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1.2 billion people worldwide are without access to electricity, and a billion more have only intermittent access. 2.8 billion people lack access to clean cooking solutions.

In response, UN Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon launched a new initiative in 2011 by the same name (SE4ALL), calling on governments, businesses, and civil society to make commitments to action to accomplish three objectives by 2030:

The UN General Assembly Member States have unanimously declared 2014-2024 as the Decade of Sustainable Energy for All.
80 countries and thousands of businesses and NGOs have committed to support a wide range of energy services to deliver universal energy access by 2030.
Energy Access Practitioner Network

- **1800+** members
- **>230 million** individuals reached
- **191** countries

- Focus on market-based mini- & off-grid solutions
- Catalyze energy service delivery at country level
- Promote adoption of new technologies, innovative financial & business models
- Best practices, peer-to-peer learning
- A “network of networks”

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Practitioner Network in Peru/ LAC

- The International Energy Agency estimates that micro-grid & decentralized energy solutions will be the pathway to electricity access for roughly **60 percent** of the people who now lack it.
- Peru is the **2nd country** in the LAC region with the greatest number of people without energy access, following Haiti.
- Practitioner Network membership has a strong presence in the region – **290 member organizations** report operating in the LAC region; out of these, **65** have operations in Peru.
- The case studies that will be presented today offer an opportunity for practitioners to learn more about the **technical, financial, policy and regulatory aspects** behind current electrification efforts in Peru, and to leverage lessons learned.

*This webinar session brings together three illustrious presenters to discuss the current status of energy access and efforts around scaling in Peru in depth.*