

Checklist for exhibitors

The following checklist covers the most important steps in planning for your participation in the exhibition and will help you to prepare.

STE	P/TASK	INFORMATION/LINK	DATE/DEADLINE
1. Deciding to participate in the exhibition			
	Consider the exhibition in terms of precise criteria	Exhibitor Brochures:The smarter E SouthAmericaIntersolar South AmericaEes South AmericaElectrotec+EM-PowerSouth AmericaPower2Drive SouthAmerica	
	Exhibition cost calculator	Cost calculator	
2. Exhibitor goals for participation			
	Corporate goals PR goals Marketing goals Sales goals Lead goals		
3. I	Registration process		
	Submit registration	Application form for main exhibitors	
	Confirmation of receipt		1 – 2 days after registration
	Approval of participation		5 – 8 days after registration
	Booth allocation		2 – 6 weeks after approval
	Invoice		2 weeks after booth allocation
	Payment via bank transfer	Until the payment has been settled, the exhibitor will not receive exhibitor tickets and may not set up on site.	











	Register co-exhibitors	Application form for co- exhibitors		
4. 9	4. Schedule			
	Observe important deadlines	<u>Schedule</u> (Service Manual)		
5. I	Membership Program – the bonus program fo	r exhibitors		
	Register free of charge and start collecting points	Further information		
6. F	Plan booth construction			
	Determine size and type of booth			
	Plan booth construction (system or custom) Observe regulations for booth construction	Further information		
	Booth design approval	(Service Manual)	Please check the form and information in the Service Manual. This form is compulsory document The deadline is August 12, 2024	
7. Exhibitor service manual (includes order forms for various services)				
	Booth construction			
	Power supply			
	Compressed air		On August 14, 2024,	
	Telephone connection, internet access		are the first order	
	Cleaning and disposal		deadlines (After this deadline	
	Security/surveillance	Service Manual	orders of all services	
	Transport services		depends on the availability as well as a	
	Furniture rental		surcharge will be	
	Multimedia/video/PC		raised for some of	
	Catering/dishes	them)		
	Staff			
	Insurance			
8. Exhibitor Cockpit				
	Edit your company profile for the Event Guide		until July 15, 2024	
	Edit your company profile for the website			
	Press kit space rental	until June 30, 2024	until June 30, 2024	
	Create your own company Landing Page			
	Download custom advertising banners			
	Send press releases			
	Publish Job Vacancies			











9. Conference, visitor and exhibitor registration			
	Book conference tickets	Ticket shop will be available in May 2024	
	Send entry vouchers to customers		
	Register employees and booth staff		
10. \$	Sponsorship and marketing services		
	Book sponsorship packages	Sponsorship Overview	
	Book marketing packages		
11. The smarter E AWARD, Intersolar AWARD and ees AWARD – the industry's most important innovation prize			y's most important
	Presentation slot	Are you a finalist or winner of the award? Make sure to display it at your booth and apply for a presentation slot at the Innovation & Application stage.	Deadline for submission of a presentation: June 30, 2024
12. Delivery and storage			
	Correctly address deliveries (Shipping Expo Center Norte)	Further information The smarter E South America Company Name, Booth # Expocenter Norte/White Pavilion José Bernardo Pinto St, 333 VI Guilherme; 02055-000 São Paulo, SP/Brazil	No delivery of materials in advance! Deliveries must be scheduled during the set-up days.
	Contact shipping company if necessary	Contact data, on page 8	
13. Travel and accommodation			
	Book hotel	Further information	
14. Set-up and dismantling			
	Note times and communicate them to the parties involved	Further information	
15. Contacts			
	Note important contact details	Contacts	
16. Follow-up phase			
	Follow up on customer contacts/orders		
	Public relations activities		
	Evaluate success (cost/benefit)		
	Consider participation in the next exhibition		











We wish you every success in planning and organizing your participation in the exhibition! If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Best wishes,

The smarter E South America Team

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Detailed checklist information

1. Deciding to participate in the exhibition

Consider the exhibition in terms of precise criteria

Detailed information why you should participate in the exhibition can be found in the exhibitor brochure of <u>The smarter E South America</u>:

Intersolar South America, ees South America, Eletrotec + EM-Power, Power2Drive.

Exhibition cost calculator

Calculate the most important space-related costs of participating in Intersolar South America. We have summarized the main costs for you <u>here</u>.

2. Exhibitor goals for participation

It is crucial to have a precise idea of what you hope to achieve with your participation ahead of the exhibition. Important goals should be defined in advance and communicated to the people involved.

3. Exhibitor registration process

- Please use our Online Application which can be found in the <u>Exhibitor Cockpit.</u> Please register yourself in the Exhibitor Cockpit to fill out the application form. Your data will be transmitted directly to us, and you will shortly get a confirmation of receipt with a summary of the provided data.
- Once your registration is received, an acknowledgement of receipt will be sent to the email address of the contact that you specify. Please note that we will send all relevant documents and information to this email address. Therefore, please notify us promptly of any changes to this email address.
- Several days after your registration has been submitted, we will notify you. We will send you a confirmation that your participation has been approved (at which point the contract is valid and legally binding).
- You will receive notification of your booth allocation 2–6 weeks after your registration is approved.
- The invoice for your booth space will be sent two weeks after this allocation.
- Please pay the invoice by the due date, otherwise the booth space you have booked cannot be guaranteed and important documents such as exhibitor tickets will not be distributed.

There is a separate registration form for co-exhibitors. The main exhibitor remains as the contracting party. All communications will be directed to the contact specified by the main exhibitor. The online registration for **co-exhibitors** is available in our Exhibitor Cockpit.

You will find the **exhibition site plan** and the current **exhibitor list** of The smarter E South America on our website.











4. Schedule

Permanent	Booth space invoice Distribution
	Exhibition cost calculator online
April 2024	Exhibitor Cockpit available online
	Exhibitor Service Manual available online
	Exhibitor registration starts
Mai 2024	Conference registration starts
	Visitor registration for exhibition starts
	Several deadlines in the exhibitor cockpit:
June/ July 2024	 Press kit space rental Presentation slot Company profile for the printed Event Guide and many more
August 2024	Promotion Material & Exhibitor Pass Deadline Submission of Booth Construction Deadline Technical Service Deadline Please check the Exhibitor Manual.
August 2024	The smarter E South America, August 27 – 29, 2024, Expo Center Norte

5. Membership Program – the bonus program for exhibitors

You can collect loyalty points for your company by participating in The smarter E events and buying sponsorship offers. Points are also rewarded based on your booth size.

Members of the Membership Program enjoy the following advantages:

- Discount on lease price of booth space
- Preferential booth placement
- Conference tickets, free of cost and discounted
- Additional VIP tickets

Become a <u>Member</u>!

6. Plan booth construction

Determine size and type of booth

The minimum size for exhibitor booths is 9 sqm. You may select between a row booth (one side open), a corner booth (two sides open), a peninsula booth (three sides open) or an island booth (four sides open). Please be aware that we will try our best to fulfill your request but may not be able to.

Plan booth construction (system or custom)

There are many design possibilities for exhibition booths. Depending on your budget, the selection ranges from simple booth systems to custom booths designed to meet your specific needs. Please do not start planning your booth until you have received your booth allocation with final dimensions and the type of booth. Please note, that the booth construction is not included in the booth space.











Observe regulations for booth construction

The most important regulations at a glance:

• Maximum Booth Height and Minimum Clearance

The maximum booth height allowed is 6m from the exhibition hall floor. Your products must not exceed that height.

Booths under the hall's mezzanine must not exceed 3.2m from the exhibition hall floor. In this case, your products must not exceed that height.

Walls that exceed 2.2m facing a neighboring booth must be finished with a material compatible with the rest of the booth and no advertising.

Booths that reach above 3.5 above the exhibition hall floor must have a clearance to neighboring booths according to the table shown in the Manual.

• Static Load, Size

Maximum static load allowed is 3,500kg/m². The width and height of Gate C4 are 8m x 6m.

• Floors and walls

Only wooden or modular installations are allowed. If raised flooring is used, a 1m-wide access ramp is mandatory for wheelchairs, in compliance to ABNT's standard NBR–9050). The ramp must be located within the boundaries of the leased area. Booths on areas smaller than 20m² and with no ramp must provide access to wheelchairs.

Carpets: They must be fixed directly onto the pavilion floor with double-sided tape (3M ref.4880), and must be removed at the end of the event. Glue is not allowed in this case, and failure to comply will be fined €13.00/m². **Islands, island edges or Corners**

Under no circumstances should an island booth be completely walled to the facing lanes. At most 30% of linear length should be walled on each side of the booth with 6m maximum height.

• Air conditioning: AIR CONDITIONERS ARE PROHIBITED IN THE BOOTHS. All pavilions of Expo Center Norte have air conditioning and its performance would be heavily compromised by hot air coming out of individual air conditioners. Your booth must be constructed without a ceiling in order to benefit from the pavilion's system.

Two-story booths

Please check the manual carefully for more information regarding two-story booths.

Please check all RULES & REGULATIONS in the Exhibitor Manual!

The submission deadline for booth constructions requiring approval is in **August 12, 2024**. Please contact <u>projetos@twol.com.br</u> with any questions in this regard.

7. Exhibitor service manual (includes order forms for various services)

The <u>service manual</u> which will be available on the <u>Exhibitor Cockpit</u> starting in April 2024, can be used to book technical services. These services are provided by contractual partners of ARANDA, and are arranged directly between you and Aranda or their service providers. Cancellation of individual services will also be processed by Aranda or their contractual partners

Services that can be ordered by the service manual include:

- Booth constructions and additional equipment
- Electrical installations
- Cleaning and disposal
- Security/surveillance
- Transport services
- And much more!

If you have any questions, contact details for the service provider are available on the corresponding order form.











8. Exhibitor Cockpit

The **Exhibitor Cockpit** is a password-protected booking platform that allows you to order various services and to edit your Event Guide Entry.

Please register yourself as a new user and set your own password. Please promptly inform us of any changes to the main contact person, as only this person can access the Exhibitor Cockpit.

The most important functions of the Exhibitor Cockpit are:

Fast and easy online booking of...

- press kit space rental (for documents English and Portuguese)
- personalized advertising banners featuring your company name and booth number as well as a QR code generator
- services included in the Membership Program
- Meeting rooms at the exhibition grounds
- Job Offers
- and much more!

Easily edit your entry in the online exhibitor list and in the printed Event Guide.

Your online profile can be extended and individualized even further:

- upload company logos (subject to a charge)
- add employee profiles
- add product information
- and much more!

The deadline for entries in the Event Guide ends on July 15, 2024.

Please note that you can create co-exhibitor accesses to the Exhibitor Cockpit. Please note that as the main exhibitor, you remain responsible for all bookings and will receive the invoices for booked services.

9. Visitor and Conference Registration

The visitor and conference registration is available in May 2024.

10. Sponsorships and marketing services

The smarter E South America offers you numerous opportunities to make promising contacts before, during and after the exhibition. Seize the chance to present yourself as a reliable partner to the solar industry – give your brand exposure with one of many sponsorships and marketing offers:

- Logo and banners on our websites and floorplans
- exhibition and conference lanyards
- banner included in the newsletter
- and much more!

The offers of <u>Intersolar South America</u>, <u>ees South America</u>, <u>Power2Drive</u> and <u>Eletrotec + EM-Power</u> <u>South America and Power2Drive</u> are available online.











11. The smarter E AWARD, Intersolar AWARD and ees AWARD – the industry's most important innovation prizes

Are you a finalist or winner of the award 2024? Make sure to display it at your booth and apply for a presentation slot at the Innovation & Application stage. Deadline for submission of a presentation: June 30, 2024. Further information available online within the <u>Exhibitor Cockpit</u>.

More details on the <u>Awards</u> and the advantages of participating are available online.

Please note: The submission period for the Award has ended. Registration for the <u>AWARD 2025</u> will start in Summer 2024.

A great marketing tool for the winners and an indicator for the industry. The winners of each Award will be announced at an official ceremony at The smarter E Europe, in June 2024, Munich.

Press activities and all events surrounding the AWARD presentations help ensure that companies in the solar and energy storage industries receive the international recognition they deserve for their outstanding efforts in developing first-class products and services.

12. Delivery and storage

All deliveries (pallets, individual packages) to exhibitor's booths must be addressed as follows:

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Hold For: The smarter E South America Exhibiting Company Name and Booth No._____ Expo Center Norte / White Pavilion Rua José Bernardo Pinto, 333 - Vila Guilherme São Paulo - SP, 02055-000, Brasil

National Freight Forwarder

Brazilian Exhibitors are requested to consult the following forwarder and all deliveries (pallets, individual packages) to exhibitor's booths must be addressed as follows:

Trans Expo Transportes Ltda. Lift Run Transportes e Remoções Técnicas Ltda. R. Gabriel de Souza, 2.013 09812-210 – S. Bernardo do Campo, SP

Official International Freight Forwarder

Schenker Deutschland AG Fairs & Exhibitions Paul-Henri-Spaak-Str. 8 81829 Munich Germany Contact Details: Nagel Rui Pereira Phone: +55 11 4109-9011 / 4109-6674 Fax: +55 11 4109-0423 nagel.rui@trans-expo.com.br www.trans-expo.com.br

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13. Travel and accommodation

Expo Center Norte is easily reachable by air, car or public transport. Information on **arriving** by car or with **public transport** as well as **hotel accommodations** are available on our <u>website</u>.

Address Exhibition Centre:

Expo Center Norte, White Pavilion Rua José Bernardo Pinto, 333 - Vila Guilherme ZIP: 02055-000 - São Paulo / SP. www.expocenternorte.com.br

14. Set-up and dismantling

Exhibitor tickets are required for set-up and dismantling. Please carefully check the Rules & Regulations for the set-up & dismantling.

Set-up

Begin: Thursday, August 23, 2024, 2:00 pmEnd: Monday, August 26, 2024, 4:00 pmA detailed time schedule is available at our website.

<u>Additional set-up days</u> Additional set-up days are not available for all halls.

Dismantling

Begin: Thursday, August 29, 2024, 08:00 pmEnd: Friday, August 30, 2024, 08:00 pmA detailed time schedule is available at our website.

15. Contacts

For questions during set-up and dismantling as well as throughout the entire event, you will find us in the exhibitor office on-site.

Exhibitor office hours on site:

Saturday:	8:00am – 5:00pm
Sunday:	8:00am – 5:00pm
Monday:	8:00am – 7:00pm
Tuesday:	8:00am – 8:00pm
Wednesday:	8:00am – 8:00pm
Thursday:	8:00am – 8:00pm

Exhibitor registration/booth sales: Solar Promotion International GmbH Tel.: +49 7231 58598-0 Email: ExhibitorService@TheSmarterE.com.br Exhibitor service: FMMI GmbH Tel.: +49 761 3881-3900 Email: <u>TheSmarterE_sa@fwtm.de</u>











16. Follow-up phase

Detailed follow-up is necessary for the sustainable and long-term success of your presence at the exhibition. Check to see if you met the goals you set in advance. Send updates and cultivate your relationships with potential customers and regular customers, even those who weren't at the exhibition. Report your participation on your website, social networks, etc. Evaluate the overall success of your participation and make a decision about whether or not you will participate in the next exhibition.

Don't forget: Send thank-you notes to your customers and to all employees involved!

As of March 2024







