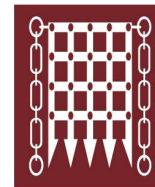


**Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum Keynote Seminar:  
The outlook for UK energy storage: grid integration, regulatory framework  
and opportunities for innovation**

*Timing: Morning, Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> April 2017*

*Venue: One Moorgate Place, Chartered Accountants' Hall, Moorgate Place, London EC2R 6EA*



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- 8.30 - 9.00 Registration and coffee
- 9.00 - 9.10 **Chair's opening remarks**  
**Dr Jenifer Baxter**, Head of Energy and Environment, Institution of Mechanical Engineers
- 9.10 - 9.20 **Assessing the key opportunities and challenges for UK energy storage technology**  
**Professor Andrew Cruden**, Head of Energy Technology Research Group, University of Southampton
- 9.20 - 9.30 **Next steps for the power responsive platform and access to the grid for energy projects**  
**Phil Sheppard**, Director of SO Operations, National Grid
- 9.30 - 9.40 **'Priorities for regulation: removing regulatory barriers to create a level playing field for storage'**  
**Deirdre Bell**, Senior Manager, Energy Systems, Ofgem
- 9.40 - 9.50 **Legal and planning challenges for new and existing projects**  
**Ross Fairley**, Partner and Head of Energy, Power and Utilities, Burges Salmon
- 9.50 - 10.15 Questions and comments from the floor
- 10.15 - 10.20 **Chair's closing remarks**  
**Dr Jenifer Baxter**, Head of Energy and Environment, Institution of Mechanical Engineers
- 10.20 - 11.05 Coffee
- 11.05 - 11.10 **Chair's opening remarks**  
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- 11.10 - 11.20 **Commercial-scale storage: managing challenges for consumption and transmission**  
**Bridgit Hartland-Johnson**, Head of Energy Storage, Siemens Energy Management UK
- 11.20 - 11.30 **Opportunities and challenges for long-life energy storage systems**  
**Charlie Blair**, Managing Director, Gravitricity
- 11.30 - 11.40 **Case study: developing grid-scale solutions - project delivery, finance and planning**  
**Dr John Prendergast**, Head of Energy Storage Business Development, RES
- 11.40 - 11.50 **Case study: integrating storage into the grid**  
**Mark Drye**, Director of Asset Management, Northern Powergrid
- 11.50 - 12.15 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.15 - 12.25 **Practical challenges to developing a smart and flexible energy system**  
**Tim Stiven**, Interim Head of Delivery, Energy Systems Catapult
- 12.25 - 12.35 **'Encouraging innovation in energy storage'**  
**Mark Futyan**, Director of Merchant Power, Centrica
- 12.35 - 12.50 Questions and comments from the floor
- 12.55 - 13.00 **Chair's and Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum closing remarks**  
Chair to be announced  
**Andrew Best**, Forum Lead, Westminster Energy, Environment & Transport Forum

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