EPRG Spring Seminar 9-10 May 2019
in partnership with FTI Consulting and Compass Lexecon Energy
“Continuity and Disruption in Energy Markets”

Thursday 9 May
Dining Hall, Robinson College (Grange Road, Cambridge, CB3 9AN, UK)
18:00 – 21:00 Reception, keynote speech & dinner
Speaker: Sir Richard Friend (University of Cambridge) on Future of Solar Energy

Friday 10 May
The Gillespie Centre, Riley Auditorium, Clare College (Queen’s Road, Cambridge CB3 9AJ, UK)
08:30 Registration and coffee
09:00 Welcome and introduction - David Newbery and Fabien Roques
09:10 – 10:20 PANEL SESSION: CAPACITY MARKETS – LEGAL ISSUES AND PAN-EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE
Chair: Michael Pollitt (EPRG)
S. Bell (Tempus Energy)
M. Grubb (University College London)
M. Duffield (National Grid Ventures)
D. Buschle (Energy Community Secretariat & College of Europe)
10:20 – 10:50 Coffee Break
10:50 – 12:00 SESSION 2 – STRENGTHENING CARBON POLICY
Chair: David Reiner (EPRG)
F. Roques (FTI/CL) Prospects for carbon pricing in Europe – potential effects of a coordinated carbon price floor
R. Ritz (EPRG) Understanding overlapping climate policies
12:00 - 13:00 Lunch
13:00 – 14:10 SESSION 3 – DIGITALIZATION AND MARKET DESIGN
Chair: Alaric Marsden (FTI/CL)
J. Mann (FTI/CL) The impact of block chain and P2P trading on market design for local energy systems
M. Pollitt (EPRG) & S. Georgiopoulos (UKPN) The impact of new technologies on electricity network operators
14:10 – 14:40 Afternoon Tea
14:40 – 15:50 SESSION 4 – INTERNATIONAL PERSPECTIVES ON ENERGY POLICIES AND REGULATIONS
Chair: Fabien Roques (FTI/CL)
M. Lindovska (FTI/CL) a perspective on US and Australia
A. Philpott (Auckland University) a perspective on New Zealand
A. Ehrenmann (Tractebel Engie) a perspective on Continental Europe
L. Dale (National Grid) a perspective on GB and China
15:55-16:00 Concluding word – David Newbery and Jason Mann