

ELECTRIC TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE

April 7 – 9, 2025

DoubleTree by Hilton Pittsburgh Cranberry, Mars, PA

***Preliminary* AGENDA and SCHEDULE**

Monday, April 7, 2025 – CLOSED SESSION

- 3:00 p.m. Committee Planning Meeting Committee Members & Utility Company Guests Only
For discussion of committee matters - current meeting logistics and arrangements, determination of professional engineer continuing education credits, and future meeting planning
- 8:00 p.m. Informal Networking “Meet & Greet”

Tuesday, April 8, 2025 – OPEN EDUCATIONAL SESSION

- 8:00 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast
- 8:30 a.m. Call to Order *Grand Ballroom (E/F/H/H)*

Session Sponsor: Vlad Serhiayenka

- 8:30 a.m. **Safety Message** (Speaker from Duquesne Light)
- 8:40 a.m. **Opening Remarks and Session Breakout Information**
(Chairs of the Electric T&D Committee and EE&P Committee)
- 8:45 a.m. **Welcome** (Officer from Duquesne Light)
- 9:00 a.m. **Topic to be determined**
Speaker?, Title?, FirstEnergy?
- 10:00 a.m. Refreshment Break
- 10:15 a.m. **Storm Preparedness Best Practices – panel discussion**
Erin McTighe, Sr. Emergency Preparedness Specialist, PECO; **Speaker?**, Title?, Duquesne Light; **Speaker?**, Title?, Citizens’ Electric; **Speaker?**, Title?, FirstEnergy
- 11:15 a.m. **Electrification Topic**
Sarah Oleksak, Senior Mgr., Transportation Electrification, Duquesne Light

12:15 to 2:00 p.m., Vendor Exhibition Open – Visit Exhibits, Buffet Lunch, Ballroom -Cedar/Dogwood

- 2:00 p.m. **Educational Session Reconvenes**

Session Sponsor: Todd Thieman

- 2:00 p.m. **Vendor New Product/Services Presentations**
- 3:00 p.m. Refreshment Break

Session Sponsor: representative from PPL

- 3:15 p.m. **Topic to be determined**
Speaker?, Title?, Company?
- 4:15 p.m. **Transmission Facility Accessibility Topic**
Speaker?, Title?, Duquesne Light Company
- 5:15 p.m. **Meeting Adjourns, Visiting Exhibits, Networking Opportunity**

5:15 p.m. to 6:45 p.m., Vendor Expo Open - light hors d’oeuvres, refreshments

NOTE: We are facilitating PA Professional Engineer Continuing Education Credits or pdh's. If you have an interest, at the completion of the April 8th sessions, you need to mark up your agenda indicating the 4/8/25 presentations you are present for, sign the agenda at the upper right corner and write your company name and email address on the sheet. Turn the marked-up agenda in to EAP staff and a certificate will be sent to you.

Wednesday, April 9, 2025 – CLOSED SESSION

Note: A virtual Electric T&D Committee meeting will take place after the event to discuss committee matters, evaluate the recent event's sessions, and plan for future meetings.

7:30 a.m. Breakfast / Informal Meeting with PA PUC
(PUC Staff Guests, Members of EAP Electric Operations Committees/Committee Distribution Group Members ONLY)

Session Sponsor: Kyle Stair
(**CLOSED SESSION**, Open to Member Utilities ONLY)

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 PM Benchmarking Session – Grid Reliability Roundtable Discussion
Meeting for Reliability Engineers and Managers to benchmark on best practices related to reliability programs and power quality issues
All committee members (and other registered utility company guests) are encouraged to attend. This valuable session provides a forum for asking questions, discussing experiences, and exchanging best practices with industry peers.

Session Sponsor: Walt Grodzki
(**CLOSED SESSION**, Open to Member Utilities ONLY)

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 PM Benchmarking Session - Design & Third Party Attachments
Meeting for Design Engineers and Managers to benchmark on best practices related to design and third party attachment issues
All committee members (and other registered utility company guests) are encouraged to attend. This valuable session provides a forum for asking questions, discussing experiences, and exchanging best practices with industry peers.

12/30/24 am