

Webinar series: Energy data and the supply chain



Generation, communication and use of Open Energy Data are in their early stages. What can the supply chain offer to this process? And how do we get the supply chain's input accepted?

BEAMA and Foot Anstey invite you to join us for a five-part fortnightly webinar series that focuses on energy data and the supply chain.

With guest speakers and interactive discussion we will explore the importance of energy data, the role it can play in system improvements, and how we can maximise its benefits for consumers.

Who should join us for this series?

- Manufacturers and providers of energy smart appliances, energy data services, data management services, platforms or software, or any other data product
- Members of the energy and utilities sector engaged in delivering or supporting a modern, digitalised energy system (and we hope that is all of you)

Session one

Open Energy Data: The Big Picture

Date: Thursday 8 October 2020

Time: 10am - 11.30am

In the first session of the series we will explore questions that will help set the scene for the series and influence future themes. Guest speakers will explore each question and we encourage audience engagement.

The key questions for discussion will include:

- What was the Energy Data Taskforce and what did it recommend?
- Where are we now, and what is being done?
- What can be learnt from relevant international developments?
- Where does the supply chain fit in, and how do we make its voice heard?

Guests:

Laura Sandys CBE, *Challenging Ideas*

Rich Hampshire, *CGI*

Rodolphe de Beaufort, *Gimelec*

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The details of subsequent sessions will be responsive to the outcomes identified in the first session, but we intend to consider the following themes:

Session two: The Data

Date: Thursday 22 October 2020

Time: 10.00am - 11.00am

- What are the sources of data?
- What do providers and consumers need and how do we standardise its use?

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Session 3: Data platforms

Date: Thursday 5 November 2020

Time: 10.00am - 11.00am

- What do data platform providers want to do that they aren't doing already?
- How do we navigate the opportunities and challenges?

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Session 4: Data interoperability, standards, privacy and cyber security

Date: Thursday 19 November 2020

Time: 10.00am - 11.00am

- Where are the gaps in data standards?
- How do we ensure smooth interoperability while managing risks?

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Session 5: Maximising the value of data

Date: Thursday 3 December 2020

Time: 10.00am - 11.00am

- Data is essential to a smooth energy system. How can the energy sector harness its value?
- What roles does each part of the sector play and how do we work together?

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You are able to sign up for as many sessions as you like. Registration will stay open for all upcoming sessions.

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