



INVITED SESSION SUMMARY

Title of Session: Energy Planning in Buildings and Policy Implications

Name, Title and Affiliation of Chair:

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Details of Session (including aim and scope):

Energy policy plays an important role for the promotion of sustainable development in buildings. For the promotion of rational use of energy and energy efficiency, the existing policy framework considers as vital. The purpose of this session is to provide a broad overview of energy efficiency issues in the built environment from different countries. The main aim of the session is to present the key national policies and how they are related to the built environment in different countries. At the same time it will demonstrate the governments environmental concerns and how policies are applied from different ones.

The main scope and aims of the session are :

- The assessment of the current energy policy in buildings.
- The use of appropriate tools for policy implication in buildings.
- The proposition of methods that would make the use of policy more effectual in the promotion of sustainability in buildings.
- The description of aspects of policy implications in different countries.
- The presentation of opportunities and barriers in policy implications of buildings.
- Proposals to overcome barriers and to promote more the existing opportunities.
- Techno-economic assessment of policy measures and tools.
- Long-term analysis in energy planning in buildings.
- Modelling of policy and energy planning in buildings.

Paper formatting and submission instructions:

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Submission procedure:

Papers should be submitted to the Session Chair at this e-mail address:

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Important dates and deadlines:

- Submission of full papers for review: 1 March 2012
- Notification of acceptance: 1 April 2012
- Upload of final camera-ready publication files: 1 May 2012

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