



The Future of American Electricity Policy Academy

Marriott Marquis Hotel, Washington, D.C.

Sept. 21-23, 2016

Wednesday, Sept. 21

2 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions

Speaker: Rep. Pat Garofalo, Minnesota
Co-chair of CSG Energy and Environment Public Policy
Committee

2:05–3:45 p.m.

**The Basics of Electricity, Grid Management, and the Changing
Energy Landscape**

Speakers: Bill Libro, Minnesota Power

Alexandra Dunn, Environmental Council of the States

Thaddeus Huetteman, U.S. Energy Information
Administration

3:45–4 p.m.

Break

4–5 p.m.

The Grid of the Future

Speaker: Barbara Tyran, Electric Power Research Institute

5 p.m.

Board Bus for Reception at the Canadian Embassy

5:30–7:30 p.m.

Reception at Canadian Embassy

Thursday, Sept. 22

8–9 a.m.

Breakfast

8:30–8:45 a.m.

Recap of Previous Day



- 8:45–9:45 a.m.** **Meeting Consumer Demand for Clean Energy: Market and Regulatory Trends**
- Speaker:** Tanuj Deora, Smart Electric Power Alliance
Ron Holcomb, Tipmont REMC
- 9:45–10:45 a.m.** **Distributed Energy Resources, Net Metering and the Value of Solar**
- Speakers:** Phil Moeller, Edison Electric Institute
Former commissioner, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

Autumn Proudlove, North Carolina Clean Energy Technology Center
- 10:45–11:45 a.m.** **A Consumer Look at Policies that Drive New Technologies**
- Speakers:** Sheri Givens, Gee Consulting

Rep. Tom Sloan, Kansas

Russell Frisby, Stinson Leonard Street LLP
- 11:45–Noon** **Break**
- Noon–1 p.m.** **Lunch Program: Cybersecurity and the Electric Grid**
- Speakers:** Scott Aaronson, Edison Electric Institute

Janet Sena, North American Electric Reliability Corporation
- 1–2:40 p.m.** **Emerging Electric Utility Technologies**
- Moderator:** Lisa Wood, Edison Foundation
- Speakers:** Keith Dennis, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

Andrew Cotter, National Rural Electric Cooperative Association

William Polen, United States Energy Association

Evan Wilcox, American Electric Power



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- 2:45** **Board Bus to U.S. Department of Energy**
- 3–5 p.m.** **Site Visit/Experiential Tour – U.S. Department of Energy Solar Panels and Discussion**
- Speaker:** Karen Wayland, U.S. Department of Energy
- 6–8 p.m.** **Small Group Dine Around**

Friday, Sept. 23

- 8– 8:45 a.m.** **Breakfast Program: Ratemaking 201**
- Speaker:** Raj Barua, National Regulatory Research Institute
- 8:45–10 a.m.** **Rooftop Solar in Nevada: The Legislative, Executive Branch and Regulatory Perspectives**
- Speakers:** Sen. Kelvin Atkinson, Nevada
- Chairman Paul Thomsen, Nevada Public Utilities Commission
- Sen. Patricia Spearman, Nevada, Governor’s Energy Task Force
- 10–10:15 a.m.** **Break**
- 10:15–11 a.m.** **Emerging Regulatory Trends in the States**
- Speakers:** Ashley Brown, Harvard Electricity Policy Group
- Miles Keogh, National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners
- 11–Noon** **Attendee Roundtable Discussion on Trends in State Legislation**