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## bp joins the World Forum Offshore Wind (WFO) as a member

- Global energy major bp joins WFO as a member
- bp's membership underlines WFO's growth from 10 to nearly 100 members in 3 years
- WFO's clear mission proved successful: promoting offshore wind energy worldwide

WORLD FORUM OFFSHORE WIND (WFO) is delighted to welcome bp as a new member. bp is a global energy major with operations in Europe, North and South America, Australasia, Asia and Africa. As the energy mix is shifting, driven by technological advances and emissions reduction targets, bp is pivoting to become an Integrated Energy Company, with ambition to be a leader in offshore wind.

bp's membership underlines WFO's exceptional growth path over the past 3 years from 10 initial members in 2019 to nearly 100 members by September 2022. WFO's members include a wide range of companies and organisations from around the world, all sharing the common goal of promoting offshore wind energy worldwide. A list of all WFO members can be found on our website: [www.wfo-global.org/#membership](http://www.wfo-global.org/#membership)

**Richard Sandford**, Vice President Offshore Wind UK, bp:

"bp is harnessing wind energy to help deliver low carbon power at scale, as we work towards providing a secure, affordable and lower carbon energy future. We are rapidly increasing our projects pipeline to be a leader in offshore wind, and we look forward to supporting WFO in the journey of promoting offshore wind worldwide."

**Gunnar Herzig**, Managing Director, WFO:

"We are absolutely delighted to welcome bp as a new WFO member. Having one of the world's largest energy companies among our members underlines WFO's successful strategy of building a broad and global network to promote offshore wind energy worldwide."

### About bp:

bp's purpose is to reimagine energy for people and our planet. It has set out an ambition to be a net zero company by 2050, or sooner and help the world get to net zero, and a strategy for delivering on that ambition. For more information visit [bp.com](http://bp.com).

## **About WFO:**

WORLD FORUM OFFSHORE WIND (WFO) is the world's only organisation 100% dedicated to fostering the global growth of offshore wind energy. WFO's international members represent the complete offshore wind value chain including developers, manufacturers, service firms and other non-profit organisations. WFO is registered as a non-profit organisation (e.V.) in Germany with offices in Hamburg, Taipei, Tokyo, and New York. WFO's unique profile facilitates access to governmental and international forums to open new markets and to advocate for global offshore wind growth.

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