



## PROGRAMME

**Monday, 21 August 2017**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

08h45 – 09h45 Registration and Welcome Coffee / Tea

10h00 – 11h30 **INAUGURAL SESSION**

Welcome Address by

**Dr. Ajay Mathur**, Director General, The Energy and Resources Institute &  
Chairman Steering Committee, WRETC

Address by

**Mr. K. S. Popli**, CMD, Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ltd.

Theme Address by

**Mr. Anil Razdan**, Former Secretary Power, Govt. of India  
Chairman, Energy And Environment Foundation

Industry Address by

**Mr. Rajinder K. Kaura**, CMD, Bergen Group of Companies

Release of **Background Paper** by the Chief Guest

Prepared by

- **The Energy and Resources Institute**
- **Sunkalp Energy**
- **EMPI Institute**

Address by Guest-of-Honour

**Mr. Anand Kumar**, Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

Award Distribution by the **Chief Guest**

**Energy And Environment Foundation “Global Excellence Awards 2017”  
in Renewable Energy Sectors**

Inaugural Address by the Chief Guest

**Mr. Piyush Goyal**, Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge) for  
Power, Coal, New & Renewable Energy & Mines, Govt. of India

Vote of Thanks by

**Dr. Anil K. Garg**, President, World Renewable Energy Technology Congress

11h30 – 12h00

— **Networking Tea / Coffee** —



**Monday, 21 August 2017**

**12h00 – 13h30**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**PLENARY SESSION - I “RE Commitment in COP-21: National & International Perspectives”**

Chairperson

**Mr. Anil Razdan**, Former Secretary Power, Govt. of India & Chairman, Energy And Environment Foundation

Key Speakers

- **Dr. Ashvini Kumar**, Managing Director, Solar Energy Corporation of India
- **Ms. Srishti Ahuja Taneja**, Director, Transaction Advisory Services, Ernst & Young LLP
- **Mr. A. K. Jain**, CMD, Rajasthan Electronics & Instruments Ltd.
- **Dr. Martin Keller**, Director, NREL, U.S. Department of Energy, Colorado, USA
- **Mr. Dolf Gielen**
- **Dr Kyriakos Maniatis**

**13h30 – 14h30**

**Power Connect Lunch**

**14h30 – 16h00**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**PLENARY SESSION - II “Panel Discussion on Innovative Financing of RE Projects”**

Chair & Moderator

**Dr. V. K. Garg**, Former CMD, Power Finance Corporation

Co-Chair:

**Mr. K. S. Popli**, CMD, Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Limited

Panelists

- **Dr. R. Seetharaman**, Group Chief Executive Officer, Doha Bank, Doha, Qatar
- **Ms. Surbhi Goyal**, Senior Energy Specialist, Energy and Extractives, The World Bank
- **Mr. Srinath Komarina**, President, Responsible Banking, YES Bank Ltd
- **Dr. Donal Cannon**, Head of Regional Representation for South Asia, European Investment Bank
- **Mr. C. M. Khurana**, Chief General Manager(Credit), Head Power (Credit Risk), India Infrastructure Finance Company Limited
- **Mr. Jaisukh Chhajaj**, Head Power (Credit Risk), L&T Infra Finance Co. Ltd.
- **Ms. Nehmat Kaur**, Development Policy Economist, Natural Resources Defense Council

**16h00 – 16h30**

**Networking Tea / Coffee**



**Monday, 21 August 2017**

**16h30 – 18h00**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**PLENARY SESSION - III**      **“Energy Storage and Future of Electric Vehicles  
(New Trends and Technologies)s”**

**Chairperson**

**Dr. Ajay Mathur**, Director General, The Energy and Resources Institute

**Key Speakers**

- **Dr. Rahul Walawalkar**, Executive Director, India Energy Storage Alliance
- **Mr. Rajinder K. Kaura**, CMD, Bergen Group of Companies
- **Dr. Lawrence E. Jones**, Vice President, International Programs, Edison Electric Institute, USA
- **Mr. Giin Sia**, Sales Director - Asia Pacific, NEC Energy Solutions, Inc., USA

**18h30 onwards**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**Annual Meeting of International Advisory Council on Renewable Energy  
(BY Invitation)**



**Tuesday 22nd August 2017**

**09h30 – 11h00**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**SESSION - IV “Smart Cities – Smart Rooftop Solar – Smart Grids”**

**Chairperson**

**Mr. Jatinder Nath Swain**, Joint Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

**Key Speakers**

- **Mr. Anil Poluru**, Head Utility-India, Trinasolar
- **Dr. Arun K Tripathi**, Director General, National Institute of Solar Energy
- **Mr. Ronnie Khanna**, Deputy Chief of Party (Renewable Energy), USAID PACE-D Technical Assistance Program
- **Mr. Pratyush Kumar Thakur**, Chief Operating Officer, Statkraft BLP Solar
- **Ms. Kanika Khanna**, Director, Sunkalp Energy
- **Mr. Raghav Malhotra**, Global Head of Project Management, Cleantech Solar, Singapore
- **Dr. Tarlochan Kaur**, Head, Department of Electrical Engineering, PEC University of Technology
- **Dr. G. Ganesh Das**, Head-Strategy, Business Excellence & Collaborations, Digital & Business Intelligence, Tata Power Delhi Distribution Limited
- **Dr. Subhransu Sekhar Dash**, Professor and HOD, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, SRM University

*Global Environment Awards 2017*  
*Global GreenBuilding Awards 2017*

**11h00 – 11h30**

**Networking Tea / Coffee**



**Tuesday 22nd August 2017**

**11h30 – 13h00**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**SESSION - V “Waste Management and Waste-to-Energys”**

**Chairperson**

**Mr. Anjani Nandan Sharan**, Joint Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Government of India

**Key Speakers**

- **Mr. Alok Varshney**, Managing Director at Acetel Technologies Pvt Ltd
- **Mr. Walter Howard**, Chief Executive Officer, Alter NRG Corp, Canada
- **Dr. G. S. Kapur**, Chief General Manager (Chemical Technology), Indian Oil Corporation Limited
- **Dr. B. S. Negi**, Director General, Sardar Swaran Singh National Institute of Bio-Energy
- **Mr. Suhas Bhand**, Chairman, Organic Recycling Systems Pvt. Ltd.

**Hall-1 (First Floor)**

**Thought Leadership Summit Special Interactive Group Meeting** (by Invitation)

**“Renewables Energy: Skill Development & Capacity Building”**

**Chair & Moderator**

**Dr. Praveen Saxena**, CEO, Skill Council for Green Jobs

**Key Resources Persons**

**Dr. N. P. Singh**, Former Director, MNRE, Government of India

**Dr. B. S. Negi**, Former Member, Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board

**Mr. D. N. Avasthi**, Former Member, ONGC

**Dr. Shailendra Kumar Pokhriyal**, Professor & Head Oil & Gas, College of Management & Economics Studies, University of Petroleum And Energy Studies

**Mr. Kuldeep Chandra**, Former ED (R&D) ONGC

**Mr. P. N. Yadav**, University of Mumbai

**13h00 – 14h00**

**Power Connect Lunch**



**Tuesday 22nd August 2017**

**14h00 – 15h30**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**Session – VI “RE — Make-in-India: Policy Gaps”**

**Chairperson**

**Mr. Rajinder K. Kaura**, CMD, Bergen Group of Companies

**Key Speakers**

- **Mr. K. N. Subramaniam**, Chief Executive - PV Systems, Moser Baer Solar Ltd
- **Mr. Dolf Gielen**, Director, Innovation and Technology Centre (ITC)  
International Renewable Energy Agency, Germany
- **Ms. Ritu Lal**, VP – Business Development, Amplus Energy Solutions
- **Mr. Prem R Kumar**, CEO, BSES Yamuna Power Limited

**15h30 – 16h00**

**Networking Tea / Coffee**

**16h00 – 17h30**

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**Session – VII “Advances in Bio-Energy, Biofuels and Hydrogen”**

**Chairperson**

**Dr. Etsuo Akiba**, Professor, International Research Center for Hydrogen Energy, Kyushu University, Japan

**Key Speakers**

- **Mr. K. R. Raghunath**, Managing Director, KIS Group
- **Dr Kyriakos Maniatis**, Principal Administrator, Unit C2-New Energy Technologies Innovation & Clean Coal,  
Directorate C - Renewables, Research & Innovation, Energy Efficiency  
DG ENER, European Commission, Brussels, Belgium
- **Dr. S K Puri**, Chief General Manager, Indian Oil Corporation Limited
- **Mr. Sivakumar V.**, Director of Sales, Scania India

**19h00 onwards**

**Cultural Programme & Gala Dinner**

**at Air Force Auditorium, Subroto Park (Near Dhaula Kuan), New Delhi, India**



**Wednesday 23rd August 2017**

**09h30 – 11h00**

**Main Auditorium Hall**

**PANEL DISCUSSION SESSION – I “New Perspectives of Renewable Energy”**

Chair & Moderator

**Mr. Gireesh B. Pradhan**, Chairperson , Central Electricity Regulatory Commission

Key Speakers

- **Mr. A. Sudhakar Rao**, VC & Managing Director, Telangana State Renewable Energy Development Corporation
- **Mr. Prabhat Singh**, Managing Director & CEO, Petronet LNG Ltd.
- **Mr. Suresh Sugavanam**, Managing Director, UL India Pvt. Ltd.
- **Mr. Rajinder K. Kaura**, CMD, Bergen Group of Companies
- **Mr. Prerit Agarwal**, Vice President-Commercial and Utility Solutions, Locus Energy
- **Mr. Manoj K. Upadhyay**, CMD, ACME Group
- **Mr. Joe Phelan**, Director, WBCSD India
- **Dr. Bibek Bandyopadhyay**, Former Advisor MNRE
- **Dr. Bharat Bhargava**, Director General, ONGC Energy Centre
- **Dr. P. V. Ramesh**, CMD, Rural Electrification Corporation Limited
- **Mr. Ajay Prakash Shrivastava**, President, Maharishi Solar Technology Pvt. Ltd.

**11h00 – 11h30**

**Networking Tea / Coffee**

**11h30 – 13h00**

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**PANEL DISCUSSION SESSION – II  
“Sustainable Smart Energy Technologies, Innovations and R&Ds”**

Chair & Moderator

**Mr. Sanjiv Singh**, Chairman, IndianOil Corporation Limited

Key Speakers

- **Prof. Dr. Peter Novak**, Director, Institute of High Technologies and Systems, Energotech D.O.O., Slovenia
- **Dr. Toshihiro Hirai**, Executive Director, Technology Forum for the Future Asia, Japan
- **Mr. Kyoji Kunitomo**, President and CEO, Clarendon Institute Co., Ltd., Japan
- **Mr. R. Vijayalayan**, Technical Manager, MathWorks India
- **Mr. Kiran Nair**, Head Wind Resource and Technology, Mytrah Energy
- **Mr. Ravi Raina**, India & Asia-Pacific Region, LONGi Solar Technology Co. Ltd.
- **Ms. Tanya Batra**, Head-Business Development, Ezysolare
- **Mr. Kuldeep Chandra**, Former ED (R&D) ONGC
- **Mr. Avijit Ray**, Manager of Engineering in New Delhi, and a Principal Vice President, Bechtel Infrastructure
- **Ms. Radhika Choudary**, Co Founder, Freyr Energy Services Private Limited

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## **Valedictory Session**

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**Dr. Peter Novak**, Director, Institute of High Technologies and Systems, Energotech D.O.O., Slovenia

**Dr. Martin Keller**, Director, NREL, U.S. Department of Energy, Colorado, USA

**Dr. Etsuo Akiba**, Professor, International Research Center for Hydrogen Energy, Kyushu University, Japan

Declaration of the 8th WRETC-2017

**Mr. Rajinder K. Kaura**, CMD, Bergen Group of Companies

Special Address by

**Mr. Anil Razdan**, Former Secretary Power, Govt. of India & Chairman, Energy And Environment Foundation

**Best Poster Paper & Informative Booth Awards**

## ***Global Sustainability Awards 2017*** ***Global WasteMet Awards 2017***

Valedictory Address by Chief Guest

**Mr. Suresh P. Prabhu**, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Railways, Government of India

Vote of Thanks by

**Dr. Anil Garg**, President, World Renewable Energy Technology Congress

**15h00**

**Closing Tea / Coffee**