

# CIGRE C0 event

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# Tour de table

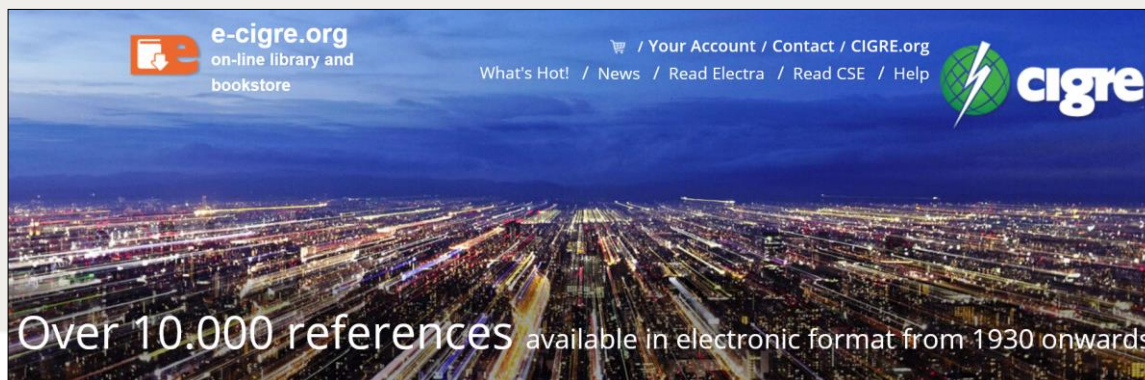
We have participants in this meeting from:

- Energy market parties
- Technical universities
- Industrial manufacturers
- Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Policy
- Agency for the cooperation of Energy Regulators
- Consultancies
- DSOs
- TSO



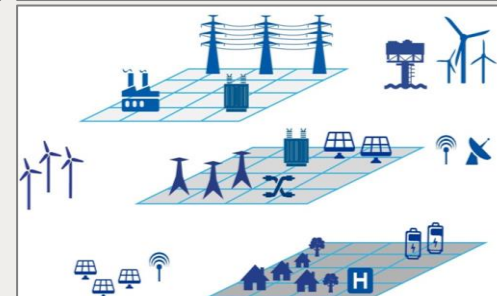
# CIGRE

- 3500 experts world wide, 250 in the Netherlands
- Structured across knowledge domains
  - 16 Study Committees
  - 250 Working Groups
- Objectives:
  - Design of electrical infrastructure of the future
  - Optimization (use) of existing electrical infrastructure
  - respecting environmental and surroundings
  - facilitating knowledge sharing
- Highlight CIGRE Conference each 2 year in Paris with a network of 3200 senior executives and experts
- Symposia, theme days & colloquia addressing specific topics
- 10000 publications (Technical Brochures, Papers, Green Books)



# Domain knowledge in (National) Study Committees

- A1 Rotating Electrical Machines
- A2 Transformers
- A3 High Voltage Equipment
- B1 Insulated Cables
- B2 Overhead lines
- B3 Substations
- B4 HVDC and Power Electronic
- B5 Protection and Automation
- C1 System Development and Economics**
- C2 System Operation and Control**
- C3 System Environmental Performance
- C4 System Technical Performance
- C5 Electricity Markets and Regulation**
- C6 Distribution Systems and Dispersed Generation**
- D1 Materials and Emerging Test Techniques
- D2 Information Systems and Telecommunications



$$\text{"C0"} = \text{C1} + \text{C2} + \text{C5} + \text{C6}$$

# Power electricity systems: what is the challenge?



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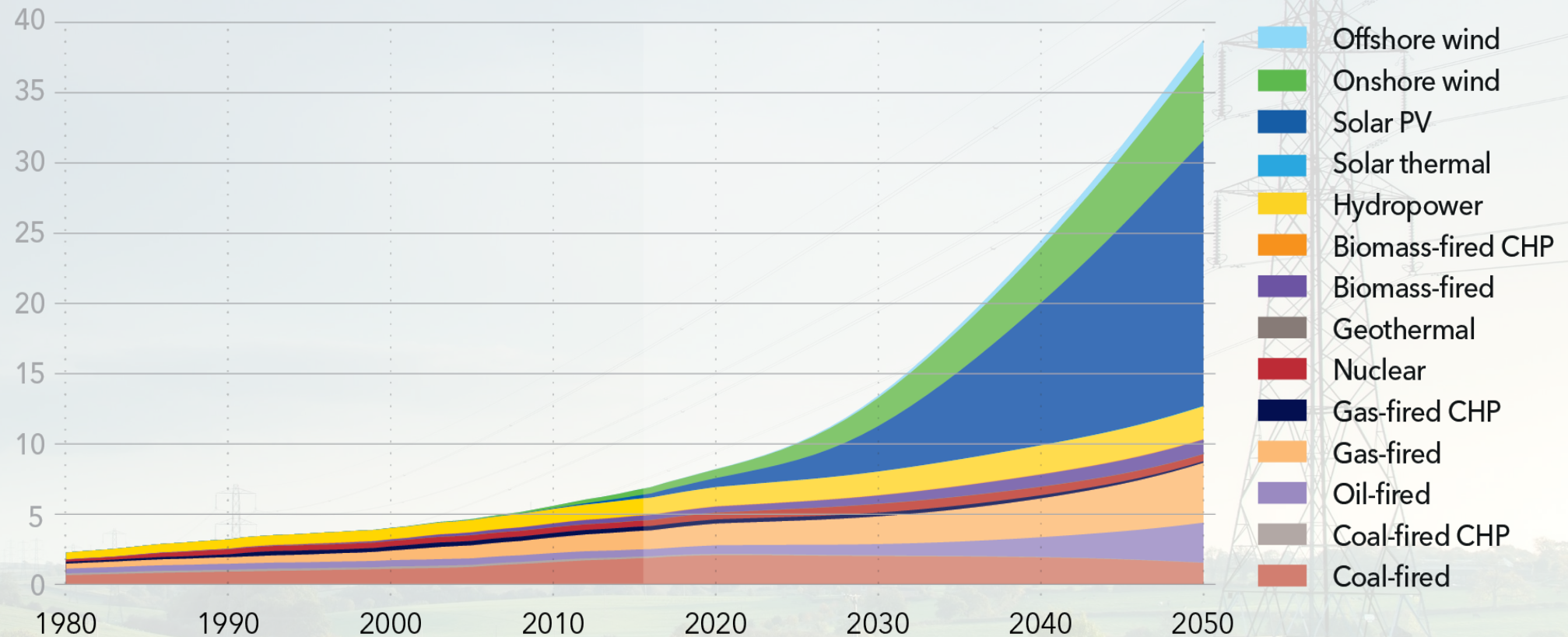
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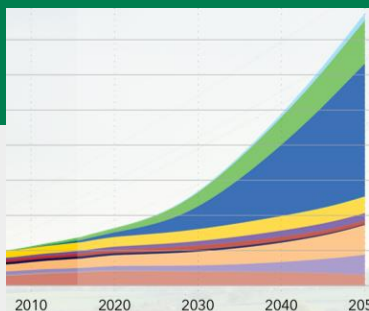
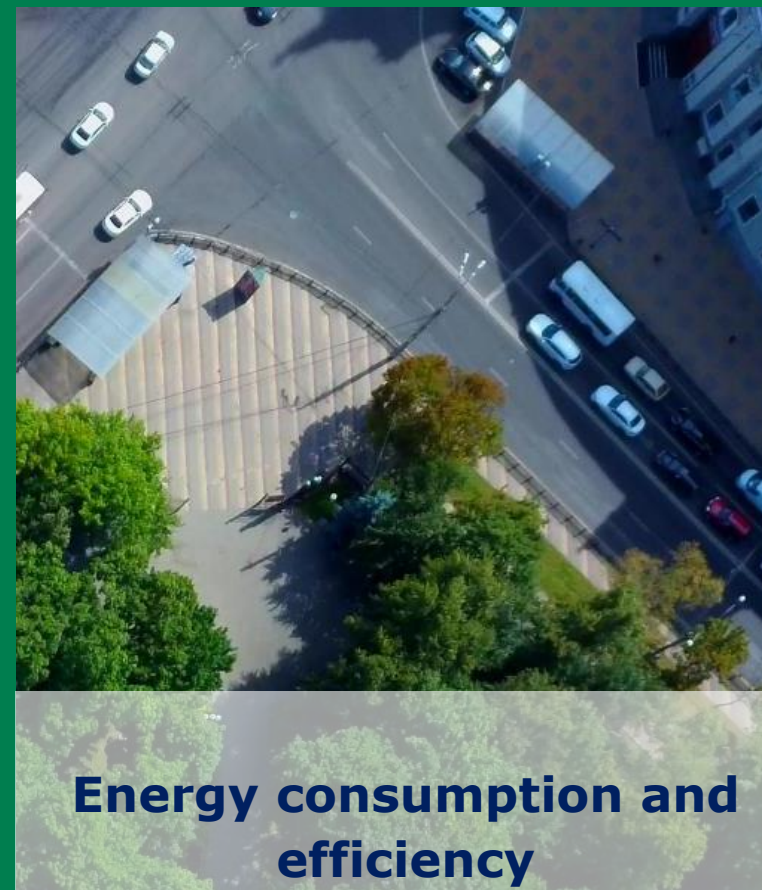
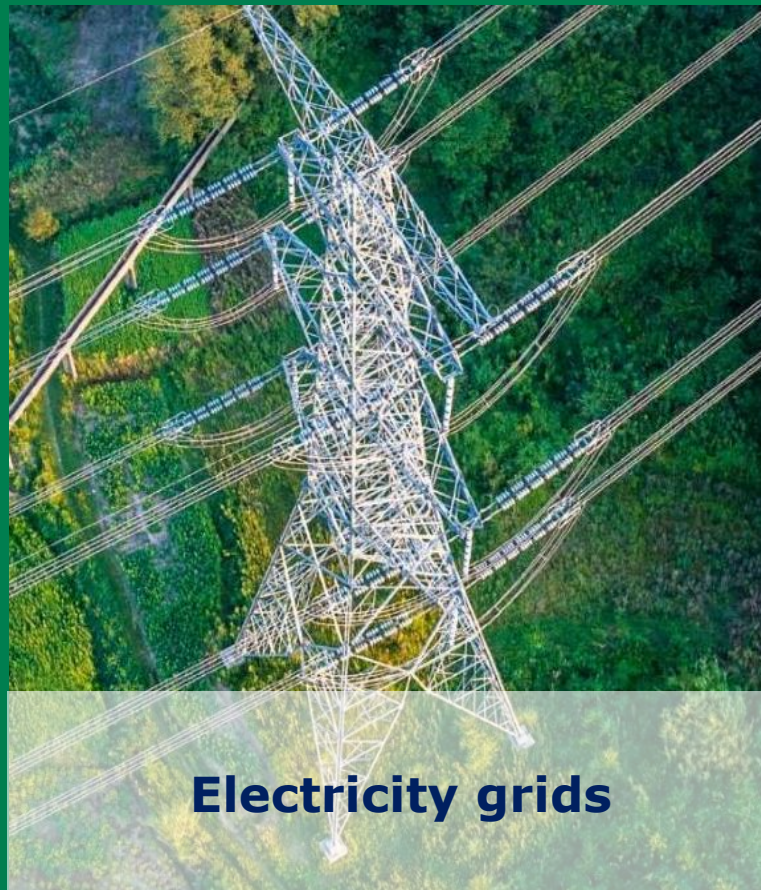
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# Energy transition on three areas







## Power system of the Future

- System of Systems
- Sector Coupling (P2G)
- Flexibility, curtailment, congestion mgt
- Digitization
- Offshore Grids
- Data driven Asset Management
- Dynamic Rating
- Gamification



## Grid Accelerator

For power system expertise

- Standardization, modularization, mobilization
- Staffing
- Education, upcoming talent talent
- Public acceptance
- Soft skills, connect, IMPACT
- Consents & Policies
- BIM/CIM

- Digital Twin NL Transmissie net

- Power Electronics
- Markers & sensors
- Adequacy & flexibility

- Best practices
- Ownership of Quality
- Certification / Verification



## Blackout prevention

- Root Causes of Power Failures
- Cyber security and data privacy
- Low Inertia
- Grid Resilience

# Update deliverables“C0” in 2020

## C1:

- TB 820 - Optimal power system planning under growing uncertainty
- TB 791 - Valuation as a comprehensive approach to asset management in view of emerging developments

## C2:

- TB 821 - Capabilities and requirements definition for Power Electronics based technology for secure and efficient system operation and control

## C5:

- TB 803 - Exploring the market value of Smart Grids and interactions with wholesale (TSO) and distribution (DSO) markets
- TB 808 - Short-term flexibility in power systems: drivers and solutions
- TB 824 - The role of blockchain technologies in power markets

## C6:

- TB 793 - Medium voltage direct current (MVDC) grid feasibility study



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# CIGRE Paris Centennial session 20-25 August 2021

- Special reports 2020 session:

It was not intended to have special reports being created, so they are not available. Due to covid-19 the 2020 session was built upon prepared video paper presentations followed up by questions raised by the special reporters and answered by the presenters.

On 24 September 2020 a Key Take Away's event about the 2020 session was held.

See: <https://www.cigre.nl/cigre-key-take-away-event-24-september/>

- Prepared contributions NL

The CIGRE Technical Council is busy figuring out the setup for this CIGRE Centennial session. It could possibly going to be a hybrid physical/online session. Preferential subjects are the same as 2020 and papers of 2020 could be updated by the authors. A Large Disturbance Workshop will be organized.

- Contributions NGN CIGRE

# Preferential subjects 2020 - SC C1



## PS1 – Power System Resilience Planning

✓ Evaluating, improving and measuring power system resilience, ✓ given increasing threats from human & natural hazards, incl. climate change, ✓ specifically in system planning, economic assessment and asset management.

## PS2 – Energy Sector Synergies for Decarbonising Efficiently

✓ Planning approaches for energy sector synergies across power, gas, transport, heating/cooling & new energy carriers, ✓ in order to optimise overall decarbonisation efficiency. ✓ How do they include aspects of energy conversion and storage, technical and economic sector interfaces?

## PS3 – Distributed Energy Resources in Transmission Planning

✓ Tools & techniques in system planning & investment decisions to evaluate renewables and storage at all voltage levels, ✓ as well as growing customer flexibility, ✓ especially in holistic approaches that combine technical assessment and reliability impacts on customers.



# Preferential subjects 2020 - SC C2



## PS1 - Capabilities Required for Future System Operation

- Operator Training • Decision support tools including new methodologies • Wide area monitoring and control

## PS2 - System Operation Interfaces: Improving Observability and Controllability

- TSO-TSO interface/cooperation/data exchange • TSO-DSO interaction/cooperation/data exchange

## PS3 - System Operation Challenges with Increasing Use of Distributed Energy Resources

- Enhancing flexibility and resilience • Providing grid services through aggregators • Aggregator interaction

# Preferential subjects 2020 - SC C5



## PS1 - The changing Nature of Markets and Ancillary Requirements

> Market adaptations to handle the value shift between energy and services > Markets and services to address inertia and resilience > Role of markets with respect to aggregation and the provision of network services > Pricing approaches for emerging technologies and impacts of those approaches.

## PS2 - Changing role of Regulators and Standards

> Role of regulators in the changing markets > Evolving policy, standards, and guidelines to address issues affecting markets > Regulatory policies on transmission and distribution – too little or too much.

## PS3 - Market Designs for Co-ordination of Generation and Network Investments

> Markets and regulations to promote coordinated investments > Customer-driven market changes – the transition from centralised to distributed planning > Impacts of the changing nature of customers on investments and markets. > The impact of peer-to-peer trading on the provision of market services.

# Preferential subjects 2020 - SC C6



## PS1 - Advanced Distribution System Design incorporating DER

- Configuring demand response and intelligent loads for customer empowerment.
- Exploiting local energy storage possibilities and managing uncertainties.
- Enabling multi-energy systems using intelligent inverters and controls.

## PS2 - Enabling Technologies and Solutions for Distribution Systems

- Management and aggregation platforms for Distributed Energy Resources.
- Individual microgrid, multiple microgrid, and virtual power plant design and control.
- Rural electrification and off-grid distribution systems.



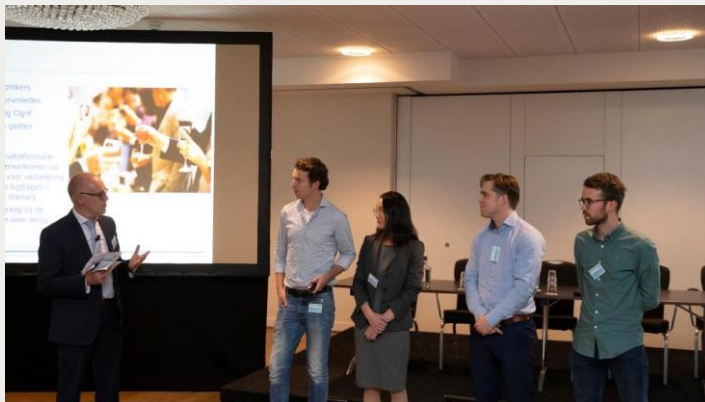
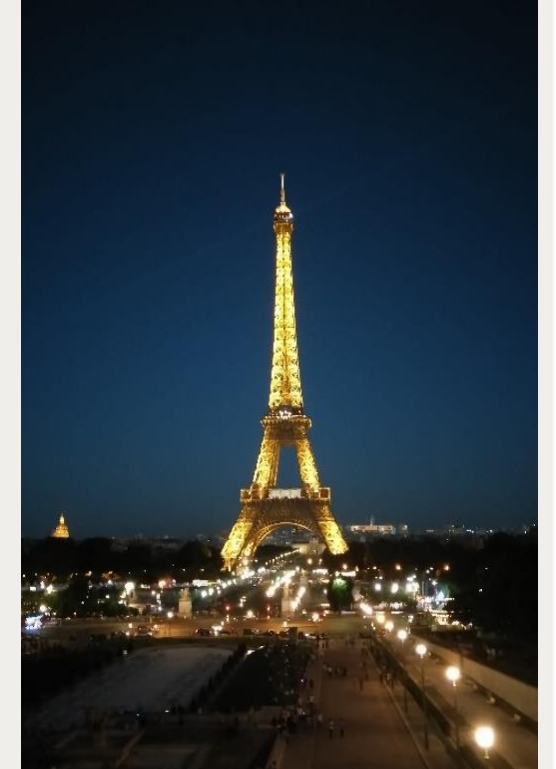
# Next Generation Network (NGN) NL

also referred to as Young CIGRE, the Netherlands (YC-NL)

- **Established in the year 2014**
- **Mission:** NGN seeks to facilitate a successful transition into the power systems industry for early career professionals and students by providing technical resources and networking opportunities
- **9 board members**
- **162 active subscribers** – students and young professionals
- **NGN member advantages:**
  - Access to technical brochures and publications via the online library [www.e-CIGRE.org](http://www.e-CIGRE.org)
  - Matchmaking
  - Networking
  - Personal Development
  - Access to various events organized by NGN NL

# NGN NL – Events

- YC team networking day (Dive into the wind)
- Yearly presentations at universities (TU/e – TU Delft)
- Symposiums (e.g. Kabeldag)
- YC matchmaking event (Annual event)
- Offshore Energy Hubs Webinar
- Participation in CIGRE Paris session – student support
- **NGN Showcase 2021**



# NGN Showcase Events

- An event that takes place during CIGRE Paris Sessions
- Students/young professionals present their research in a 10-min time slot to an international CIGRE audience
- The presenters receive free access and support for the whole CIGRE Paris conference
- CIGRE NGN NL representatives (1 or 2 board members) accompany them for various CIGRE NGN events, discussions and forums
- In 2020, we had 2 candidates from the Netherlands representing CIGRE (NGN) NL in the event
- For 2021, CIGRE Netherlands and CIGRE NGN Netherlands have nominated **3 candidates**



# NGN Showcase 2020 – NL Representatives

- B4: **Adeep Santosh** (TU Delft/Lovink Enertech)

*Topic: Determination of the pre-qualification rules for the acceptance testing of MV DC cable systems*

- D2: **Siva Kaviya** (TU Delft/PowerWeb Institute)

*Topic: Design of Illuminator – Energy System Integration Development tool kit*

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- During the CIGRE e-Session of 2020, Siva and Adeep have presented their interesting work in the NGN 2020 Showcase event
  - Unfortunately, the Covid-19 situation did not allow for a physical Paris session, but hopefully that is different this year

# NGN Showcase 2021 – NL Candidates

- C2: **Leonel Noris Martinez** (DNV-GL)

*Topic: Black-Start Network Restoration using Wind Power*

- C4: **Roozbeh Torkzadeh** (TU Eindhoven)

*Topic: Model Validation for Propagation of Severe Voltage Dips in Future Networks*

- C6: **Sangitha Harmsen** (TU Delft/Stedin)

*Topic: Optimal medium-voltage distribution system expansion planning in an integrated energy system*

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- The candidates will also be accompanied by two CIGRE NGN NL board members:
    - Aleksandar Boričić (TU Delft)
    - Sanjay Ganeshan (Lievense/WSP)
  - We are now waiting for the final decision from the organizers (end of March 2021)
  - If accepted, the candidates will represent CIGRE (NGN) NL in Paris with their excellent work/research

# Join CIGRE NGN NL- Free membership!!

- Information about activities and news in CIGRE to your mailbox
- Various events during the year
- Access to e-CIGRE publications, opportunity for discount on conferences
- Participation in CIGRE Paris sessions – student support
- Support with introduction to Study Committees

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# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C1



## PS1 : System transition resilience & asset management response

- Resilience metrics and measures to safeguard stakeholder value through grid forming, power electronics control, smart load shedding, fast restoration.
- Response to unexpected emerging system and business risks during the energy transition.
- New standards (equipment design and system planning) for resilient and life-cycle sustainable system.

## PS2 : Energy sector integration and tackling the complexity of multi-faceted network projects

- Energy sector integration, hydrogen & power-to-gas, deep electrification: technical and economic aspects.
- A Multi-purpose, multi-terminal, multi-actor, multi-jurisdiction grid projects: how to tackle their planning complexity.
- Including in the planning process the flexibility options from non-network-assets and non-electric solutions (storage, virtual power plants, DR, energy communities, behind-the-meter resources).

# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C1



## PS3 : Planning under uncertainty and with changing external constraints

- Modelling the impact of environmental conditions, technical advancements, greater stakeholder involvement, generation fleet shift, new type of contingencies, use of data driven network methods for long-term load forecasting, including impact of COVID pandemic on load profiles, planning scenarios, investments patterns and assets' maintenance schemes.
- Decision-making under pervasive energy policies: optimising economic vs environmental benefits for consumers and matching centralized energy targets with private driven investments.
- Leveraging the evolving system services, market products and load profiles to optimize investment and timing, avoiding stranded assets (also from fossil plants dismissal).

# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C2



## PS1 : System control room preparedness: today and in the future

- Operator Training, Situational Awareness and Decision Supporting Tools.
- Effective and Efficient use of Synchrophasor Data in Power Systems Operation.
- Advanced and Intelligent Methods applied to power systems operation.

## PS2 : Operational planning strategies, methodologies and supporting tools

- High share of grid-connected and distributed power electronic interfaced resources including hybrid AC-DC systems.
- Advanced and intelligent methods applied to power systems operational planning and day-ahead programming.
- Impact of low demand and other predictable extreme operating conditions.



# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C5



## PS1 : The evolution of market design and regulation to integrate distributed energy resources

- Market design developments to facilitate the integration of new participants and renewable resources.
- The role of retail electricity markets in the promotion of behind the meter technologies.
- Innovative contracts/services between market participants and with customers/distributed energy resource owners.

## PS2 : Changes to markets and regulation to enhance reliability and resilience

- The lessons for markets and regulation from major system disturbances and social disruptions.
- Market designs for reliability and resilience in systems with high penetration of asynchronous and low inertia connected facilities.
- Markets to coordinate resources that are not responsive to demand or price.

# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C5



## PS3 : Working with innovation and disruption — preparing for the future

- Innovative approaches to markets and regulation to achieve energy policy targets and to include edge-of-grid activities.
- The design and structure of retail and wholesale electricity markets to support capital-intensive investments.
- Sector regulation and tariff design in the face of technological disruption, e.g. vehicle to grid, hydrogen and new forms of storage.

# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C6



## PS1 : DER solutions and experiences for energy transition and decarbonisation

- Electric mobility charging systems configuration and operation.
- Demand response and intelligent load configuration for customer empowerment.
- Electrification of transportation, heat systems and industrial processes.

## PS2 : Innovative planning and operation of active distribution systems

- Aggregation and management platforms for active distribution systems with DER.
- Strategies and tools for DER integration, hosting capacity, congestion management and system service provision by DER.
- Greening rural and green-field electrification, off-grid distribution and zero emission industrial systems.



# Preferential subjects 2022 - SC C6



## PS3 : Aggregated DER for enhancing resilience, reliability and energy security of distribution systems

- Configuration of local energy storage systems for managing uncertainties.
- Coordination of multi-energy systems supported by state-of-the-art technologies including intelligent inverter controls.
- Individual AC and DC micro-grids, multiple micro-grids, virtual power plant and local energy communities' control and network integration.

# Call for possible NL papers & deadlines

- Delivery of synopses to the Dutch CIGRE National Committee (NNC)  
**Friday 9 April 2021 until 15:00 pm.** Mail: [secretariaat@cigre.nl](mailto:secretariaat@cigre.nl)
- Feedback from NNC to the authors of the synopsis:  
**Tuesday 20 April**
- Delivery of final synopses: Thursday **29 April 2021 until 17:00 pm.**  
Mail: [secretariaat@cigre.nl](mailto:secretariaat@cigre.nl)
- Secretariat Cigre Nederland will upload the synopses to the Central Office Cigre: **Friday 30 April 2021**
- Notification of acceptance: **Friday 2 July 2021**

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## Existing WGs – SC1

- C1.23 Transmission Investment Decision Points and Trees
- C1/C3.31 Including stakeholders in the investment planning process
- C1.33 Interface & Allocation Issues in multi-party and/or cross-jurisdiction power infrastructure projects
- C1/C4.36 Review of Large City & Metropolitan Area power system development trends taking into account new generation, grid and information technologies
- C1/C6/Cired.37 Optimal transmission and distribution investment decisions under increasing energy scenario uncertainty
- C1.40 Planning Coordination between System Operators, Transmitters and Distributors: Frameworks, Methods, and Allocation of Costs and Benefits

## Possibilities for new WG members - SC1

- WG C1.45: Harmonised metrics and consistent methodology for benefits assessment in Cost-Benefit Analysis (CBA) of electric interconnection projects
- JWG C1/C4.46: Optimising power system resilience in future grid design
- WG C1.47: Energy Sectors Integration and impact on power grids
- WG C1.48: Role of green hydrogen in energy transition: opportunities and challenges from technical and economic perspectives

## Existing WGs – SC2

- WG 2.18: Wide Area Monitoring Protection and Control Systems – Decision Support for System Operators
- WG 2.24: Mitigating the risk of fire starts and the consequences of fires near overhead lines for System Operations
- WG 2.25: Operating Strategies and Preparedness for System Operational Resilience
- WG 2.26: Power system restoration accounting for a rapidly changing power system and generation mix
- WG 2.39: Operator Training in Electricity Grids at Different Control Levels and for Different Participants/Actors in the New Environment
- WG 2.40: TSO-DSO Cooperation – Control Centre Tools Requirements
- JWG C2/C4.41: Impact of high penetration of inverter-based generation on system inertia of networks

## Possibilities for new WG members – SC2

- JWG C2/C5.06: The Impact of Market Interventions by System Operators during Emergency Situations
- JWG C4/C2.62/IEEE: Review of phasor measurement unit applications



## Existing WGs – SC5

- WG C5-26: Auction Markets and Other Procurement Mechanisms for Demand Response Services
- WG C5-28: Energy price formation in the wholesale market
- JWG C5/C6-29: New Electricity Markets, local energy communities
- WG C5-30: The Role of Blockchain Technologies in Power Markets
- WG C5-31: Wholesale and Retail electricity cost impacts of flexible demand response
- WG C5-32: Carbon pricing in wholesale electricity markets

## Possibilities for new WG members – SC5

- JWG C2/C5.06: The Impact of Market Interventions by System Operators during Emergency Situations
- WG C5.33: Trading Electricity with Blockchain systems

## Existing WGs – SC6

- WG C6.35: DER aggregation platforms for the provision of flexibility services
- WG C.6.36: Distributed Energy Resource Models for Impact Assessment
- JWG C5/C6.29: New Electricity Markets, local energy communities
- JWG C6/B4.37: Medium Voltage DC distribution systems
- WG C 6.38: Rural electrification
- WG C 6.39: Customer Empowerment
- WG 6.40: Electric Vehicles as Distributed Energy Resource (DER) systems

## Possibilities for new WG members – SC6

- C6.41: Technologies for Electrical Railway Distribution Supply Systems
- C6.42: Electric Transportation Energy Supply Systems
- C6.43: Aggregation of battery energy storage and solar PV systems



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## Possible topics for next “C0” events

- Position/vision papers (European Commission, Ministry of Economic Affairs and Climate Policy, NGOs, consultants, etc.)
- System integration: from concept towards implementation (technical, regulatory, economical and environmental dimension)
- H2 application: onshore vs offshore, centralised vs. decentralised
- Necessity of CO<sub>2</sub> capture technology

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# Thank You!



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