

The 2nd IAEE Asian Conference

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5-7 November 2008
Perth Convention Exhibition Centre
Perth, Western Australia

Energy Security and Economic Development under Environmental Constraints in the Asia/Pacific Region

Call For Papers

We are pleased to announce the Call for Papers for the 2nd IAEE Asian Conference entitled *Energy Security and Economic Development under Environmental Constraints in the Asia/Pacific Region*. The conference, hosted by the Australian Association for Energy Economics (AAEE), Curtin University, and the IAEE, is scheduled for 5-7 November 2008 at the Perth Convention Exhibition Centre (PCEC), Perth, Western Australia. There will be four plenary sessions and at least 12 concurrent sessions. Concurrent sessions will be organised from accepted abstracts.

Papers are invited on a wide variety of topics, and not limited to those listed in this flyer. Authors who are interested in organising special sessions are also encouraged to propose their topics, objectives, and confirmed speakers to the Conference Chair by **2 June 2008**. Abstract submissions on any other topics of likely interest to IAEE members are welcome.

Papers with focus on Asian energy issues are particularly welcome.

Please submit abstracts of up to two pages in length, comprising:

1. Overview 2. Methods 3. Results 4. Conclusions.

Format

- Prepare abstracts in standard Microsoft Word format or Adobe Acrobat PDF format.
- Attach a short CV.
- The lead author submitting the abstract must provide complete contact details: affiliation, mailing address, phone, fax, and email. At least one author of an accepted paper must pay the registration fee and attend the conference.

Conference Themes and Topics

The conference will cover the main issues which are likely to be globally topical in 2009. A highlight of possible topics includes:

Oil price volatility
Non-conventional oil reserves
The changing nature of the LNG trade
Energy and poverty in the Asia/Pacific region
Regional growth and energy demand under carbon constraints
Nuclear power
Economics of climate change
Carbon capture and sequestration
Regional oil markets: security of supply
Economic viability of renewable energy technologies
Experience in creating markets for emissions trading
Energy nationalism
Green energy taxes
Life cycle emissions from energy technologies
The structure of competitive electricity markets
Geopolitics of energy
The transition to clean coal
Energy efficiency for a sustainable world

Submissions

Abstracts, CVs and contact details should be submitted through the conference web site: www.cbs.curtin.edu.au/aaee2008

While multiple submissions by individuals or groups of authors are welcome, the abstract selection process will seek to ensure as broad participation as possible: each speaker is to deliver only one presentation in the conference. If multiple submissions are accepted, then for each submission a different co-author will be required to pay the registration fee and present the paper.

Abstract Submission Deadline: 14 July 2008

Authors will be notified by **28 July 2008**, of their paper status. Authors whose abstracts are accepted will have to register and submit their full-length papers before **1 September 2008**. Accepted abstracts will appear in the proceedings, which will be distributed at the conference. Other related documents are available on the conference website: www.cbs.curtin.edu.au/aaee2008

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About Perth...

Perth is a fast growing city with a young cosmopolitan outlook. Home to internationally renowned beaches, a budding café scene and modern bars and restaurants, the city has something for everyone.

During your stay you may wish to enjoy a cappuccino on one of our most famous "café strips" in Fremantle, which also boasts an array of unique shops, arts and craft, and street performances. If you have a preference for wine, then you can travel to Margaret River, home to some of our most prized vineyards, old growth forests and coastal beauty.

Only a short ferry trip away is Rottnest Island, well known for its historical and heritage significance, white sandy beaches, surfing, snorkelling and scuba diving.

Perth has more hours of sunshine than any other Australian capital city, therefore you will have plenty of time to see more of what this vibrant city has to offer.

Conference Venue

Opened in 2004, the Perth Convention Exhibition Centre (www.pcec.com.au) is a state-of-the-art venue centrally located in the heart of the city, which capitalises on its unique riverside location.

Accommodation

The official conference hotel is the Medina Grand Perth, an apartment hotel which is adjacent to the conference venue. However, there is a widely-priced range of hotels situated within a short distance of the PCEC.

How to get to Perth

Qantas, Australia's international carrier, operates a comprehensive network of international flights in association with its One World alliance partners. From the USA, flights are routed through Australia's east coast gateway cities, giving participants the opportunity to visit Sydney, Melbourne, or Brisbane. From Europe, one stop flights to Perth involve a change of plane in an Asian hub. Emirates offer direct flights from the Middle East, whilst a host of national carriers offer direct flights from Asian capital cities.



I look forward to seeing you in Perth

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