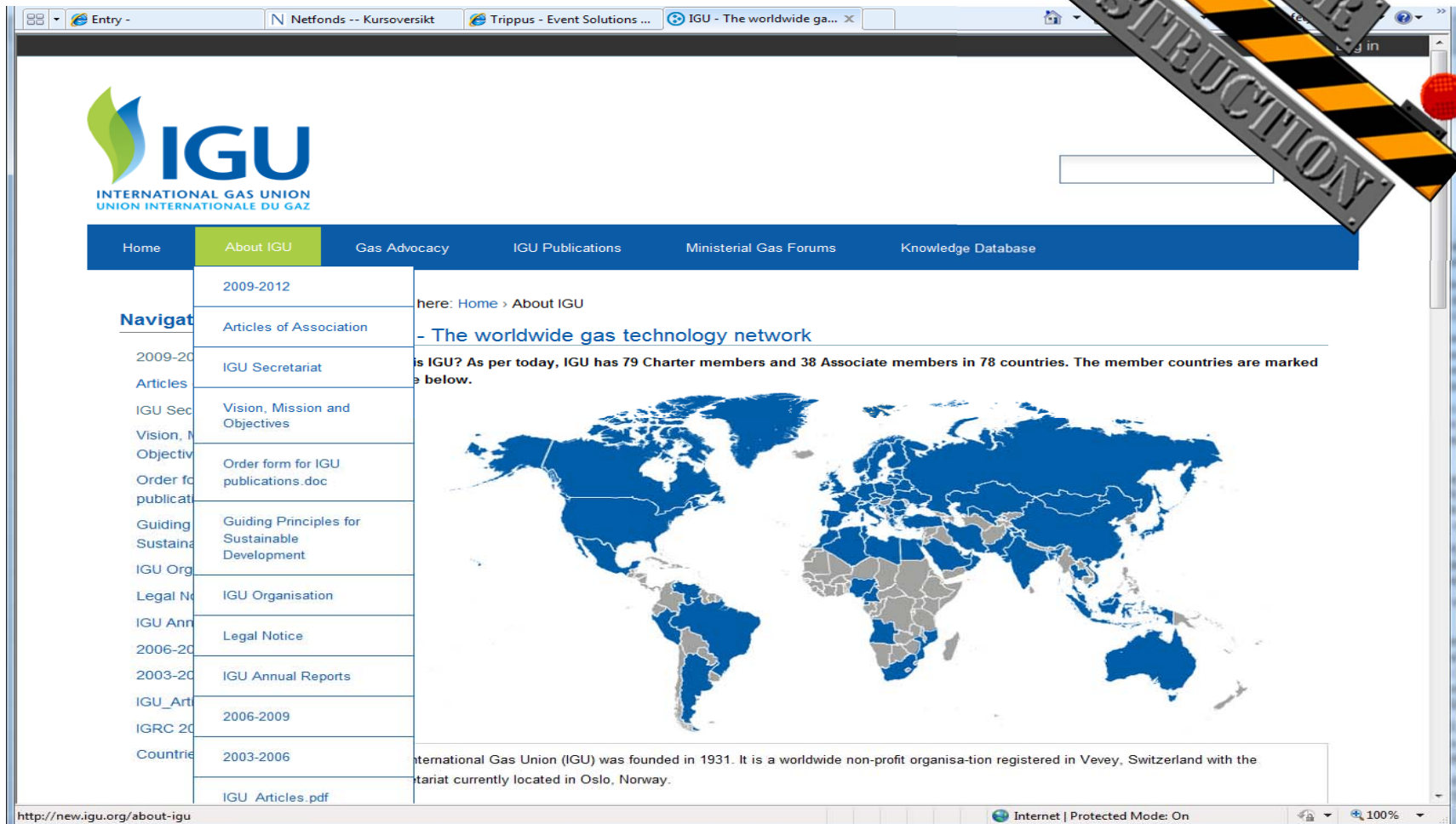
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Communication

- Reworking of the IGU web-site



The screenshot shows the IGU website with the following content:

- Navigation Menu:** Home, About IGU (highlighted), Gas Advocacy, IGU Publications, Ministerial Gas Forums, Knowledge Database.
- Page Header:** IGU INTERNATIONAL GAS UNION UNION INTERNATIONALE DU GAZ
- Main Content:**
 - Header: here: Home > About IGU
 - Section: [- The worldwide gas technology network](#)
 - Text: "What is IGU? As per today, IGU has 79 Charter members and 38 Associate members in 78 countries. The member countries are marked below."
 - Image: A world map with member countries highlighted in blue.
 - Text: "International Gas Union (IGU) was founded in 1931. It is a worldwide non-profit organisation registered in Vevey, Switzerland with the secretariat currently located in Oslo, Norway."
- Footer:** <http://new.igu.org/about-igu> | Internet | Protected Mode: On | 100%

Communication

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