



The International Energy Agency Clean Coal Sciences Agreement Is Pleased to Announce their 26th Meeting

A Technical Session on Enabling Technologies For Clean Coal Combustion April 19-20, 2007, Essen, Germany

The Clean Coal Sciences Implementing Agreement of the International Energy Agency (IEA/CCS) embraces a wide range of activities associated with coal combustion and includes participation from 12 countries. The next technical session of the IEA/CCS will be held in Essen, Germany, hosted by VGB PowerTech e.V. This meeting will be held to coordinate with the VGB Conference "Power Plants in Competition", to be held from the 24th to the 26th of April in Hamburg, Germany (for information, http://www.vgb.org/KIW_2006_e.html).

The IEA/CCS meeting, the technical session, power plant visits and executive committee meeting will be held April 19-20, 2007. The organizers plan to have a technical session which will include presentations from both the scientific and industrial communities of the contracting parties from the 12 participating countries in the IEA/CCS: Australia, Canada, Denmark, Germany, Italy, Japan, Mexico, the Netherlands, South Africa, Sweden, the United Kingdom and the United States. To this end you are invited to send the topic of your presentation to either of the addresses below.

The Technical Session:

The Technical Session is being organized to address research in the participating countries on coal combustion with an emphasis on clean coal combustion issues. Suggested topics are: sensors, burner technologies, fuel blending and switching, computational fluid dynamics & experimental verification, neural nets and chemometrics, in-flame emission reductions and capture technologies. The presentations will be about 20 minutes long with time for questions.

The Agenda and Programme:

The agenda and programme have not been established as yet. You are invited to send the topic for your presentation as soon as possible.

You will be contacted concerning local arrangements, transportation, hotels and any other requirements soon.

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