



## Welcome to EWiEn's quarterly newsletter – June 10, 2025

This edition invites you to nominate for the [5th Influential Women in Energy Award](#), set to take place this Fall. It's incredible to see how the award has grown into one of the most anticipated platforms celebrating women's leadership in Ethiopia's energy sector.

You'll also find highlights from our recent leadership training, campaign moments from International Women's Day, and more updates on what's been keeping the EWiEn team busy.

*Dive in for updates, inspiration, and ways to get involved!* 💡 ⚡

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# INFLUENTIAL WOMEN IN ENERGY AWARD 2025

## Nominate Her Now!

Deadline: June 30, 2025



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Know a woman making an impact in Ethiopia's energy sector? Nominate her for the [5th Annual Influential Women in Energy Award](#)—honoring bold leadership, innovation, and lasting impact.

🏆 Open to professionals from private, CSO, NGO, or public sector and entrepreneurs across all sectors

📅 **New Deadline: June 30, 2025**

Celebrate the women shaping Ethiopia's energy future. [Click here](#) to read about past honorees and hear directly from them.

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📢 **Highlights from the last quarter — key updates you don't want to miss!** 🚀 ✨



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Cooperation, hosted a workshop on [Alternative Financing for Energy Projects](#). 💡  
The session explored 🌍 climate finance, 🏛️ institutional investment, and 💰 raising capital through the Ethiopian Securities Exchange.

A big thank you to our speakers — Esete Lulseged (Zoscales Partners), Helen Berga Paulos (UNDP), and Dawit Ababayehu (Ethiopian Securities Exchange) — and to our fantastic moderator Atkilit Bekele (EWiEn VP) for guiding the conversation!



📺 In February 2025, EWiEn, in collaboration with GIZ and the Ethiopian-German Energy Cooperation Project, delivered a leadership training for [27 mid-level women professionals](#) from the Ministry of Water and Energy, Ethiopian Electric Power, Ethiopian Electric Utility, Ethiopian Petroleum & Energy Authority, and women-led businesses.

The training focused on soft skills, confidence building, and equipping participants to step into leadership roles across Ethiopia's energy sector. 💡 📁.

👉 Curious what informed this initiative? Check out [EWiEn's 2022 gender mainstreaming study](#), which offers key insights on leadership gaps in Ethiopia's energy sector.

**7 Voices, 7 Stories, 1 Purpose: EWiEn's International Women's Day  
Spotlight** 💡 🌍 🤝



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⚡ To mark International Women's Day 2025, EWiEn ran a [7-day campaign, spotlighting our members who are powering Ethiopia's energy future](#)—highlighting their leadership, achievements, and impact across the sector.

Meet the inspiring women we featured:

- **Enas Abdella Abdulmalik** – Ethiopia Country Lead, Global Energy Alliance for People and Planet (GEAPP)
- **Alem Gebru Gebremeskel** – Founder & Managing Director, Modify Electromechanical Systems & Solutions PLC
- **Yodit Geberemariam Sisay** – Head of Off-Grid Operations & CRM, Ethiopian Electric Utility (EEU); Board Member, EWiEn
- **Mekdes Mezgebu** – Founder & Principal, Mekdes & Associates Law Office
- **Meron Tefera Amde** – Head of Energy Information Administration and Modelling Desk, Ministry of Water and Energy (MoWE)
- **Aynalem Wolde** – Women and Social Affairs Mainstreaming Executive Officer, Petroleum and Energy Authority (PEA)
- **Tsion Bekele** – ICT Infrastructure Manager, Ethiopian Electric Power (EEP)

## JOIN EWiEn

Are you a women working or interested in the energy sector?  
follow our initiatives and be a part of the change we stand for.

### Register

We welcome new members to be a part of this great network which is changing the dynamics in the energy sector.

[Register today →](#)

### Pay membership fee

If you are our member and if you haven't paid your membership fee, you can conclude your payment here.

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