





Date	Main Conference Hall Amaltas Hall - Conference Room (B1)	Seminar Hall EXPO Hall 1B	Roundtable Room EXPO Hall 1B	
1 st July	India EV Day Conference (10:00 – 18:00 IST)	Future Energy Learning Centre (FELC) in association with ISA (11:00 – 13:00 IST)		
		association with ISA (11:00		
	7th IESA Industry Excellence A	wards & Gala Dinner (19:00 H	RS IST onwards)	
2 nd July		-	Circularity in India (co- organized with <i>WRI</i>)	
		EV Battery Supply Chain	(14:00 - 15:00 IST)	
	India Battery Manufacturing Day Conference (10:00 – 18:00 IST)	Foundation		
	Conference (10.00 – 18.00 131)	Industry Workshop for EV Battery Supply Chain in association with Shakti Foundation (14:00 – 16:00 IST)Founders Roundtable (14:00 - 15:00 IST)Tech Ignition Session (15:00 - 15:45 IST)Tech Ignition Session (15:00 - 15:45 IST)Investors Talk (15:45 - 16:30 IST)Investors Talk (15:45 - 16:30 IST)Future Energy Learning Centre (FELC) in association with ISA (16:00 – 17:30 IST)Women in Energy Roundtable (16:30 - 18:00 IST)		
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	Women in Energy Felicitation, Leadership Talk and Networking Dinner, Supported by IGEF (18:30 IST onwards), Amaltas Hall, IICC)	Founders Netwo		
		Prototyping Centres for Battery Innovation		
3 rd July	India Stationary Storage Day Conference (10:00 – 18:00 IST)	LDES Roundtable, Supported by LDES C		
			Participants	
4 th July	India Green Hydrogen Day Conference (10:00 – 18:00 IST)	Roundtable on Green Hy National Dialogue on C Addressing Gree	atalysing Change for owth Hurdles	
-	Knowledge Session on Green Hydrogen Certification for Export to EU (12:15 - 13:15 IST) <i>by IGEF-SO</i>	(co-organized with <i>WRI</i>) (11:00 - 13:00 IST), Kenar Hall (403), IICC		
5 th July	Tech Tours (On registration and approval)	Track 1: BSES RajdTrack 2: BSES Yamu		





India EV Day (1st July 2024) Conference Program

Time (HRSIST)	Session	Торіс	Speakers	
09:00-	00–10.00 Registration			
10:00 – 11.05	Inauguration Session	 India's Roadmap for Vehicle Electrification Key Central and State government policies Current Status of EV manufacturing and future potential Ways to increase EV adoption. Export opportunities and key bottlenecks to address. 	 Shri Sunil Barthwal, Secretary, Ministry of Commerce, and Industry HE Mr Philip Green OAM, Australia's High Commissioner to India HE May-Elin- Steiner, Ambassador of Norway to India Dr. Hanif Qureshi, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Heavy Industries Sudhendu J Sinha, Adviser (Infrastructure Connectivity & E-Mobility), NITI Aayog Vishal Kapoor, CEO, Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL) Vikram Gulati, Country Head & Executive V.P. (Corporate Affairs & Governance) Toyota Kirloskar Motor Rubin Pather, Chief Operating Officer, Reliance Jio-BP Swadesh Srivastava, Head, Emerging Mobility Business Unit, Hero MotoCorp Stephen Fernands, President, Customized Energy Solutions Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, IESA 	
11:05		Key Announcemer	nt MOU- Product Launches	
-11.15 11:15- 11.45		Networking Tea and E	xpo Visit	
11:45 – 13.00	Panel discussion	 Growth Story of India's Electric Vehicles Journey of the Indian Electric 2W, 3W industry Electric Cars – yet to see mass adoptions In India Hybrids – the immediate way for decarbonization Key challenges and opportunities Investment in EV Start-ups Entrant of Global EV makers in the Indian market 	 Moderator: Debi Prasad Dash, Executive Director, IESA Vikram Gulati, Country Head & Executive V.P. (Corporate Affairs & Governance) Toyota Kirloskar Motor Suman Mishra, Managing Director & CEO, Mahindra Last Mile Mobility Haresh Bhere, Chief Technology Officer, Jio-BP Mobility Ltd Christine Vincent, Venture Principal, Shell Ventures Vijay Kedia, Long-Term Investor, Kedia Securities* Sri Purisai, Founder & Managing Director, Chakra Growth Capital Shekhar Mishra, Senior General Manager- ENDU Mate Mate Comp 	
13:00 –		Networking Lunc	EMBU, Hero MotoCorp h and Expo Visit	
14:00 14:00 – 15:00	Panel discussion	 EV Infrastructure – the need of the hour Charging Infra – Key enabler for electric 4W and 	 Moderator: Gurusharan Dhillon, Director, Electric Mobility, IESA & CES Awadhesh Jha, Executive Director, GLIDA Vikas Almadi, Chairman and Managing 	





		 buses in India Key challenges in the Growth of EV charging in India Govt policies to support charging infra-adoptions. Key learning from current installations 	 Director, VNT Inge André Espedal, Chief Executive Officer, Sagavolt Jagjit Singh, Director of BD, APAC and Global Markets, EVOS Energy Pty Anshuman Divyanshu, Chief Executive Officer - EVSE Division, Exicom Varun Shahani, General Manager-Head Energy Infrastructure, Hero MotoCorp 		
15:00 <i>—</i> 15:15	Tech Session	Lift Off – Soaring beyond Intercalation – The future is here	John Wood, Chief Executive Officer, Gelion		
15:15 – 16:00	Tech Session	 EV Powertrain & EV Components Manufacturing Opportunity for a Decade. Indigenous Powertrain development & manufacturing Capturing the opportunities Advanced Materials for EV Powertrain Battery Packs developments and key learnings Battery Management System (BMS) 	 Moderator: Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, India Energy Storage Alliance Sharan Aiyappa, OEM Director - Sales & Marketing, MacDermid Sebastian Weyermann, Sr. Business Development Manager-CMD, Thermofisher Scientific Vikas Aggarwal, Managing Director, Ipower Batteries Rajiv Kumar Singh, R&D Lead- Platform, Hero MotoCorp Vinay Solanki, Business Head, Nash Tech Labs. 		
16:00-	Networking Tea and Expo Visit				
16:25 16:25- 16:30	IEEE Address	Need for Climate Change and Sustainability	• Dr Saifur Rahman, Past President, IEEE		
16:30 16:45	Tech Session	Automotive Testing and Validation	S Ramanathan, Managing Director, Automotive Test Systems		
16:45 – 17:45	Plenary Session	 Panel Discussion: Way Forward to Accelerate Electric Mobility, Manufacturing, R&D and Safe Adoption in India via Innovation Export-Import opportunities Global Partnerships and tech transfer R&D and Innovation in Battery and Electric Mobility New Battery Technologies Driving Innovation for Next- Gen EV with the Power of Virtualization Vehicle to Grid 	 Moderator: Anjan Merkap, Engagement Manager, Customized Energy Solutions Venkat Rajaraman, CEO, Cygni Energy Sandeep Gambhir, CEO, Vertelo Mukesh Dadhich, Head-Business Development, Sustainability & Clean Technology, BSES Yamuna Utkarsh Mishra, Global Innovation Portfolio Lead, Hero MotoCorp Dr Barry Pearce, Strategic Key Accounts Manager- Clean Energy, Thermofisher Scientific Dr. Desikan Sundararajan, India MD, Equinor Anil Kumar, Manager Application Engineer, Ansys India 		
17:45 –		Summary of the Day	and Vote of Thanks		
18:00 19:00 Onwards	(Special add		ence Awards & Gala Dinner Nitician and Former Cabinet Minister, Gov of India)		





India Battery Day Conference (2nd July 2024)

Time	Session	Торіс	Speakers
(HRS IST) 09:00-1	10.00	Registra	tion
10:00 – 11.15	Inauguration Session	 India's roadmap for Advanced battery manufacturing Government policies to support the manufacturing of batteries (ACC-PLI, Niche PLI, Stationary storage PLI etc.) Key challenges and bottleneck Global Partnerships in Manufacturing Battery Supply chain, raw materials and recycling 	 V.L Kantha Rao, Secretary, Ministry of Mines Rajesh Agrawal, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Commerce Vijay Mittal, Joint Secretary, DHI, Ministry of Heavy Industries Dr R A Mashelkar, Former Director General, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) Vijayanand Samudrala, President, Amara Raja Batteries Ltd. Raj Surendran, CEO, Tianqi Lithium Australia Energy Limited Sadashiv Samantaray, CEO, KABIL Vikram Handa, MD, Epsilon Carbon Debi Prasad Dash, Executive Director, IESA Rajat Verma, Founder and CEO, LOHUM Rakesh Malhotra, Founder, Livguard Energy Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, IESA Mr. Hiren Pravin Shah, Executive Director & CEO, Replus Engitech
11:15 - 11:45		Networking Tea and	Expo Visit
11:45 11:45 12.45	Panel discussion	 Battery Cell Manufacturing, Upcoming Giga Factories and Other Advanced Battery Manufacturing Lithium Cell Manufacturing landscape in India and key challenges Upcoming Giga factories in India Other Advanced Battery tech (VRB, Sodium Ion and Solid-state batteries) manufacturing in India 	 Moderator: Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, IESA Niranjan C., Chief Operating Officer, Amara Raja Batteries Ltd. Anil Kumar, Chief Operating Officer, Nash Energy Vishal Chaturvedi, Business Head - Ola Cell, Ola Electric Avishek Kumar, Co-Founder and CEO at VFlowTech Sriram Ramanoudjame, Director, Strategic Marketing, Blue Solutions Anant Misra, Vice President - EV Business, Livguard Energy Arvind Kakru, VP – Industrial Automation, Schneider Electric Oda Marie Ellefsen, Technical Sales Manager, Morrow
12:45 – 13:00	Tech Session	Battery manufacturing quality assessment and failure analysis solutions	Victoria Pope, Global Sales Development Manager, Clean Energy, Thermo Fisher Scientific
13:00 – 1	4:00	Networking Lunch	and Expo Visit





14.00- 15.00	Panel discussion	 Battery Component Manufacturing & Manufacturing Process Why India Should focus on Graphite. Upcoming Anode and cathode manufacturing Electrolyte, Separator, Adhesive, Binders Global opportunities Manufacturing process Automation 	 Moderator: Debi Prasad Dash, Executive Director, IESA Akash Saraf, Manufacturing & Supply Chain Consultant, Customized Energy Solutions Sunit Kapur, Chief Executive Officer, Epsilon Advanced Materials Puneet Thakur, Head of Invest In and Innovation Collaboration, Business Finland Kirti Varma, Co-Founder & COO, ALTMIN Harin Kanani, MD, Neogen Chemical Kunal Daga, Founder & Director, Molsynth Srivats Gopalan, Lead, CAM & PGM, Lohum
15.00- 16.00	Panel Discussion (Supported by Western Australia)	Optimizing Battery Supply Chains: Raw Materials Availability and Global Partnership with Western Australia	 Session Chair: Dr. Veena Kumari Dermal, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines Session Co-Chair: Nashid Chowdhury, WA Trade & Investment Commissioner, Government of Western Australia Moderator: Rohit Laumas, Mining & Supply Chain Consultant, CES Raj Surendran, CEO, Tianqi Lithium Australia Energy Limited Debashish Nanda, Director, Business Development, Coal India Ltd Naresh Lalwani - Executive Vice President, JSW Energy Ltd Dr. K. Balasubramanian, Principal Investigator & Director, NFTDC, Hyderabad
16:00 – 16:30		Networking Tea and I	Expo Visit
16:30 - 16:45		Recent Innovations in Analytical Technologies for Battery Manufacturing and Quality Control	Dr Kyle D'Silva, Director, Clean Energy, Analytical Instruments Group, Thermofisher Scientific
16:45 – 17:45	Plenary Session	 Battery Recycling (Key government policies market dynamics, BWMR and EPR guidelines for Recycling, refurbishment and Second Life) Global Recycling Market Key challenges and opportunities Import-export scenario Battery waste collections, Black mass production Recycling technologies to get metal salts Battery Second life 	 Moderator: Bhupesh Verma, Manager, Market Research, CES & IESA Dr. Sandip Chatterjee, Sr. Director, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology (MEITY)* V P Yadav, Scientist E & DH, Central Pollution Control Board Pratyush Sinha, VP- Special Projects, Lohum Deepak Mohapatra, Senior Officer – Business and Market Development, Alliance for Rural Electrification (ARE) ALN Rao, Consultant-circularity & Sustainability in E-waste, Battery, Plastic and Critical Minerals Dr Debaraj Mishra, Managing Director, Sangeel India Recycling
17:45 –		Day Summary of the I	Day and Vote of Thanks





13:00 -14:00

India E	inergy Storage Alliance		
18:00			
	dia Stati	onary Energy Sto	orage Day (3 rd July 2024)
Time	Session	Торіс	Speakers
(HRs IST) 09:00-1	0.00	Ponistrat	ion
10:00 - 11:15	Inauguration Session	Registrat Energy Storage for 500 GW Renewable, Grid Modernization, and Decarbonization of the C&I Sector • Key central & state government policies • Industry adoptions • Role of energy storage in the electricity value chain • BESS systems for Indian Grid • Other form of Energy storage beyond batteries	 Bhupinder Singh Bhalla, Secretary, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy Ghanshyam Prasad, Chairperson, CEA, Ministry of Power Jishnu Barua, Chairperson, Central Electricity Regulatory Commission Gauri Singh, Deputy Director-General, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA) Dinesh Jagdale, Joint Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy R P Gupta, Chairman & MD, Solar Energy Corporation of India (SECI) Rajnath Ram, Adviser (Energy), NITI Aayog Hemanth Pandey, Chief Engineer, Ministry of Power* David Pearce, General Manager, Sales & Distribution, Kardinia Energy Thomas Coughlin, President, IEEE Akash Kaushik, Co-Founder, Good Enough Energy Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, IESA
11:15 - 11:30		Networking Te	ea
11:30 – 12.30	Panel discussion	 Energy Storage Tender and Projects in India Key Learnings from developed BESS projects in India Upcoming Tenders and projects Understanding the key bottlenecks in Project development Learning from the global projects 	 Moderator: Harsh Thacker, Director, Emerging Tech, Customized Energy Solutions Satish Talmale, Chief Operating Officer, Indigrid Rupam Raja, Chief Commercial Officer, Fluence Adam Bloom, CEO, Edina Sai Charan Kuppili, Technical Director, South & Central Asia, Jinko Solar Sunil Sharma, Commercial Executive, BSES Yamuna Power Naveen Nagpal, Asst. Vice President (Renewables, BESS & new initiatives), BSES Rajdhani SECI/ NTPC/ GUVNL*
12:30 – 13.00	Tech Session	BESS Technology, System Design and Development	 Akash Kaushik, Co-Founder, Good Enough Energy Rajendra Narkhede, Senior Vice President, Gexcon
13.00 -		Networking Lu	nch

Networking Lunch





14:00 – 15.00	Panel discussion	 Energy storage for decarbonization of the Commercial & Industrial Sector Energy Storage for decarbonization of the C&I sector BESS for Telecom and data center and Railway Learning from the current installation Key Challenges in project development Capex vs. Opex of such projecto 	 Session Chair: J K Jethani, Scientist F, MNRE Moderator: Netra Walawalkar, VP, India Markets, Customized Energy Solutions Kenneth Bodahl, CEO, Pixii AS A.K. Shukla, Founder and MD, Sanvaru Dr Manne Venkateswarlu, CTO, Khushmanda Power Ltd Rukshan Sheriff, CEO, Eco33 Pte Ankur Arora, Head of Sales (Critical Power) - India & SAARC, Exicom Suhas Sutar, Vice President, ESS Business, Replus Engitech
15.00- 16.00	Panel discussion	 projects Long Duration Energy Storage Technologies for India Key LDES Technologies and it's future Understanding the key changes Need for government framework. Setting up the target for LDES deployment 	 Session Chair: Kuldeep Rana, Scientist / Director, MNRE Session Co-Chair : Saurabh Kumar, Vice President- India, GEAPP Moderator: Nehal Divekar, Director- Emerging Technologies, Customized Energy Solutions Julia Souder, CEO, LDES Council Saurav Mitra, Director, Market Development, Energy Storage Business, Sumitomo SHI FW William Tope, CEO, LiNa Energy Paul Smith, Senior VP- Global Sales, Energy Dome Mukesh Kolhe, Advisor, Green Gravity
16:00 – 16:30		Networking Tea	,,,,,,, _
16.30- 16.45	Special Session	Learning from Global BESS Projects	Inder Bhambra, Chief Business Officer - India Region, Envision Energy
16:45 – 17:45	Plenary Session	 Addressing the Challenges in Rapid Energy Storage Deployment VGF scheme for 4000 MWh Energy Storage Projects Energy Storage for Peak shifting, RE-RTC, FDRE Key financing challenges Modernizing the electricity grid Central govt. policy framework & state level support 	 Session Chair: Rajesh Kumar, Chief Engineer, Energy Storage Systems, CEA, Ministry of Power Co-Chair: Sushanta Chatterjee, Chief - Regulatory Affairs, CERC Moderator: Vinayak Walimbe, VP- Emerging Technologies, Customized Energy Solutions Peter Mockel, Principal Industry Specialist, IFC Mr. Pinaki Bhattacharyya, Founder, MD and CEO, AmpIn Energy Aditya Agrawal, Head of Battery Business, Waaree Energy Professor Scott Hamilton, Senior Advisor, Smart Energy Council Wilhelm Von Butselaar, VP-APAC Growth, Fluence Artur Zawadski, CEO, Sunrise CSP
17:45 – 18:00		Summary of the Da	ay and Vote of Thanks





India Green Hydrogen Day (4th July 2024)

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Time (Hrs. IST)	Session	Торіс	Speakers
09:00-10.00		Registration	·
10:00 – 11:00	Inauguration Session	 India's Roadmap on Green Hydrogen R&D, Manufacturing & Deployment Defining green hydrogen Role of R&D and innovation Key challenges in deployment Global collaboration 	 Mr. Sudeep Jain, Additional Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy Cristian Valdes Carter, Country Director & Commercial Counsellor - India, Innovation Norway Gagan Bihari Swain, Director (F&CA). GRIDCO, Odisha Rahul Ranjan, Senior Investment Director, Australian Trade & Investment Commission Dr. Anita Gupta, Head of Scientific Divisions (HOD), DST* Dr. Jeewan Prakash Gupta, Managing Director, Greenstat Hydrogen India Pvt. Ltd. Madhav Pai, CEO, WRI India Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President & MD, CES India & President, India Energy Storage Alliance (IESA)
11:00 – 11	:15	Networking Tea	
11:15 – 12:15	Tech Session	 Electrolyzer & BOP Manufacturing Opportunities in India Opportunities for electrolysis BoP manufacturing Updates on the electrolyzers PLI Components and supply chain Technology updates Analytical Technologies for Hydrogen Value Chain 	 Moderator- Dr. Ajinkya Kamat, Sr. Manager, IESA & Customized Energy Solutions Shekhar Kashalikar, Chief Executive Officer, John Cockerill Greenko Hydrogen Solutions Siddharth Mayur, Founder, Managing Director & CEO, h2e Power Systems Naveen Goudar, Managing Director, MKS Atotech Daniel Fini, Director of Engineering, Cavendish Renewables Tech Sourabh Narang, Head-India & South Asia-Materials and Structural Analysis Division (MSD), Thermofisher
12:15 – 13:30	Panel Discussion	Knowledge Session on Green Hydrogen Certification for Export to EU (Supported by IGEF- SO)	 Opening Remarks and Presentation on the Study and Recommendations for the Development of Internationally Compatible Green Hydrogen Standards in India Mr. Krishna Kaant Gupta, Energy Advisor - Renewable Energy, GIZ Panel Discussion on "Green Hydrogen Certification for Export to EU" Guest of Honor: Dr. Prasad Chaphekar, Deputy Secretary, Ministry of New & Renewable Energy





13:30 – 14	·30	Network	 Moderator: Dr. Deepak Yadav, Council on Energy, Environment and Water Speakers: Prof. Dr. Aravind Kumar Chandiran, Department of Chemical Engineering, IIT Madras Tapas Kapadia, CEO, RWE Supply & Trading Rimali Batra, Partner, DSK Legal ing Lunch
14:30 -	Policy	Hydrogen Valley Innovation	Dr. Ranjith Krishna Pai. Scientist 'F' /
14:45	Session	Clusters in India to Drive R&D, Manufacturing, & Pilots	Senior Director, DST, Ministry of Science and Technology*
14:45 – 15:00	Tech Session	Hydrogen Regulations, Codes, Standards, & Safety	Dr. R. Venugopal, Ex-Joint Chief Controller of Explosives, PESO
15:00 – 15:15	Tech Session	Green Hydrogen Storage and Transportation	Yngve Schrøder Tufteland, International Sales Manager, UMOE Advanced Composites
15:15 – 16:15	Panel Discussion	 Global Green Hydrogen Partnership for Growth Partnership for growth Export and import opportunities Optimizing Electrolyzer Performance with Cutting- Edge Catalysts Technology collaboration 	 Moderator: Debi Prasad Dash, Executive Director, IESA Nishaanth Balashanmugam, Country Manager–India, Green Hydrogen Organization (GH2) Surbhi Goyal, Senior Energy Specialist, World Bank Manish Sanghai, Sr. Director, Laboratory Products, Asia Pacific Japan, Thermofisher Scientific
16:15 – 17:30	Plenary Session	Key Application Areas for Green Hydrogen in the Industrial and Mobility Sector • Refining • Specialty Chemicals • Fertilizers • Mobility • Steel Sector	 Moderator- Dr Deepak Kundalkar, Manager - Green Hydrogen Initiatives, Customized Energy Solutions Dr. Vishnu Budama, CEO, Pune Hydrogen Valley Shashank Adlakha Chief Operating Officer, Hygenco Aravind Kumar Chandiran, Associate Professor, Department of Chemical Engineering, IIT Madras Dr. Vijay Bhooshan Kumar, Senior Manager at Advanced Engineering, Ashok Leyland Sanjiv Kanwar, Country Manager, Yara India Abhijeet Dande, Deputy Director, Aker Solutions
17:30 – 18	:00	Networ	king Tea
17:45 – 18:00			5

✤ All above 4 main conferences are open to all registered delegates





3rd India Battery Safety Forum

1st July 2024, Seminar Hall, 1B, IICC, New Delhi

Opening Panel	14:00 – 14:20 IST	 Dr. Kuldeep Rana - Scientist/ Director, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) Dr. Suresh Babu Muttana, Scientist E / Director, Department of Science and Technology (DST) Rajnesh Singh - Director - Ministry of Heavy Industries* V. Manjunath, Regional Standards Manager, South Asia & Sub-Saharan Africa, UL Standards & Engagement Inc (ULSE) Neeraj Kushwaha, Scientist C and Member secretary, ETD 52, Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, MD, CES India & President, IESA
Current BIS Standards for ESS and Batteries	14:20- 14:40 IST	Neeraj Kushwaha, Scientist C and Member secretary, ETD 52, Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS)
Battery Cell level and BESS level safety	14:40- 15:00 IST	 V. Manjunath, Regional Standards Manager, South Asia & Sub-Saharan Africa, UL Standards & Engagement Inc (ULSE)
Tropical Batteries	15:00- 15:20 IST	Dr. Suresh Babu Muttana, Scientist E / Director, Department of Science and Technology (DST)
 Requirement of Testing Power Electronics/ EVs/FC impedance Measurement/Motor testing/Battery testing Advanced Analytical Solutions for Testing Energy Storage Devices 	15:20- 16:00 IST	 Utsav Sharma, Manager (R&D) - HIOKI India Pvt Ltd Rajwar Chandra, Product Specialist, Agilent Technologies India Pvt. Ltd
Presentation by Battery Manufacturers	16:00- 16:15 IST	AMRARAJA/ Lohum*
Vote of Thanks & Summary of the Day	16:15- 16:30 IST	Debi Prasad Dash, Executive Director, IESA

✤ 3rd India Battery Safety Forum is open to all registered delegates





Workshop on Battery Circularity in India:

Policy, Regulations & Implementation Strategies

(Organised by WRI India)

2nd July 2024, Roundtable Room, 1B, IICC, New Delhi

WRI India invites you to a workshop on 'Battery Circularity in India: Policy, Regulations & Implementation Strategies'. The workshop will facilitate a discussion on the existing policies and regulations governing battery circularity in India and gather insights from industry and experts, on policy and regulatory gaps as well as the status of, and challenges in, implementation of systems and processes for battery circularity. Participants will further brainstorm potential solutions and enabling strategies for creating an efficient and circular economy for li-ion batteries in the country.

The workshop on **Battery Circularity in India: Policy, Regulations & Implementation Strategies** will reflect on these challenges and explore potential solutions to promote battery circularity through the supply chain. Bringing together a wide range of industry stakeholders and subject experts, this workshop will provide a unique opportunity for participants to have a timely discussion on the status of battery circularity in India, the key opportunities and challenges facing the ecosystem, and the necessary next steps for optimizing the circularity of the fast-growing battery supply chain.

Time	Session	Details
11:00 – 11:05	Context Setting	Introduction to the Roundtable Discussion
11:05 – 11:15	Opening Remarks	 Role of battery circularity in making India a global LIB manufacturing hub Chaitanya Kanuri, Associate Director - Electric Mobility, Sustainable Cities & Transport, WRI India Mr. Narayankumar Sreekumar, Associate Director - Electric Mobility, Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation
11:15 – 11:35	Research Presentation	 Policy and regulatory gaps as well as proposed solutions for enabling battery circularity based on primary and secondary research. Mitradev Sahoo, Junior Program Associate, WRI India
11:35 – 12:50	Roundtable discussion	 Roundtable discussion anchored on the following themes: Status of battery circularity in India Challenges in implementing a circular battery supply chain in India and potential solutions. Current gaps and missing links in policy, regulations, standards framework, and potential solutions for enabling battery circularity in India.
12:50 – 1:00	Concluding Session	Concluding session and launch of conference proceedings
1:00 PM onwards		Networking Lunch

AGENDA





IESW Start-Up Day

2nd July 2024, 1B, IICC, New Delhi

11:00 –	Welcome Note & Introduction	• Vinayak Walimbe, VP , Emerging Tech, CES			
11:15 IST					
11:15 – 13:00 IST	NEW ENERGY COMPANY SHOWCASE Pitch Sessions by 7 start-ups (8 mins to pitch and 7 mins of Q& A)	 Jury Members: Chandrashekhar Chincholkar, Director of Corporate Advisory, CES Christine Vincent, Venture Principal, Shell Ventures John Wood, Founder, Noab Ventures Pratik Agarwal, Vice President, Singularity AMC LLP Rakesh Malhotra, Founder of SAR Group Saiesh Reddy, Managing Partner, Chakra Growth Capital Sandeep Tandon, National Project Manager, Low Carbon Technology Deployment Project, UNIDO Vijay Kedia, Long-Term Investor, Kedia Securities Vinayak Walimbe, Vice President & Emerging Tech, CES Biplab Hazowary, Manager- Innovation Strategy, Hara Mate Carp 			
13:00 -14:00) IST Networking Lur	Hero MotoCorp nch & Expo Visit			
14:00 - 15:00 IST	 FOUNDERS ROUNDTABLE Session Topic: Strategies for building resilient startups. Points for discussion Identifying sources of uncertainty & Building resilience and adaptability Learning from failure and iteration Customer retention and continuous product evolution Leveraging partnerships and financial optimisation Overcoming scaling hurdles Performance measurement and sustainable growth 	 Moderated by: Chandrashekhar Chincholkar, Director of Corporate Advisory, CES Chairperson: Mr. Jeet Vijay, CEO, Meity Startup Hub Co-Chair: Dr. Aravind Kumar Chandiran, Associate Professor, IIT Madras Co – Chair: Faruk Kazi, PI & Coordinator, VJTI-TBI* Co-Chair: Dr. Mrityunjay Suar, Chairman, BCKIC Co-Chair: Rakesh Malhotra, Founder of SAR Group Co-Chair: Dr Saishyam Narayanan, CEO, IPTIF Co-Chair: Sandeep Tandon, National Project Manager, FLCTD, UNIDO 			
15:00 - 15:45 IST	 practices TECH IGNITION SESSION 7 Habits of Highly Effective EV Startups Ansys Sustainability Solution for EV, Battery management, Green Energy and its storage 	 Prasanna Deshpande, Application Engineering Manager, MathWorks Himanshu Chattwal, Sr. Sales Manager, MathWorks Vinay Sawant, Sr. Simulation Engineer, FEA at 3D Engineering Automation 			
15:45 - 16:30 IST	INVESTMENT TALK	 Pratik Agarwal, Vice President, Singularity AMC LLP Christine Vincent, Venture Principal, Shell Ventures 			
16:30 -18:00	16:30 -18:00 IST High Tea and Expo Visit				
19:00 IST O					

This event is only open for registered/ invited start-ups and investors (not open for regular delegates)





IESA-ISA Future Mobility Learning Centre (FELC)

1st-2nd July 2024, Seminar Hall, 1B, IICC, New Delhi

Day – 1, July 01, 2024					
10:45 – 11:00	Opening Remarks	Dr Mridula Bharadwaj, Capacity Building Specialist, International Solar Alliance (ISA)			
11:00 – 11:30	Advancements in Battery Technologies	Dr Raghvendra Gupta, Researcher, IIT Delhi			
11:30 – 12:00	Solar + Storage: Need &Dr Vikrant Sharma, Deputy Director, NationalSignificanceInstitute of Solar Energy (NISE)				
12:00 – 12:30	Overview of Green Hydrogen Deepak Kundalkar, Manger – GH2 Initi Customized Energy Solutions (CES)				
12:30 – 13:00	India Energy Market - Green Open Access	Nikhil Chauganjkar, Senior Manager – India Markets, Customized Energy Solutions (CES)			
	Day – 2, July 02, 2024				
14:00 – 14:30	E-mobility: Current and Future Trends	Gurusharan Dhillon, Director eMobility, Customized Energy Solutions (CES)			
14:30 – 15:00	EV Charging Infrastructure	Tyag Dharmik, Founder, Cubenz Power Pvt Ltd			
15:00 – 15:30	Microgrids: Status and Deployment Concerns	Rupesh Badkhal, Senior Program Associate, Customized Energy Solutions (CES)			
15:00 – 15:30	Need of Centre of Excellence in Battery Engineering	Ravi Kumar, Director - COE, Battery Engineering, Atria University			

✤ FELC is open to all registered delegates, exhibitors, and Visitors





Women in Energy Forum

2nd July 2024, 1B Expo Area & Amaltas Hall, IICC, New Delhi

Time 04:30 pm -06:00 pm (Roundtable Room, Exhibition Centre)

 Session

 pm Roundtable Discussion:

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 Sustaining Women Participation in the Workforce

 tion
 1. Recognizing barriers to women's sustained participation.

2. Creating inclusive workplaces to retain and advance women professionals.

Policy Measures for Ensuring Safety of Women Professionals at Work:

1. Evaluating current policies' efficacy in safeguarding women.

2. Proposing stronger policies and enforcement to combat harassment and ensure safety.

Skill Development:

1. Identifying skill gaps hindering women's career growth.

2. Implementing accessible skill development programs to empower women.

Improving Work-Life Balance and Men's Support:

1. Discussing the impact of work-life balance on women's careers.

2. Engaging men in promoting gender equality and supporting work-life balance initiatives.

Mentorship and Support Networks Within Your Organization

06:00 pm - 06:30 pm

06:30 pm - Leadership Talk

07:30 pm

(AmaltasSharing Success Stories of Role Models in
the Energy Sector

Journey of the Leaders: Challenges Faced and Lessons Learned in the Energy Sector Empowering Future Generations: Inspiring Young Women to Enter the Energy Sector

Speakers

- **Divya Sharma,** Executive Director, Climate Group
- **Mili Majumdar,** Managing Director, GBCI & India Senior Vice President, Innovation and Research, U.S Green Building Council
- **Preeti Malhotra,** Co-Owner, Director, Great Place to Work, India
- **Dr. Surekha Deshmukh,** Senior Member, IEEE
- Nashid Chowdhury, Investment & Trade Commissioner, Western Australia
- Monika Rathi, Country Head India, Vena Energy
- Mr. Aashraya Seth, Senior Advisor (Industry, Science and Resources), Australian High Commission

Tea break

- Dr. Veena Kumari Dermal, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Mines, Gol
- Dhanya Rajeswaran, Country Managing Director, Fluence India
- Netra Walawalkar, Vice President, CES India, IESA
- Gauri Singh, Deputy Director General, International Renewable Energy Agency
- Denise Eaton, Trade & Investment Commissioner (Resources & Energy), Austrade
- Christine Lins, Executive Director, Global
 Women's Network for the Energy Transition

WE Felicitation ceremony Networking Reception

Women in Energy Forum is open to all registered Women Participants

Industry stakeholder consultation workshop: Indian EVs & Battery Gigafactories: Imperatives for a Robust Supply Chain

07:30 pm - 08:00 pm 08:00 pm onwards





Powered by CES || Seminar Hall, 1B, Expo Area || 2nd July 2024, IICC, New Delhi

India is on the path to a clean energy transition, targeting a 30% electric vehicle (EV) share in registered vehicles by 2030. This will require approximately 600-785 GWh of lithium-ion batteries (LIB) between 2022 and 2030, for EV batteries and battery energy storage systems (BESS) that are required to power this clean energy transition.

Presently, the EV market in the country in 2023 witnessed a penetration rate of 7% with EV battery demand of around 15 GWh in 2023. The EV market in India is expected to grow at a CAGR of 35% from 2023 to 2032 under the business-as-usual case. High demand for EVs and stationary storage has prompted the government to introduce the ACC PLI Scheme which aims to promote 50 GWh of domestic manufacturing of ACC batteries by 2025. With this Scheme, many existing battery players and new entrants have announced their plans to build giga factories in the country.

With the rise in EV adoption followed by an emphasis on manufacturing domestic gigafactories, it's crucial to check the status and address the associated challenges, especially regarding the materials required for manufacturing EV ACC batteries. For this, an enhanced understanding of the material requirements across the supply chain, from upstream to downstream, is indeed essential for all stakeholders involved.

Customized Energy Solutions (CES), along with its knowledge partner with Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation, is conducting a comprehensive analysis of EVs & battery gigafactories in India, focusing on understanding India's 2032 and 2047 EV and ACC battery demand forecast and scenarios. Under this initiative, CES is delving into crucial aspects such as EV and battery market forecasts across different EV battery chemistries with a key objective of identifying gaps in the present battery supply chain and providing policy recommendations for increased localization and resilient battery supply chain in India.

As part of this initiative, CES is organizing an industrial stakeholder roundtable workshop during India Energy Storage Week (IESW) on 2nd July 2024 at the India International Convention and Expo Center (IICC), Dwarka, New Delhi. Your insights and suggestions would be invaluable in shaping this discourse.

We cordially invite you to share your expertise and perspectives at this event. Your participation will greatly enrich the discussions and contribute to the formulation of meaningful recommendations.

1:00 – 2:00 pm	Networking Lunch			
2:00 - 2:10 pm	Welcome and Introduction • Harsh Thacker, Customized Ene Solutions • Harsh Thacker, Customized Ene			
2:20 – 2:30 pm	Context Setting Address	Mr. Narayankumar Sreekumar, Associate Director (Electric Mobility), Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation		
2:20 - 2:40 pm	Research Presentation EVs & Battery Gigafactories: Imperatives for a Robust Supply Chain in India	Monami Dey/ Parth Pandit, Customized Energy Solutions in		
2:40 - 3:00 pm	Brainstorming Session Working group formation and brainstorming into groups• Parth, Monami, Akshita, Harsh, R Bhupesh, Anjan			
3:10 – 3:50 pm				
3:50 - 4:00 pm	Concluding Session			
	Summarizing Discussions	Mr. Rishabh Sethi, Programme Manager (Electric Mobility), Shakti Sustainable Energy Foundation		
	Vote of Thanks	Customized Energy Solutions		

Unlocking Battery Innovation:





Stakeholder Meeting on Rapid Prototyping Centre

Roundtable Discussion || 3rd July 2024, Kenar Hall (403), IICC , New Delhi

Modality: in-person only

Venue: Kenar Hall, Room 403, India International Convention Centre, Yashobhoomi, Delhi

This meeting will bring together stakeholders in government, R&D institutions, and companies across the battery value chain, with the goal of developing recommendations for DST on designing initiatives to establish dedicated R&D facilities with infrastructure for advancing Manufacturing Readiness Levels (MRLs) of new battery technologies from lab prototypes to industrial manufacturability. This is the 3rd & concluding Stakeholder Meeting in this series and is being organized by IESA.

Agenda:

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14:00 – 14:15	Chief Guest: Dr. Anita Gupta, Head, CEST, DST* Special Guest: Manoj Kumar Upadhyay, NITI Aayog Special Guest: Dr. N. Kalaiselvi, Director General, CSIR* Special Chair: Dr. Vijay R, Director, ARCI Special Co-Chair: Dr. Satyanarayana, Director, IIT Tirupati Special Chair: Dr. Vijay R, Director, ARCI Patron Chair: Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, President, IESA		
14:15 – 14:30	Brief introductions of participants		
14:30 - 14:40	Background of Stakeholder Meeting Series, Suresh Babu, DST		
14:40 – 14:50	Recap of Meeting 1 (at National Chemical Laboratory) and Meeting 2 (at IIT Tirupati), IESA		
14:50 – 15:50	 Roundtable Discussion Moderator: Dr. Rahul Walawalkar, IESA Key Discussion Points (to follow from Meetings no. 1 & 2): Prioritization of technologies, infrastructure and service offerings by Rapid Prototyping Centres (RPCs) Governance, funding model, operational model for RPCs Phased approach to establish and grow RPCs. Best strategic locations for RPCs How to make RPCs accessible to supply chain SMEs and startups? Challenge of skilled workforce recruitment at RPCs Action plan to consolidate stakeholder recommendations for DST Participants: Government agencies, such as DST, NITI Aayog, MNRE, etc. Academic and research institutions Cell and battery manufacturers Materials, supply chain and equipment producer companies Startups 		
15:50 – 16:00	Concluding remarks & way forward by Chief Guest, Special Guest, Patron Chair, Special Chair		

Participation by Invitation only





India LDES Forum

Supported by LDES Council || 3rd July 2024, Kenar Hall (403), IICC, New Delhi

In association with the LDES Council, IESA is organizing a dedicated India LDES Forum to advance the deployment of LDES technologies in the Indian energy storage market.

Structure of the India LDES Forum 2024

Key Discussion Points

- Global LDES technologies readiness and global landscape focused on the markets.
- Understanding the key changes in the growth of LDES deployment in India
- Overall costs for decarbonized buildouts, and planning tools for grid decarbonization through LDES technologies.
- Regulatory support is required for implementing LDES projects in India.
- Setting up the target for LDES deployment for India
- LDES technologies applications and implementation status
- Future implications and limitations

LDES Roundtable	Chair:	
	Julia Souder, CEO, LDES Council	
16:30- 18:00 IST	Co-Chair:	
	 Dr.Avishek Kumar, CEO, Vflowtech 	
	Upma Koul, Sr. VP, Energy Storage Business, Sumitomo SHI FW	
	 Paul Smith, Sr. VP, Global Sales, Energy Dome 	
	Key Panellist:	
	 William Tope, Chief Executive Officer, LINA Energy 	
	 Mani Khurana, Sr. Energy Specialist, World Bank 	
	 Yashwanth Mahadevan, VP - Sales, APAC, EOSE 	
	 Shirish Deshmukh, AGM – Special Projects, Godrej-UEP 	
	 Prasad Joshi, Vice President, Greenko 	
	Satish Talmale, COO, Indigrid	
	 Vishal Mittal, Founder, Delectrik Systems Private Limited 	
	 Vaibhav Dalvi, DGM, Sales Lead- South Asia, BASF 	
	 Dhanraj Biradar, GM, Reliance Industries Ltd. 	
	 Akash Kaushik, Founder & Director, Good Enough Energy 	
	Sunil Sharma, GM - Sustainability & Cleantech, BSES Yamuna Power	
	Samarjeet Thakur, Head-BD, ONGC Tripura Power Company	
	Amol Sanjore, Head- BESS, Sterling Wilson	
	Abhishek Shukla, Associate Director – Market Growth, Fluence India	
	Massimiliano Masperi, Senior Sales Engineer, Energy Dome	
	Suvendu Lenka, Sr. GM, Reliance Industries Ltd.	
	Sreekanth C S, General Manager, Sales, APAC, EOSE	
	Shankar Chelluri, Country Head - India, PR & Communications, Envision	
	Inder Bhambra, Chief Business Officer – India Region, Envision	
	Suhas Sutar, Vice President, ESS Business, Replus Engitech	
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	Continum Energy, Cygni, BSES Rajdhani, GRID India, MNRE, Vena Energy, EDINA, Ampin Energy Transition, O2 Power, SECL NTPC*	
18:30 IST	Energy, EDINA, Ampin Energy Transition, O2 Power, SECI, NTPC* Happy Hours & Networking Dinner for LDES Roundtable Participants	
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Roundtable on Green Hydrogen Growth: Sub-National Dialogue on Catalysing Change for Addressing Growth Hurdles

Organized by WRI || Kenar Hall-403 || 4th July 2024, IICC, New Delhi

The Government of India is implementing the National Green Hydrogen Mission, aiming to position the country as a leading producer and exporter of green hydrogen globally. The mission sets an ambitious goal of producing of 5 million metric tons (MMT) annually by 2030. Under the Mission, the Government of India has introduced various incentives, policy mechanisms, and supportive frameworks to encourage green hydrogen production and electrolyser manufacturing. Following these initiatives, several Indian states including Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh, Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab, Madhya Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh, West Bengal, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Odisha, Sikkim, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, and Karnataka have undertaken specific steps to facilitate green hydrogen. The states' approaches range from drafting dedicated hydrogen policies to budgetary allocations, and facilitating projects through respective renewable energy policies, and industrial policies.

These state-level initiatives include various incentives targeted at reducing the cost of renewable energy used to produce green hydrogen and green ammonia, as well as measures to develop a robust manufacturing ecosystem for electrolysers and other critical technologies. Accordingly, significant measures have been proposed in various state government policies to enable industry to ramp up green hydrogen production and exports. These include, incentives aimed at reducing the cost of renewable energy encompass various measures such as exemptions on electricity duty charges, cross-subsidy surcharges, additional subsidy surcharges, intrastate transmission charges, and wheeling charges. Additionally, these incentives extend to land allocation, entailing government land provision at subsidized rates, stamp duty exemptions, and exemptions from other local taxes. Further support is provided through assistance and incentives for innovation and research & development, GST reimbursement, employment subsidies, CAPEX subsidies for electrolyzer and equipment manufacturing facilities, subsidies for green hydrogen utilization across diverse applications, facilitation of water infrastructure development, single-window clearance, and transmission connectivity facilitation.

However, further challenges are anticipated as the industry moves towards implementation of projects. Industry stakeholders have highlighted the lack of domestic offtake, availability of land at suitable locations, access to renewable electricity, and availability of critical equipment and associated infrastructure as some of the crucial pieces. These challenges vary by state or region, requiring a tailored policy approach. It will accordingly necessitate close collaboration among industry stakeholders, research institutions, academia, and the relevant government bodies to identify and execute strategic actions.

This roundtable discussion will seek to facilitate the dialogue between government institutions and industry stakeholders, highlighting the key challenges in the implementation of hydrogen projects in the country, and deliberating how state-level policies could facilitate the process. The aim is to have an open and constructive discussion to identify specific bottlenecks and obstacles and suggest concrete steps that could mitigate them.





Time	Session	Details
11:00 – 11:05	Opening Remarks	• Anuraag Nallapaneni, Program Manager – Hydrogen, WRI India
11:05 – 11:15	Context Setting	 The necessity of a sub-national dialogue for growth of the hydrogen ecosystem in India Dipesh Pherwani, Associate Director – Energy Innovations and Tech, WRI India
11:15 – 11:35	Presentation	Presentation: WRI India
11:35 – 12:50	Roundtable discussion	 Roundtable discussion anchored on the following themes: Developing Green Hydrogen Infrastructure and Market at the State Level Enabling Hydrogen Project Development and Market Growth through Collaboration
12:50 – 1:00	Concluding Session	Discussion Summary
1:00 PM onwards		Networking Lunch





