Spring Research Seminar 15-16 May 2008

**Thursday 15 May  Jesus College**

19:00 – 19:30 Reception *Coleridge Room*
19:30 – 22:00 Dinner *Upper Room*

**Friday 16 May  Cripps Court, Magdalene College**

09:00 Registration and coffee
09:30 Welcome & introduction - **David Newbery** *(EPRG, University of Cambridge)*

09:40 – 10:50 **SESSION 1 -- REGIONAL ASPECTS OF RENEWABLE DEPLOYMENT**
Chairman: **Karsten Neuhoff** *(EPRG)*
**Mark O’Malley** *(University College, Dublin)* [The All Ireland Grid Study](#)
**T Boehme, J Taylor, R Wallace & J Bialek** *(University of Edinburgh)* [The Scottish renewable resource assessment and implications for the grid](#)

10:50 – 11:20 Coffee break

11:20 – 12:30 **SESSION 2 -- TRANSMISSION MANAGEMENT FOR INTERMITTENT POWER**
Chairman: **Michael Pollitt** *(EPRG)*
**Karsten Neuhoff & David Newbery** *(EPRG)* [Transition to a market with congestion management](#)
**Goran Strbac** *(Imperial College, London)* [Modelling the UK example](#)

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:10 **SESSION 3 -- SMART METERING**
Chairman: **David Reiner** *(EPRG)*
**Aoife Brophy & Tao Zhang** *(EPRG)* [Smart metering](#)
**Jim Wallace** *(ARM Ltd)* [Intelligent energy management in buildings](#)

15:10 – 15:40 Tea

15:40 – 16:50 **SESSION 4 -- RETAIL COMPETITION**
Chairman: **Stephen Littlechild** *(EPRG)*
**Catherine Waddams** *(Centre for Competition Policy, UEA)* [Competition issues in the UK retail energy markets](#)
**Carlo Fiorio** *(University of Milan)* [Consumers and electricity policy reforms in the EU](#)