



**ANNOUNCEMENT & CALL FOR PAPERS**

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Italian National Agency for New Technologies,  
Energy & Sustainable Economic  
Development (ENEA)  
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**INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP  
ON RENEWABLE ENERGY  
FOR SUSTAINABLE  
DEVELOPMENT  
IN AFRICA**

**JULY 27 – 29, 2010**

**Co-host  
ENERGY COMMISSION OF NIGERIA**

**ARRIVAL DATE: 27<sup>th</sup> July, 2010**

**VENUE OF WORKSHOP:**

**Reiz Continental Hotel**

Plot 779, Cadastal Zone, A. O.

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**WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES**

- To proffer solution to the energy problems in Africa by providing a forum for exchange of ideas by major stake holders.
- To address important aspects of the implementation of Renewable Energy Programmes in Africa.
- Explore emerging policy issues, regulations and implementation frameworks for the development of renewable energy and energy efficiency markets in Africa.
- Public awareness creation among policy makers, investors and the general public on the potentials of renewable energy and energy efficiency in Africa

**SCOPE OF WORKSHOP**

- State-of-the-art lectures to be delivered by seasoned experts in renewable energy in such areas as:
  - Sea Water desalination
  - Solar drying (food & cash crops, Fish etc)
  - Solar Water Heating
  - Photovoltaic application (water pumping, telecommunication, vaccine refrigeration etc)
  - Biofuel production & utilization (bioethanol, biogas, biodiesel etc)
  - Small hydro power generation
  - Energy Efficiency Management & Environment.

- Renewable Energy System Development in Africa.
- Wind & meteorology etc.

- Practical Training on the construction of RE systems devices
- Country Response from invited resource persons and participants.
- Renewable Energy Market in Africa

**TARGET PARTICIPANTS**

Policy makers, Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Companies, Relevant Government Organisations dealing with Energy issues, Environmental Experts and NGOs; Heads of academic departments and research institutes, lecturers, researchers, postgraduate and undergraduate students in Engineering and Physical Sciences of tertiary institutions involved in Renewable Energy Technologies, Public and Private Agencies.

**CALL FOR PAPERS**

Abstract of not more than 250 words must be submitted by email before 30<sup>th</sup> May 2010 to the following address:

Professor J.C. Agunwamba  
Department of Civil Engineering  
University of Nigeria, Nsukka  
email: [icagunwamba@yahoo.com](mailto:icagunwamba@yahoo.com)

Once accepted, a full length paper should be prepared following the format stipulated below. Deadline for submission of full length papers is 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2010.

**The Full Length Paper**

The title of the paper, names of the author(s) with a complete return address of the corresponding author (including email address) must appear at the top of the front page followed by an abstract typed with 1.5 line spacing and not exceeding 250 words, introduction, materials and method(s), result and discussion, conclusion, acknowledgments and list of references.

### The Manuscript

All manuscripts must be written in English with a margin of 3.0cm on the left and 2.5 cm on the right while observing 1.5 line spacing. The entire article should be prepared as an MS/Word document with two columns per page (except the abstract). Headings must be short, clearly defined and not numbered.

### Illustration And Figures

Figures, tables, charts and diagrams should include titles and be provided with minimum shading and numbered consecutively using Arabic Numerals.

### REFERENCES

The surname (date) method of referencing should be adopted throughout the manuscript.

### REGISTRATION FEE

A registration fee of 40,000 Naira (US\$260) per participant payable in cash or bank draft in favour of "National Centre for Energy Research and Development, UNN" can be received at the registration desk or online payment through:

**First Bank Nig. Plc.**

**Account No:** 4012030003308

**Account Name:** National Centre for Energy Research & Development, University of Nigeria, Nsukka.

Full payment entitles the participant to a workshop bag, course materials, access to workshop computing facilities, tea/coffee breaks and some local transportation. Student registration fee of 15,000 Naira (US\$100) applies only to full-time students who must present valid identification. A student participant is entitled to only the course materials.

### INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPANTS

Take a flight to Nnamdi Azikiwe International Airport, Abuja, and take airport taxi to the Venue.

### HOTELS

Reservation can be made for intending participants who place a request not more than two weeks before the workshop and who will arrive before 6pm on Sunday, 25th July, 2010. Information on available hotels can be obtained at the registration desk

### International Advisory Committee

**Prof. O.U. Oparaku, NCERD,UNN (Nig.)**

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Organisation:.....

Address:.....

Tel:.....

Mobile:.....

Fax:.....

Number of Participants:.....

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### HOTEL RESERVATION? (YES/NO)

#### Types:

1. Single Room - (YES/NO)  
Number Required .....

2. Double Room - (YES/NO)  
Number Required .....

3. Suit - (YES/NO)  
Number Required .....