

25 OCTOBER 2026 - SUNDAY

18:00 ● NETWORKING ON THE BOSPHORUS
(BOAT TOUR)

26 OCTOBER 2026 - MONDAY

09:00 - 09:30 ● REGISTRATION

09:30 - 10:00 ● OPENING SPEECHES

10:00 - 11:15 ● 1st Session : World Economic Outlook and Steel Industry

11:15 - 11:30 ● COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 12:30 ● 2nd Session : The Future of Steel in a Fragmented World:
Trade Wars, Economic developments and New Challenges

12:30 - 14:00 ● LUNCH AND NETWORKING

14:00 - 15:15 ● 3rd Session : Transatlantic Steel Outlook: Navigating Trade,
Policy and Growth
(The session will explore the challenges facing the steel industry in Europe, North America and other advanced economies, with a particular focus on trade protection measures, industrial policies, the green transition and global competitiveness.)

15:15 - 15:30 ● COFFEE BREAK

15:30 - 16:30 ● 4th Session : Building the Steel Industry of Tomorrow:
Artificial Intelligence, Smart Technologies, Competitiveness
and Industrial Evolution

27 OCTOBER 2026 - TUESDAY

09:00 - 09:30 ● REGISTRATION

09:30 - 10:00 ● OPENING SPEECHES

10:00 - 11:15 ● 1st Session : From Asia to MENA: Shaping the Next
Chapter of Global Steel
(This session will examine capacity expansions, investment trends, demand outlook and the growing role of East Asia, Southeast Asia, the Gulf region and MENA countries in shaping the future of the global steel industry and international trade.)

11:15 - 11:30 ● COFFEE BREAK

11:30 - 12:30 ● 2nd Session : Turkish Steel Industry: A Strategic Partner
in Global Supply Chains

12:30 - 13:30 ● LUNCH AND NETWORKING

13:30 - 17:30 ● Hosted Buyer Event / B2b meetings

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TURKISH STEEL EXPORTERS ASSOCIATION

HOSTED BUYERS PROGRAM

25 – 28 OCTOBER 2026

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25 October, 2026 Sunday

Full Day Arrival Flights And
 Airport- Hotel Transfer
18:00– 21:00 Networking On The Bosphorus

26 October, 2026 Monday

09:00 – 19:00 Steel Networking Summits and Networking Meetings

27 October, 2026 Tuesday

10:00 – 17:30 B2B Meetings

28 October, 2026 Wednesday

Full Day Hotel-Airport Transfer
 Departure Flights

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ABOUT THE STEEL NETWORKING SUMMITS

Steel Networking Summits is an international steel conference, bringing together the most influential players of the global steel industry in Istanbul, Türkiye, on 25–27 October 2026.

Designed as a truly global networking platform, the event unites all key stakeholders of the international steel trade—from producers and traders to industry associations, as well as finance and logistics providers.

With a strong focus on global markets and trade, the conference offers direct engagement with decision-makers and provides a comprehensive perspective on the past, present, and future of the steel industry.

Our Vision: To build a global and influential steel networking platform that connects leaders and shapes the future of the industry.

Our Mission: To connect the global steel community, share knowledge, and create business opportunities.

At the conference;

Leading companies, decision-makers, and opinion leaders shaping the industry from around the world **will participate** both as speakers and as top-level attendees **at this prestigious event.**



Steel Networking Summits,

While taking a comprehensive view of the **past, present, and future of the global steel industry**, it will provide up-to-date and **in-depth insights** into steel markets across all regions, **from Europe to Asia, and from the Americas to the Middle East and Africa.**



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WHY TÜRKİYE?



Türkiye,

- With a strong **production infrastructure**,
 - High export **capacity**,
 - A versatile **trade network**,
- is one of the **natural hubs of global steel trade**.

For this reason, the Steel Networking Summits are held in Türkiye, where the pulse of the industry beats.

Türkiye;

7TH LARGEST STEEL PRODUCER
IN THE WORLD

5TH LARGEST STEEL EXPORTER
GLOBALLY

4TH LARGEST STEEL IMPORTER
WORLDWIDE

THE WORLD'S LARGEST
SCRAP IMPORTER

WORLD LEADER IN CONSTRUCTION
STEEL EXPORTS

STEEL EXPORTS TO OVER
200 COUNTRIES

EUROPE'S LARGEST STEEL PRODUCER

A PIONEER IN SUSTAINABLE
PRODUCTION WITH 70%
SCRAP-BASED MANUFACTURING

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WHY ISTANBUL?



Istanbul;

- A unique global hub that connects **East and West**,
- Bridges **production and trade**,
- And brings together **economy and politics**.



Istanbul's Strategic Location;

- Simultaneous access to **Europe, Asia, the Middle East, and Africa**
- **Intersection** of global trade routes
- Historical, economic, and **geopolitical depth**
- **International connectivity** and strong event infrastructure



Istanbul;

- Not just a host city, but a **natural meeting point** for the global steel industry.

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WHAT MAKES THE STEEL NETWORKING SUMMITS UNIQUE?

The Conference;

- **Provides the opportunity** to network with representatives of the world's leading steel companies.
- **Lays the groundwork for new business connections** resulting from these interactions.
- Offers a chance **to hear directly from decision-makers** about how decision-making processes work.

Hosted Buyer Event

- The networking activities planned within the conference will be strengthened through a **Hosted Buyer Event, providing a more effective and results-oriented platform** for business meetings.

Targeted and Results-Oriented **Networking Model**

New Business Connections That **Lead Directly to Trade**

All Industry Power Hubs on a Single Platform

Truly **Global Representation**

Istanbul's Strategic and **Geopolitical Advantage**

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WHO ATTENDS?

Steel Producers and Traders

- Owners and Senior Executives of Fortune 500 Companies
- Board Chairs and Members
- CEOs and C-Level Executives (C-Suite) International Steel Traders



Raw Material and Scrap Suppliers

Key players in the supply chain for major products such as:

- Iron ore
- Scrap
- Coal
- Ferroalloys



Machinery, Equipment, & Production Technology Suppliers

Engineering firms developing technologies for:

- Rolling
- Melting
- Automation and process systems



Logistics, Port, Insurance, & Inspection Service Providers

- Port operators
- Logistics and transportation companies
- Warehousing and customs service providers



Digitalization, Artificial Intelligence, & High-Tech Companies

Technology leaders offering AI solutions and efficiency innovations for the steel industry.



Banking and Financial Institutions

- Banks
- Trade finance organizations
- Insurance and risk management firms
- International investors and fund managers



Industry Institutions & Organizations

- National and international steel associations, institutions, and organizations
- Chambers of commerce and industry
- Industry associations and their senior representatives



Attendee Profile

400+
Participants

200+
International
Participants

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80+
Countries

40+
Speakers

30+
Networking
Hours

WHY YOU SHOULD ATTEND?

Direct Access to the Global Steel Ecosystem

Opportunity to meet steel producers, traders, representatives of international organizations, and industry leaders from around the world on a single platform.

Prestige & Visibility

Participating in this event, which aims to make a global impact, strengthens your organization's international presence and industry reputation.

Global Market Outlook

Gain direct insights from decision-makers on:

- Global **market trends**
- Trade **policies**
- **Green** transition
- Carbon **regulations**
- Emerging **business models**

High-Impact Networking

Opportunities to establish **real business connections** through:

- Pre-scheduled **B2B meetings**
- Thematic **networking areas**
- **Hosted Buyer** Event
- Formal and informal **interaction points**

The Crossroads of Global Trade

With Istanbul's strategic location, the opportunity to **engage directly with decision-makers** from different regions simultaneously.

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