

EPRG Spring Seminar 4-5 June 2015

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Toward a Better Energy Policy– Key Issues for the New UK Government and the New European Energy Union

- Thursday 4 June** College Hall, Newnham College (Sidgwick Avenue, Cambridge, CB3 9DF, UK)
18:30 – 22:00 Reception, keynote speech & dinner
Speaker: Laszlo Varro, Head of Gas, Coal and Electricity Markets (IEA) “Do we have to go back to the planned economy to decarbonize electricity?”
- Friday 5 June** Lecture Theatre, Møller Centre, Churchill College (Storey’s Way, Cambridge CB3 0DE, UK)
- 09:00 **Registration and coffee**
- 09:30 **Welcome and introduction - David Newbery & Boaz Moselle**
- 09:40 – 10:50 **SESSION 1 – EU ENERGY UNION – WHICH WAY FORWARD FOR THE ELECTRICITY TARGET MODEL?**
Chair: Boaz Moselle (FTI-CL Energy)
David Newbery (EPRG) What future(s) for liberalized electricity markets?
Fabien Roques (FTI-CL Energy) Rethinking power markets for decarbonisation: Toward the EU Target Model 2.0
- 10:50 – 11:20 **Coffee Break**
- 11:20 – 12:30 **SESSION 2 - ENERGY RETAIL MARKET COMPETITION IN GB: STATUS AND PROSPECTS**
Chair: David Reiner (EPRG)
Stephen Littlechild (EPRG)
Alaric Marsden (FTI-CL Energy)
Guy Madgwick (ENECO)
Chris Harris (RWE)
Rachel Fletcher (OFGEM)
- 12:30- 14:00 **Lunch**
- 14:00 – 15:10 **SESSION 3 – UK CAPACITY MARKET – LESSONS FROM THE FIRST CAPACITY AUCTION AND ISSUES FOR CROSS BORDER PARTICIPATION**
Chair: Michael Pollitt (EPRG)
Yiran Du & Robert Ritz (EPRG) Analysis of Strategic Bidding Behaviours and Design of the UK Capacity Market
Jason Mann (FTI-CL Energy) Key issues for interconnection participation in capacity markets
- 15:10 – 15:40 **Afternoon Tea**
- 15:40 – 16:50 **SESSION 4 – NEW TRENDS TO SUPPORT INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT**
Chair: Fabien Roques (FTI-CL Energy)
Anthony Legg (FTI-CL Energy) The future of transmission regulation
Peter Levi & Michael Pollitt (EPRG) Cost Projections and Investment in Electricity Generation Infrastructure in the UK: A study of cost uncertainty
- 16:55-17:00 **Concluding word – David Newbery**