



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