



INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL ON LARGE ELECTRIC SYSTEMS

Colloquium - HVDC and Power Electronics:

Enhancing the Transmission Networks

Brisbane Australia

19-21 October 2011

Organised by the CIGRE Study Committee on HVDC and Power Electronics and the CIGRE Australian National Committee

Colloquium venue

Considered to be one of the most vibrant and fastest growing centres in Australia today, Brisbane is Australia's third largest city and the state capital of Queensland. What makes Brisbane Australia's 'most liveable' city is climate, geography and natural beauty. There are the amenities you would expect from a large urbanized city, some of this country's most beautiful beaches, as well as national parks and waterways.



Introducing the 2011 Brisbane Colloquium

Australia, New Zealand, and the South East Asian region have been pioneering the adaptation of HVDC and power electronics since 1965. Home to numerous HVDC links and power electronics-based transmission control devices, the region is also applying these technologies to harvest energy from renewable resources, and transmission to geographically dispersed load centres.

The CIGRE HVDC and Power Electronics (B4) study committee is meeting in Australia in 2011, and in conjunction with this meeting is organising a colloquium in Brisbane, Australia.

Colloquium overview

The colloquium will cover a range of topics encompassing the challenges that transmission networks presently face or are likely to face in the future, and the role HVDC and power electronics will play in meeting those challenges. The colloquium will include topics involving technological developments, operational experiences, challenges and solutions for meeting existing and future energy needs, and vision and strategies for development of future networks.

Who should attend

The colloquium will be informative and beneficial for generating companies, transmission and distribution system planners, designers, operators, asset owners and managers, equipment developers and manufacturers, research institutions and universities, and policy makers and regulators.

For more information and updates, please see: <http://cigre.org.au/events/Web/>



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2011 Colloquium and Tutorials, 19-21 October 2011

Location: Novotel Brisbane, 200 Creek Street, Brisbane, Queensland 4000, Australia.

Cost (in Australian dollars):	Tutorial Only	Colloquium Only	Tutorial and Colloquium
CIGRE Members	\$ 550	\$1,100	\$1,500
Non-Members	\$ 635	\$1,265	\$1,725
Early Bird Registrations (before 10 September 2011)			
CIGRE Members	\$495	\$990	\$1,350
Non-Members	\$550	\$1,100	\$1,500
	Delegates Included	Partners	
Colloquium Dinner		\$130	
Brisbane Partners Tour		\$145	

Registration

Delegate

Name: _____

Name on badge: _____

Organisation: _____ Position: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail: _____

CIGRE Membership Number: _____

Please tick what you want to attend (please circle):

Tutorial 1: Introduction to HVDC (Wednesday 19 October)	Yes	No	OR
Tutorial 2: HVAC and HVDC Grids (Wednesday 19 October)	Yes	No	
Colloquium (Thursday 20 and Friday 21 October)	Yes	No	
Dinner (Thursday 20 October)	Yes	No	
Dietary requirements (please circle):	Chicken	Beef	Vegetarian

Partner

Name: _____

Name on badge: _____

Attending colloquium dinner (Thursday 20 October): _____ Yes No

Dietary requirements (please circle): _____ Chicken Beef Vegetarian

Attending Brisbane partners tour (Thursday 20 October): _____ Yes No

Your signature: _____

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The registration fee includes morning and afternoon teas, Seminar Dinner, a light lunch on each day, and seminar materials.

Cancellation: Any registration cancellation must be made in writing. An administration charge of \$40 will be levied for any cancellation received up to 2 weeks before the event commences. There will be no refund for any cancellation made less than 2 weeks before the event commences. A substitute or replacement is always welcome at no additional charge.

Visa Requirements

International visitors may require a valid visa for entry into Australia. Please ensure you check with your travel advisor regarding visa requirements (if any) prior to travelling to Australia.

If you require a letter of invitation to support your visa application, please contact the secretary, Australian National Committee of Cigre by e-mail at anc@cigre.org.au. You are encouraged to make your visa application as early as possible.

Method of payment (payment is required prior to the event)

Name of Delegate: _____

1. My cheque/purchase order for _____ is enclosed (Payable to The Australian National Committee of CIGRE) or

2. Please debit my (circle one) MasterCard/Visa
For the amount of: \$ _____ Card No _____ / _____ / _____ / _____ Expiry date: ____ / ____

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EMAIL YOUR COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO: scb4meeting@cigre.org.au

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