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Register before **5 March 2013**

Participation fee:

- € 530,- * for industry
- € 395,- * for universities/institutes
- € 120,- * for students (shortened workshop package)

The fee includes dinner, lunch, coffee/soft drinks and a CD with the workshop presentations. A printed version of the workshop handout is available on request (€ 50-*).

With the confirmation of registration you will receive the invoice. (* plus VAT) In case of cancellation after 5 March 2013 or non-attendance 50 % of the participation fee are payable.

Three participants from each ECPE member company free of charge. Allocation in sequence of registration.

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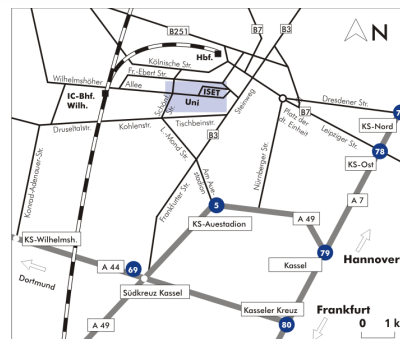
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Organisational information

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Workshop venue	University of Kassel Building D / Room 0446 Wilhelmshöher Allee 73 34121 Kassel Germany



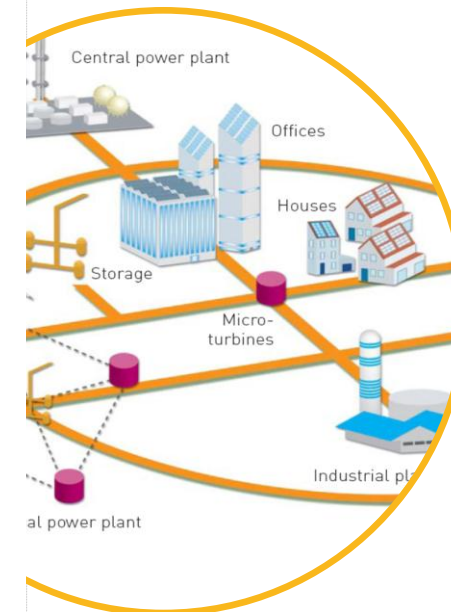
Further information (hotel list and maps) will be provided after registration.



ECPE
European Center for
Power Electronics e.V.

Programme ECPE Workshop

**Power Electronics in the
Electrical Network
(Renewables, Energy Storage,
Grid Stability)**



12 – 13 March 2013
University of Kassel
Kassel, Germany

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ECPE Workshop

Power Electronics in the Electrical Network (Renewables, Energy Storage, Grid Stability)

12 – 13 March 2013
Kassel, Germany

In face of worldwide growing energy consumption combined with limited fossil fuel resources, a policy for an increasing adoption of renewable energy sources can be observed at almost all countries in the world. The nature of these sources, which is basically decentralized and often volatile, still remains a challenging issue. As examples, high power has to be collected in offshore wind parks and transferred to the industrial centres of Europe, while concentrated photovoltaic generation may compromise weak grid structures.

In order to address such challenges, a considerable increase on the application of electronic power converters will be necessary. Main objectives are to ensure not only compliance with basic power transmission requirements but also stability of these complex interconnected systems having volatile generation and demand. Flexible AC-transmission systems with innovative components figure as an increasingly interesting technique at all voltage levels to ensure grid stability and power quality. Controllable MV/LV transformers, active power transformers and electronic power flow controllers in combination with storages of different sizes may also be approaches for a re-design of the electric distribution and transmission grid. Entirely new perspectives are also opening up with upcoming high-voltage wide band gap semiconductor devices. This is huge emerging market in a multi-GW range for high power semiconductors.

The workshop is dedicated to these technical challenges, giving an overview about current developments and future perspectives of electronic power conditioners for the electric power supply system. Time is also reserved to discuss specific aspects of this field of application like extended life time requirements and overload capability.

The workshop is chaired by Prof. Dr. P. Zacharias (University of Kassel) and J. Koszescha (ECPE). All presentations and discussions will be in English.

Programme

Tuesday, 12 March 2013

9:30 Start of Registration / Welcome Coffee

10:15 **Welcome, Opening**
P. Zacharias, University of Kassel
T. Harder, ECPE e.V.

Introduction

10:30 **Power Electronics in the Electricity Network**
P. Zacharias, University of Kassel

10:50 **Status and Limits of Today's Electricity Grids with Regard to Power Electronic Sources**
T. Do, Helmut Schmidt University Hamburg

11:20 **Role of Power Electronics in Future Grids
What PE can do in Smart Grids, Super Grids, Micro Grids?**
P. Zacharias, University of Kassel

Grid Integration of Renewable Energy Sources

11:40 **Integration of Photovoltaic, Impact on Low and Medium Voltage Grids**
T. Bülo, SMA Solar Technology AG

12:10 **Discussion**

12:25 Lunch

13:30 **Converters and Semiconductors for Wind Power Plants**
H.-G. Eckel, University of Rostock

14:00 **Fault Ride Through Requirements of Grid Connected Electronic Power Sources and Implementation into a Converter System**
F. Springmeier, Woodward

14:30 **Control of Grid-Interactive Power Converters:
The Synchronous Power Controller**
P. Rodriguez, Abengoa Research

15:00 **Discussion**

15:15 Coffee Break

15:45 **Utilizing the Inertia of Wind Energy Converters
for Stabilizing the Power System**
P. Strauss, Fraunhofer IWES Kassel

16:15 **Distributed Storage for Short Fluctuations
- Impact on Distribution System**
M. Braun, University of Kassel & Fraunhofer IWES

16:45 **Towards 100%: Integration of Renewable Energy**
C. Hoffmann, Fraunhofer IWES Kassel

17:15 **Discussion**

17:30 **End of 1st Day**

19:30 Dinner

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Wednesday, 13 March 2013

8:45 Start of 2nd Day

Power Electronic Components and Topologies for Future Grids

8:45 **Wide Band-Gap Power Devices in Power Conversion for Renewables**
S. Araújo, University of Kassel

Would DC Grids be a Solution?

9:15 **Low Voltage DC-Grids**
E. Waffenschmidt (University of Applied Science Cologne),
U. Böke (Philips Research)

9:45 **Power Electronics for Medium-Voltage DC Grids**
H. Stagge, RWTH Aachen

10:15 **Discussion**

10:30 Coffee break

Grid Quality and Stability

10:50 **Power Quality in Distributed Power Supply Systems
(U, f, pulsed load and reactive power compensation)**
J. Myrzik, TU Dortmund

11:20 **Distributed Control of Power Electronic Interfaces in Smart Micro-Grids**
P. Tenti, University of Padova

11:50 **Power Quality Control Issues in Distribution Grids,
Experience from Field Test NETZQ**
N. Grass, University of Applied Science Nuremberg

12:20 **Discussion**

12:35 Lunch

Power Converter in Distribution-Grid Control

13:35 **Voltage Control in Distribution Grids**
S. Kempen., AEG Power Systems

13:55 **Case Study: Use of Power Electronic Voltage
Regulators in Low Voltage Distribution Networks**
J.P. da Costa, W. Kruschel, P. Zacharias (University of Kassel),
D. Mende, T. Bülo (SMA Solar Technology)

14:15 **Case Study: Intelligent Solid State Transformers
(SSTs)- MEGA Cube & MEGA Link**
G. Ortiz, J. Kolar, ETH Zurich

14:35 **Discussion**

Grid Integration of Energy Storages

14:45 **Use of E-Mobiles as Decentralized Storage of the
Electricity Grid – Impact on power electronic interfaces
and grid infrastructure**
C. van Booven, Robert Bosch

15:15 **Large Scale Battery Storage Grid Integration**
S. Kempen, AEG Power Solutions

15:45 **Final Discussion**

16:15 End of Workshop