

EPRG Winter Seminar 10-11 December 2015

SHIFTING SANDS: THE ROLE OF MARKETS AND POLICY IN ENERGY TRANSITION

Thursday 10 December *The Hall, Christ's College (St Andrew's Street, Cambridge, CB2 3BU, UK)*
18:30 – 21:30 Reception, dinner & keynote speech
Speaker: Simon Taylor (*University of Cambridge*) "*The Fall and Rise of Nuclear Power in Britain: A history*"

Friday 11 December *The Gillespie Centre, Riley Auditorium, Clare College*
 Queen's Road, Cambridge, CB3 9AJ, UK

09:00 **Registration and Coffee**

09:30 **Welcome and Introduction - David Newbery & Sean Gammons**

09:40 - 10:50 **SESSION 1: THE FUTURE OF OIL AND GAS IN EUROPE**

Chair: M. Schonborn (NERA)

C.K. Chyong (*EPRG*) *Markets and Long-Term Contracts: The Case of Russian Gas Supplies to Europe*

G. Anstey (*NERA*) *Impact of Wood Review on the future of UKCS Oil and Gas*

10:50 – 11:20 **Coffee Break**

11:20 - 12:30 **SESSION 2: ROUNDTABLE ON THE FUTURE OF CLIMATE POLICY**

Chair: D. Reiner (EPRG)

M. Thompson (*CCC*)

D. Radov (*NERA*)

D. Newbery (*EPRG*)

G. Meeks (*GIB*)

12:30 – 14:00 **Lunch**

14:00 - 15:10 **SESSION 3: SUBSIDIES AND SUPPORT FOR RENEWABLE ENERGY**

Chair: R. Ritz (EPRG)

A. Carmel (*NERA*) *Auctions for Renewable Energy*

D. Reiner (*EPRG*) *Energy Subsidies at Times of Economic Crisis: A Comparative Study and Scenario Analysis of Italy and Spain*

15:10 – 15:40 **Afternoon Tea**

15:40 – 16:50 **SESSION 4: SMART ENERGY PRICES AND NETWORKS**

Chair: S. Gammons (NERA)

R. Druce (*NERA*) *Efficient Rules for Planning a Smart Grid*

M. Oseni & M. Pollitt (*EPRG*) *The Prospects for Smart Energy Prices: Observations From 50 Years Of Residential Pricing For Telecoms And Energy*

16:55 - 17:00 **Concluding Word - David Newbery & Sean Gammons**