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Energy Markets: The Next Frontier

Day: September 11th 2017

Time: 15:00 – 16.30

Room: MAYA

Description:

The event will be entitled “**Energy Markets: the Next frontier**” and will explore how the convergence of emerging trends and technological disruptions will change the structure of energy markets in the future.

The session will analyze the trends, game changers (clean energy, ICT, storage, digital and transport technologies), and delve into the planning, legal and regulatory instruments needed to facilitate and adapt to the expected disruption of energy markets.

It will also explore the activities that can develop on the demand side, and identify the kind of services that can emerge, enable by the combination and availability of approaching innovations. It will also look at progress of smart energy cities and discuss how the trends and disruptions can play out in the urban platform.

In other words, the session will brainstorm on new market architectures and possible futures for different world regions and countries.

Ultimately, the event will aim at establishing the emerging consensus on this front.

Objective:

The session will discuss possible future paths and bring together new thinking on market architectures and regulation, with the aim of showing the inevitably central role of renewable energy.

It will bring new ideas on how to transform markets and create smart energy cities that rely on modern planning and strategies, and where consumers have a more active role.

Speakers:

- Antonio Barbalho (Manager, Energy Unit Latin America and Caribbean, World Bank)
- Gabriela Elizondo Azuela (Senior Energy Specialist, World Bank)
- Marcelino Madrigal (Commissioner, Energy Regulatory Commission, Mexico)
- Steve Berberich, CEO (California Independent System Operator, USA)
- Ignacio Perez-Arriaga, Visiting Professor, MIT Energy Initiative
- Joisa Dutra (Fundacao Getulio Vargas, Brazil)

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