# **GRID EVOLUTION**

# PROGRAM



## March 28 - 29, 2017

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#### Welcome

#### ICEPAG 2017: GRID EVOLUTION GLOBAL SUMMIT: HYDROGEN

**ICEPAG** (the International Colloquium on Environmentally Preferred Advanced Generation) is presented annually by the Advanced Power and Energy Program (APEP) at UC Irvine as a "Global Summit Series," varying each year between Grid Evolution and Microgrid Technologies.

**ICEPAG 2017** addresses **Grid Evolution** and brings together global experts from Industry, Government, and Academia to examine issues and share critical, cutting edge information on the role of **HYDROGEN** in the grid of the future, with a focus on:

- Hydrogen Generation
- Hydrogen Transport/Storage
- Hydrogen End Use

APEP continues to expand its cutting-edge research in advanced power generation and utilization, and in accelerating the integration of HYDROGEN into the U.S. and global economies. APEP's strategic alliances with industry and national and international agencies and laboratories, provide a critical bridge between our research and practical application.

In partnership with **Southern California Gas Company (SoCalGas)**, **Proton On-Site**, and the **National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)**, APEP engineers have successfully implemented the first power-to-gas (P2G) hydrogen pipeline injection process in the United States. It successfully demonstrates the use of excess clean electricity that would otherwise go to waste by converting surplus sustainable energy from solar panels or wind farms into renewable-hydrogen. Once converted, it can then be blended with natural gas and utilized in home appliances and power plants, to supply hydrogen fuel cell electric vehicles, or it can be directly injected into the natural gas infrastructure to provide a massive energy storage buffer that can manage and better utilize high levels of renewable power.

In the promising area of advanced technologies for Integrated Gasification Combined Cycle (IGCC) plants, APEP is identifying and developing advanced technologies for coproduction of electricity and hydrogen. Utilized with carbon capture and storage (CCS), incremental analysis shows cofeeding and coproduction to be competitive with a cost of hydrogen lower than the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) goal for cost per kilogram.

APEP continues to collaborate with the **UCI Administration** in the evolution of the UCI Microgrid as a major field laboratory. The UCI Microgrid includes the most stellar energy efficiency initiatives in the country, the broadest array of advanced energy and transportation technologies, and the latest in diagnostics and computer simulation resources. Under funding from the **DOE**, APEP is collaborating with **Southern California Edison (SCE)**, **ETAP**, **California ISO (CAISO)**, the **Ports of Los Angeles** and **Long Beach**, the **Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD)**, **MelRoK**, and the **UCI Medical Center**, in the development of a Generic Microgrid Controller (GMC).

The APEP Laboratory tours scheduled during the networking reception will feature visits to our new Connectivity Lab developed in collaboration with **Schweitzer Engineering Laboratories (SEL)**, our Fuel Cell Systems research, our Power-to-Gas research, and our research in combustion and alternative fuels. We hope that you will take advantage of the tour while at the networking reception.

In summary, we are indebted to our long-standing relationships that contribute in so many ways to the Summit, our research, our real world research and demonstration projects, and our students.

We thank you for attending, and for your support and contributions to the Summit and to APEP.

Scott Samuelsen, Program Chair

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## ICEPAG 2017 Wyndham Hotel Bus Schedule

Day	Departure Location	Departure Time	Arrival Time
March 28, Morning	Wyndham Hotel	7:15 am In Front of Hotel	7:30 am E. Peltason/Engineering Gateway Bus Cut Out
March 28, Evening	UCI	7:00 pm E. Peltason/Engineering Gateway Bus Cut Out	7:15 pm Wyndham Hotel
March 29, Morning	Wyndham Hote	7:15 am In Front of Hotel	7:30 am E. Peltason/Engineering Gateway Bus Cut Out
March 29, Evening	UCI	5:45 pm E. Peltason/Engineering Gateway Bus Cut Out	6:00 pm Wyndham Hotel

#### **ICEPAG 2017**

#### **Grid Evolution**

## Hydrogen: Generation, Distribution, Utilization

### PROGRAM: DAY 1 – TUESDAY, March 28, 2017

#### PLENARY and SIGNATURE PANEL SESSION

7:30 – 8:30 am	NETWORKING BREAKFAST				
8:30 – 9:00 am	Welcome				
	Professor Scott Samuelsen, Director, UCI Advanced Power and Energy Program (APEP)				
9:00 – 10:00 am	<ul> <li><u>Keynote: "Environmental Goals"</u></li> <li>Rich Corey, Executive Officer, California Air Resources Board</li> </ul>				
10:00 – 10:30 am	NETWORKING BREAK				
10:30 – 11:00 am	<ul> <li><u>Keynote: "Manufacturing Goals"</u></li> <li>Regis Conrad, Director, Division of Advanced Energy Systems, U.S. Department of Energy</li> </ul>				
11:00 – 12:00 pm	Signature Panel Session"Hydrogen: Why Important?"         Moderator: Jack Brouwer, APEP         • Academic Perspective Jack Brouwer APEP         • Industry Perspective Ole Höefelmann, Air Liquide         • ISO Perspective Peter Klauer California Independent System Operator				
12:00 – 1:00 pm	LUNCH				
	TECHNICAL SESSION				
1:00 – 2:45 pm	Hydrogen Generation				
	Moderator Jack Brouwer UCI				
	Session G-I				
	Tri-Generation Tony Leo FuelCell Energy Electrolysis (I/II) Steve Szymanski Proton OnSite				
	Electrolysis (II/II) Rob DelCore Hydrogenics				
	Power-to-Gas: Technology Li Zhao APEP				

#### 2:45 – 3:15 pm NETWORKING BREAK

3:15 – 5:00 pm

## Hydrogen Generation

Moderator Jack Brouwer UCI

Session G-II

Power-to-Gas: Economics Lori Schell Empowered Energy

Centralized Generation with CC: NGH₂T Ganesan Subbaraman GTI

Centralized Generation with CC: IGFC and NGFC Ashok Rao APEP

> Electrochemical Conversion with CS Tianyu Cao Tsinghua University

5:00 pm DAY 1 PROGRAM CONCLUDES

5:00 – 7:00 pm NETWORKING RECEPTION: APEP CENTER

7:00 pm BUS DEPARTS FOR HOTEL

#### **TECHNICAL SESSION**



Fuel Cells

Robert Flores NFCRC

TIGER Stations Laura Novoa NFCRC

12:30 – 1:30 pm

LUNCH



#### **TECHNICAL SESSION**

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