

**Arab Fertilizer Association (AFA)** is pleased to announce that the Modeling & Advanced Analytics workshop Will take place at Marrakech during the period : 5 – 7 September 2023



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#### **Course Intro:**

The fertilizers manufacturing sector witnessed a digitization driven by disruptive trends such as the rise of data availability, connectivity and machine automation. This has offered tremendous opportunities to tackle pressing challenges through the usage of advanced analytics methods in areas such as sustainability, HSE, supply chain, fertilizers quality management, energy management, water management, Marketing, etc. More and more players in the Arab region are using those advanced analytics to address operational excellence and business issues and are increasingly aware of the opportunities that has yet to be explored especially in the light of recent developments around Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning.





#### This course will feature



Modelling And advanced
Analytics of the supply
chain and the market
equilibrium



Become aware of the importance of machines and data in decision-making thanks to simulation and distributed computing



Optimizing CAPEX/OPEX portfolio allocation under economic and sustainable constraints



Be able to lead digital transformation in industrial context



Predicting future behaviour of supply-demand and price forecasting based on Al Algorithm



Awareness of sustainability in modern business especially in the fertilizer industry

## **Workshop Outline**

- Overview of Modeling, Analytics & data science
- Algorithm and Analytics Programming: theory and practice
- Application to Market Modeling & Game theory: Practical cases through business applications
- Introduction to data management / Big Data
- Introduction the Sustainability Economics & some business cases
- Introduction to computer science, parallele computing/ High Computing performance / Cloud computing
- Digital transformation principals and tools
- Lecture on decarbonization in industry



Subtopic	Description	Examples of Business Cases
Sustainability	How models can help address sustainability challenges facing the industry: ex. net zero, renewable energies,	<ul><li>Simulation of Carbon footprint</li><li>Carbon markets</li></ul>
Supply Chain	Harnessing the power of Operations Research and Machine Learning for optimal supply chain design and production scheduling.	<ul> <li>Industrial CAPEX design simulation</li> <li>Warehouse location problem</li> <li>Freight cost optimization</li> </ul>
Market dynamics & Pricing	Fertilizers markets have been largely impacted by volatility and uncertainty in the face of recent global supply and demand disruptions (Covid 19, Ukraine war,). We present how market models can help decision makers better navigate through turbulence.	Market simulators

## Why attend?

In a context of explosion of data, computational power and powerful algorithms, deriving these tools into meaningful insights and informed decision is a key challenge for all sizeable companies & especially in fertilizer & commodities industry. Modern Decision-making tools are based not only on intuition, but intuition coupled with quantitative analysis, Operations Research (OR), Analytics or Optimization, This is one of the leading managerial decision science tools used by big organizations. Data and analytics are transforming existing business models and ecosystems. Proliferation of new data sets and introduction of massive data migration capabilities are undermining existing information and technological silos. From using granular data to personalize products and services to scaling digital platforms, companies are using business analytics to enhance performance based on robust decision-making tools.



# WHO SHOULD ATTEND? specialists working in different areas of the fertilizer industry, such as:

- Sales & Marketing
- Supply Chain / Logistics managers & specialists
- Planning either at strategic or operational level
- Performance management
- Industrial development
- Business Development

- Sustainability
- Purchasing, procurement, Contracts, Finance
- Managing or working with budget/cost constraints
- Upper management



#### **Workshop Methodology**

- 3 days of intensive training with professional and academic practitioners (UM6P, OCP Solutions).
- Training carried out in the prestigious UM6P university with practical cases based on the most powerful supercomputer in Africa.

## **Workshop Language**

Presentations will be in Arabic / English, & materials Will be delivered in English

## **Technical Program Providers**



## Mohammed VI Polytechnic University (UM6P)

Mohammed VI Polytechnic University (UM6P) focuses on education, research, and development of new technologies, technology transfer, and the pursuit of innovative and promising projects and partnerships with; academic, institutional, and corporate partners. It is also an institution of excellence for undergraduate and postgraduate studies in various scientific fields.



#### **OCP Solutions**

OCP Solutions is a subsidiary of OCP, that specializes in consulting. This subsidiary offers a wide range of consulting services in Strategy, Management, Innovation and Modeling & Analytics.

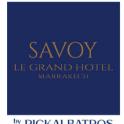
The Modeling & Analytics is the main practice of OCP Solutions and covers quantitative methodologies (Operational Research, Game Theory, Advanced Analytics, Data science, Maching Learning etc.) applied to many subjects (Strategy, Supply Chain, Finance, Production, Sales etc.)



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Registration Fees

USD 1750



Workshop Venue

SAVOY LE GRAND HOTEL MARRAKECH

by PICKALBATROS

Room	Price
Single/ Double	1800 MAD

- The above room rates are per room per night including buffet Breakfast.
- The above rates are Subject to 28.60 MAD/night/pax







#### Hotel booking:

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#### **Methods of Payment**

- Cheque To the order of the Arab Fertilizer Association (Please include delegate's name attached with cheque)
- Bank Transfer TO: Arab Fertilizer Association

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#### Registration - Cancellation Policy

- In case cancelled less than 7 days before the workshop start date, no refund will be issued.
- Please note that refunds will only be processed once written notification of cancellation has been

Cash Payment