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MONDAY 20 SEPTEMBER 2021



Technical Tour: Middelgrunden Wind farm

Monday 20 September 2021
14:00 – 17:30 (2 pm – 5.30 pm)

The Middelgrunden Offshore Wind Farm is one of the first offshore wind farms in the world. It has a total capacity of 40 MW and consists of 20 Bonus turbines each with a power of 2 MW. Middelgrunden Offshore Wind Farm provides 3 per cent of the electricity consumption in Copenhagen.

The tour includes boat trip to Middelgrunden Offshore Wind Farm with participation from Middelgrunden Wind Turbine Cooperative (duration: 2-3 hours depending on weather); explanation about the project, ownership structure etc., coffee/tea, and, if permitted by the weather, entrance to the turbine foundation.

Departure from Amaliehaven (Amalie Garden), Larsens Plads, 1253 Copenhagen K

More information and registration at [conference website](#).



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08:00-09:00 Registration and breakfast

09:00-11:00	1st plenary session chaired by Professor Poul Alberg Østergaard	ROOM: SQUARE 1
09:00-09:10	Professor Henrik Lund: Opening speech	
09:10-09:30	Keynote (online): Claudia Kemfert, Professor and Head of Department at DIW, Germany: Corona crisis: Chance for decentralized energy system transformation with full supply from RE	
09:30-09:40	Questions and debate	
09:40-10:10	Keynote: Anders Nordstrøm, Vice President of Hydrogen at Ørsted, Denmark: PTX potential for 2050 net zero	
10:10-10:40	Keynote: Poul Skjærbæk, Chief Innovation Officer at Siemens Gamesa, Denmark: Unlocking the Green Hydrogen revolution at the sea	
10:40-11:00	Questions and debate	

11:00-11:15 Short break

Parallel sessions 1-4	11:15-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 1	11:15-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 2	11:15-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 3	11:15-12:30 ROOM: STUDIO 3+4
	Session 1: Smart energy system analyses, tools and methodologies	Session 2: Integrated energy systems and smart grids	Session 3: Planning and organisational challenges for smart energy systems and district heating	Session 4: 4th Generation District Heating concepts, future district heating production and systems
	Chair: Ulrich Reiter	Chair: Jesper Tange	Chair: David Maya-Drysdale	Chair: Hanne Kauko
	Session keynote Martin Lindgaard Pedersen: Digital tools for refurbishment planning based on facts and choice of pipe system based on Total Cost of Ownership and CO2 emission Mostafa Fallahnejad: District heating distribution grid costs: comparison of two approaches Kirstin Ganz: How can energy system modeling electricity prices be adjusted to reflect real price spreads for flexible assets in the future? Anna Vannahme: General Optimization Guideline for District Heating Networks and its exemplary Application	Session keynote Oddgeir Gudmundsson: The role of hydrogen in the future heat supply system Hamam Soliman: Power-to-X / Electricity-to-Hydrogen – CAPEX & OPEX Vs. Integrated Production Thomas Natiesta: Testbed to evaluate digital solutions in integrated district heating and electrical grids: First results	Session keynote Matteo Pozzi and Alessandro Capretti: Planning large district heating network developments based on Waste Heat Recovery Claudia Mădălina Dumitru: Optimizing the development process of a hybrid energy supply system based on renewable sources using the LEAN methodology Ari Laitala: Understanding the profitability of the energy (efficiency) investments – things to consider before putting billions into game Daniel Møller Sneum: Discounting assumptions in district energy	Session keynote Anna Volkova: Competitiveness of individual heat pumps in the Baltic states Felix Agner: Improving robustness to peak load conditions in district heating networks through scalable control coordination subject to network constraints Marco Cozzini: Performance measurement and detailed modelling of an existing neutral-temperature district heating network based on decentralized heat pumps Stefan Puschnigg: An analysis of cascaded low-temperature sub-networks in existing district heating networks

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12:30-14:00 Lunch and networking

Parallel sessions 5-8	14:00-15:30 ROOM: SQUARE 1 Session 5: Smart energy system analyses, tools and methodologies Chair: Nina Detlefsen Session keynote Matteo Giacomo Prina: Bottom-up method to derive Cost curves for heat savings in buildings for all European countries Lorenzo Cassetti: Realization and energy assessment algorithm of a Horizontal Packed Bed Regenerator for Thermal Energy Storage Adrian Ostermann: Forecasting charging station occupancy using supervised learning algorithms Thanh Huynh: Local Energy Markets for Thermal-Electric Energy Systems considering energy carrier dependency and energy storages Goran Stunjek: Analysis of hydropower impact in water energy nexus for smart energy systems	14:00-15:30 ROOM: SQUARE 2 Session 6: Integrated energy systems and smart grids Chair: Hans Jørgen Brodersen Session keynote Philip Fosbøl: Potential for CCS and CCUS electrification towards reducing impact of climate change Anders Bavnthøj Hansen: System scenarios towards climate neutrality by use of smart Energy systems solutions Mads R. Almassalkhi: Characterizing the reactive power capability of wind farm collector networks Marie-Alix Dupré la Tour: Flexibility enhancement using heat networks within large scale sector coupling studies Henrik Schwaeppe: Analysing systemic advantages of district heating in an integrated transmission and generation expansion planning model	14:00-15:30 ROOM: STUDIO 3+4 Session 7: Planning and organisational challenges for smart energy systems and district heating Chair: Peter Jorsal Session keynote Tore Friis Gad Kjeld: District Heating in Copenhagen – challenges and perspectives Sara Ben Amer: How successful is municipal energy planning in Denmark - quantifying the impact David Maya-Drysdale: Achieving carbon neutrality in cities: Lessons from a leader Britta Kleinertz: Heat Transformation Munich – Analysis and strategy definition for a systemic cost optimal heat supply transformation Hannah Mareike Marcinkowski: Modelling renewable energy islands and their role in energy transitions	14:00-15:30 ROOM: SQUARE 3 Session 8: 4th Generation District Heating concepts, future district heating production and systems Chair: Steffen Nielsen Session keynote Kristina Lygnerud: Implementation of low temperature district heating Henrik Lund: Transition to 4th Generation District Heating and Motivation Tariffs Luca Casamassima: A proposed Pathway to future-proof current building stock for upcoming 4th generation district heating in the scope of Positive Energy Districts Jakob Binder: Interconnection and smart control of district heating networks for increased flexibility Meng Yuan: District heating in 100% renewable energy systems: Combining industrial excess heat and heat pumps
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15:30-16:15 Coffee break

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Parallel sessions 9-12

16:15-17:30 ROOM: SQUARE 1
Session 9: 4th Generation District Heating concepts, future district heating production and systems
Chair: Ralf-Roman Schmidt
Session keynote Christian Engel: Green deal impact of DHC networks: how best performing piping systems make DHC even more attractive
Hanne Kauko: Investment analysis of a local energy system with seasonal thermal energy storage
Ali Moallemi: COOL DH: A Pioneering Project to Implement Low Temperature District Heating (LTDH) Systems As an Integrated Part of Smart Energy Systems
Dorte Skaarup Østergaard: Combined district heating and cooling – which solutions are available and are they applicable in a Danish context?

16:15-17:30 ROOM: STUDIO 3+4
Session 10: Energy savings in the electricity sector, buildings, transport and industry
Chair: Anne B. Holm
Session keynote Nikola Matak: Selection of mitigation actions in Smart SECAPs through comparison of individual and joint implementation
Philipp Mascherbauer: Investigating the demand side flexibility of the building stock
Gerald Birngruber: Digital Energy Twins - Optimised Operation and Design of Industrial Energy Systems
Tobias Reum: Experimental Investigation of a novel Hybrid Heat Pump

16:15-17:30 ROOM: SQUARE 2
Session 11: Renewable energy sources and waste heat sources for district heating
Chair: Goran Krajačić
Session keynote Aleksandr Ledvanov: Free cooling and district heating supply usage for Tallinn district cooling production
Dario Dall'Ara: Solar energy in low temperature district heating: monitoring and simulation of an innovative district in Milan
Mihai-Rareş Sandu: Analysis and optimisation of a renewable energy hybrid system operation
Vladimir Vidović: Solving barriers for effective utilization of Seawater Heat Pumps for heating and cooling in the Adriatic region

16:15-17:30 ROOM: SQUARE 3
Session 12: Geographical Information Systems (GIS) for energy systems, heat planning and district heating
Chair: Urban Persson
Session keynote Bernd Möller: An empirical high-resolution geospatial model of future population distribution for assessing heat demands
Hermann Edtmayer: Urban Building Thermal Energy Analysis at City District Scale
Ulrich Reiter: Decarbonizing the Swiss energy demand from buildings
Luis Sánchez-García: A Closer Look at the Effective Width for District Heating Systems

17:30-19:30 Break

19:30 Conference dinner, Restaurant GRØFTEN in Tivoli



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Parallel sessions 13-15	<p>09:00-10:30 ROOM: SQUARE 1</p> <p>Session 13: Energy savings in the electricity sector, buildings, transport and industry</p> <p>Chair: Bernd Möller</p> <p>Session keynote Marcus Hummel: How cost efficient is energy efficiency in buildings? A comparison of building shell efficiency & heating system change in the European building stock</p> <p>Andreas Müller: How to decarbonize Munich's district heating production in long-term? Forecasting the space heating demand of Munich</p> <p>Pierre JC Vogler-Finck: Data-driven operation of building heating to support the energy transition at community level – Learnings from field applications</p> <p>Daniel Trier: Large-scale heat pumps for district heating – Lessons learned from real applications</p> <p>Vittoria Battaglia: The role of local energy planning in the achievements of regional and national sustainability targets: an Italian case study</p>	<p>09:00-10:30 ROOM: SQUARE 2</p> <p>Session 14: Smart energy infrastructure and storage options</p> <p>Chair: Jan Eric Thorsen</p> <p>Session keynote Charles Hansen: Reducing carbon emissions through low temperature district heating zones</p> <p>David Barns: Enabling geexchange in cities: success factors from UK examples</p> <p>Morten Vang Bobach: Multi-purpose Pit Thermal Energy Storage in Combination with Heat Pumps</p> <p>Pietro Lubello: Assessment of hydrogen based long-term electrical energy storage in residential energy systems</p> <p>Jesper Tange: Improving efficiency and scaling up Pit Thermal Energy Storages (PTES) with unique lid design</p>	<p>09:00-10:30 ROOM: SQUARE 3</p> <p>Session 15: Special Session IEA DHC Annex TS3</p> <p>Chair: Dorte Østergaard</p> <p>Session keynote Ralf-Roman Schmidt: Integrated District Heating and Cooling Systems: Overview of the results of the international cooperation project IEA DHC Annex TS3</p> <p>Peter Sorknæs: Energy system synergies of hybrid energy network technologies</p> <p>Edmund Widl: Categorization of tools and methods for modeling and simulating hybrid energy systems</p>
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10:30-11:00 **Coffee break**



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Parallel sessions 16-18

11:00-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 1

Session 16: Smart energy system analyses, tools and methodologies

Chair: Steen Schelle Jensen

Session keynote Morten Karstoft Rasmussen: Connecting the DH value chain with smart meter data

Marko Mimica: A stochastic model for smart energy systems analysis

Tim Pedersen: Modeling all alternative solutions for highly renewable energy systems

Dmitry Romanov/Johannes Pelda: District heating systems modelling: A gamification approach

Costanza Saletti: A hierarchical control algorithm with yearly and daily horizons for optimally managing district energy systems

11:00-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 2

Session 17: 4th Generation District Heating concepts, future district heating production and systems

Chair: Peter Sorknæs

Session keynote Jan Eric Thorsen: Insights on domestic hot water consumption for multi flat buildings

Dietrich Schmidt: Low temperature district heating as a proven and market ready technology – Case studies of IEA DHC ANNEX TS2

Artem Sotnikov: Hydrothermal challenges in low-temperature networks with distributed heat pumps

Kevin Naik: Optimising heat consumption at micro-level using user centric data driven model

Nicola Kleppmann/Benedikt Hartung: ML4Heat - Tools for the optimized operation of existing district heating networks based on machine learning methods

11:00-12:30 ROOM: SQUARE 3

Session 18: Electrification of transport, heating and industry

Chair: Anders Bavnhøj Hansen

Session keynote Leif Gustavsson: A lifecycle comparison of primary energy use and climate impact of biofuel and electric cars

Kertu Lepiksaar: Centralised power-to-heat units as flexible consumers in the power grid

Oliver Ruhnau: How flexible electricity demand stabilizes wind and solar market values: The case of hydrogen electrolyzers

Kasper T. Therkildsen: Large scale deployment of modular pressurised alkaline electrolyzers

Andrei David Korberg: Supply chain effects of the extreme hydrogen society

12:30-13:45 Lunch and networking

13:45-16:00 2nd plenary session chaired by Professor Brian Vad Mathiesen

ROOM: SQUARE 1

13:45-14:15 **Keynote: Liliana Proskuryakova, Deputy Head and leading researcher at HSE, Russia:** The future of renewable energy and renewable energy systems in Russia

14:15-14:30 Questions and debate

14:30-15:00 **Keynote: Rufus Gifford, former U.S. ambassador to Denmark and nominee for Chief of Protocol at the U.S. State Department:** The new climate policies under the Biden Administration and the global challenges for the Paris Agreement

15:00-15:40 Questions and debate

15:40-15:50 Best Presentation Award Ceremony by Professor Poul Alberg Østergaard

15:50-16:00 Closing by Professor Henrik Lund and CEO Glenda Napier

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THURSDAY 23 SEPTEMBER 2021



Technical Tour: Waste-to-energy Plant: ARC - and the CCS project

Thursday 23 September 2021

09:00 – 14:00 (9 am – 2 pm)

ARC (Amager Ressourcecenter) is a waste treatment company owned by five municipalities in Copenhagen. ARC runs the waste-to-energy plant Amager Bakke, 16 recycling centres, etc., and handles waste from 645,000 citizens and 68,000 companies. In 2020, ARC incinerated almost 600,000 tons of non-recyclable, residual waste and turned it into 244 GWh of electricity and 1,363 GWh of district heating. The vision of ARC is to make waste treatment and incineration net zero/carbon neutral. One step is by implementing an extra cleaning filter that captures CO₂ from the flue gas. In collaboration with the Technical University of Denmark, ARC set up a demonstration project in 2021. This is the first CCS project connected to a waste-to-energy plant in Denmark. The technology behind carbon capture is extremely energy intensive. By integrating CO₂ capture into the district heating system, ARC's demonstration project aims to show that CO₂ capture can be achieved with neutral energy consumption. The tour includes transport from city centre to ARC waste treatment plant + transport from ARC to airport; presentation on Waste treatment in ARC, Waste-to-Energy and Carbon Capture project, guided tour incl. visit at CCS test facilities, lunch as well as an optional visit to the recreational rooftop. Departure by bus from Copenhagen city (bus boarding site to be announced). The tour ends at Copenhagen airport at 14:00.

More information and registration at the [conference website](#).

