

The Future of the Grid: A Journey Through the American Smart Grid

Tuesday, April 9th, 2024

Time	Program
9:00 – 9:05 AM	Welcome Remarks
9:05 – 9:20 AM	A Crash Course on the US Grid <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ali Ipakchi, <i>Technical & Strategic Directions & Chief Visionary Officer</i> @Open Access Technology International (OATI)
9:20 – 10:10 AM	Panel Discussion: What's Next for American Innovation? <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moderator: Brad Thomas, <i>Economic Development Manager</i> @ Kentucky's Touchstone Energy Cooperatives• Mahmoud Kabalan, <i>Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering and the Founding Director of the Center for Microgrid Research</i> @University of St. Thomas• Rozhin Eskandarpour, <i>Founder & CEO</i> @Resilient Entanglement• Alexandra Steiger, <i>Senior Smart Grid Consultant</i> @SurePower Consulting• Will Toor, <i>Executive Director</i> @Colorado Energy Office• Ali Ipakchi, <i>Technical & Strategic Directions & Chief Visionary Officer</i> @Open Access Technology International (OATI)
10:10 – 10:25 AM	Q&A with Panelists
10:25 – 10:30 AM	Upcoming Trip <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expert Trip to the US (June 10-14)
10:30 AM	Conclusion of Event

All times are in Central Time.