

DISTRIBUTED ENERGY: THE LOWEST COST ELECTRICITY STRATEGY?

THE HOTEL WINDSOR MELBOURNE
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“The cheapest power station is the one that you don’t have to build.”

Australia confronts an unprecedented set of challenges in developing its electricity system: climate change, the financial crisis, reliability and asset renewal. What is the lowest cost strategy to respond to these challenges?

This forum examines the benefits and costs of energy efficiency, distributed generation, load management and smart meters. It explores the potential of these distributed energy technologies to deliver a secure, flexible energy supply, at a lower cost and with less greenhouse gas emissions.

The forum is part of a series held across Australia to foster the development of an Australian Distributed Energy Roadmap. The Roadmap aims to provide practical strategies for accelerating the deployment of distributed energy technologies across Australia. Interested stakeholders are invited to contribute to the development of the Roadmap.

The Intelligent Grid Research Program is a major three-year research collaboration between the CSIRO and five leading Australian universities under the CSIRO’s Energy Transformed Flagship. Launched in August 2008, the research program aims to facilitate major greenhouse gas emission reductions by integrating distributed energy technology with a more intelligent electricity network.



For more detail about our research please refer to the iGrid website:
WWW.IGRID.NET.AU

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Registration Form

Register by completing this form and returning it either by fax: 02 9514 4941 or email: Louise.Boronyak@uts.edu.au by Monday 6 July 2009.

Full Name	
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Event details

The iGrid Industry Forums are designed for key stakeholders, industry leaders, and researchers from around Australia to share the latest industry developments and research in the rapidly changing electricity industry. This is a free event. Please register early as spaces are limited.

Date and Time:

Tuesday 14 July 2009, 9am to 5pm

Inquiries:

Phone: 02 9514 4974

Venue:

The Grand Ballroom, The Hotel Windsor, Spring Street, Melbourne

Directions:

The Hotel Windsor is located on the corner of Bourke and Spring Street. It is located in Melbourne's most central districts, adjacent to Parliament Train Station and close to Bourke Street and Collins Street Tram stops. Parking is available on at Parkade, 34 - 60 Little Collins Street Melbourne.

