Presented by ADVANCED ENERGY ECONOMY (AEE), Wednesday, June 21, 2017
8:30am-4:40pm | Room 306-308, 3rd Floor Ballroom Level | Sacramento Convention Center

AGENDA**

7:30am  Breakfast and Registration

8:30am-8:35am  Welcome Remarks
Graham Richard, CEO, AEE

8:35am-8:40am  Welcome from AEE Leadership Council Member, Landis+Gyr
Gary High, SVP of Marketing and Product Management, Landis+Gyr

8:40am-9:25am  100% Clean Grid: Is It Possible?
Facilitated by: Commissioner David Hochschild, California Energy Commission
  • Nick Brod, VP, CLEAResult
  • Martin Hermann, CEO, 8minutenergy Renewables
  • Sarah Webster, VP of Investor Relations, Government Relations and Corporate Communications, Pattern Energy
  • Steve Malnight, SVP of Strategy and Policy, PG&E

9:25am-10:10am  California vs. the Feds? Media Perspectives on Energy & Climate Policy in the Age of Trump
Facilitated by: Robert Keough, VP of Communications, AEE
  • Ben Bradford, State Government Reporter, Capitol Public Radio
  • Katie Fehrenbacher, Contributor to Greentech Media
  • Debra Kahn, Reporter, E&E News
  • Dan Morain, Editorial Page Editor, Sacramento Bee

10:10am-10:40am  Networking Break

10:40am-11:15am  The Utility of the Future: What Does It Mean for Customers?
  • Lisa Frantzis, SVP, 21st Century Electricity System, AEE
  • Kevin Payne, CEO, Southern California Edison

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11:15am-12:00pm  Preparing for the Transition: Meeting the Workforce Needs of the Advanced Energy Economy

Facilitated by: Ben Bartlett, Director of Strategic Partnerships, CalCEF and City Councilmember, Berkeley City Council District 3

- The Honorable Autumn Burke, Assemblymember (AD-62), California State Legislature
- Jim Caldwell, Sector Navigator of Energy, Construction, and Utilities, California Community Colleges and Executive Director, Workforce Incubator
- Dan’l Lewin, Corporate Vice President of Technology and Civic Engagement, Microsoft
- Commissioner Andrew McAllister, California Energy Commission

12:00pm-12:10pm  Award Presentation: Honoring AEE’s 2017 Pathway Pioneer

Presented to Mary Nichols, Chair, California Air Resources Board by Graham Richard, CEO, Advanced Energy Economy

12:10pm-1:20pm  Networking Lunch

1:20pm-1:55pm  Full Retail Choice in California: Has the Time Come

Introduction by: Jim Woodruff, VP of State and Local Government Affairs, First Solar

- President Michael Picker, California Public Utilities Commission
- Vidhya Prabhakaran, Partner, Davis Wright Tremaine

1:55pm-2:40pm  Putting It All Together: How Advanced Technologies Support an Evolving Grid

Introduction by: Doug Lewin, VP of Regulatory Affairs and Market Development, CLEAResult

Facilitated by: The Honorable Henry Stern, Senator (SD-27), California Legislature

- Matt Duesterberg, Founder and CEO, OhmConnect
- Mark Rothleder, VP of Market Quality and Renewable Integration, CAISO
- Manal Yamout, VP of Policy and Markets, Advanced Microgrid Solutions
2:40pm-3:20pm  Networking Break

3:20pm-4:05pm  **The Future of Transportation is Electric: What Stands in the Way?**
Facilitated by: Steve Chadima, SVP of External Affairs, AEE
- The Honorable Phil Ting, Assemblymember (AD-19), California Legislature
- Caroline Choi, SVP of Regulatory Affairs, Southern California Edison
- Jamie Hall, Manager of Public Policy, General Motors
- Commissioner Janea Scott, California Energy Commission

4:05pm-4:35pm  **Going Against the Grain: Can California Carry the Banner on Climate and Energy While D.C. Heads the Other Way?**
Introduction by: Heather O’Neill, SVP of Strategic Partnerships, AEE
Facilitated by: Tom Starrs, VP of Market Strategy and Policy, SunPower
- The Honorable Kevin De León, Senate President Pro Tempore, California State Senate
- Nancy McFadden, Executive Secretary, Office of Governor Brown
- Tom Steyer, Founder and President, NextGen Climate

4:35pm  **Closing Remarks**
Steve Chadima, SVP of External Affairs, AEE