

United States Association for Energy Economics

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What is it?

- Mission Statement
 - The United States Association for Energy Economics is a non-profit organization of business, government, academic and other professionals that advances the understanding and application of economics across all facets of energy development and use, including theory, business, public policy and environmental considerations.

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In essence, what is it?

- A society for energy economists
 - All major areas of energy, not just electricity
- From all sectors of the economy

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Organizational Structure

- An affiliate of IAEE
 - IAEE is the international version of USAEE
 - IAEE has 27 affiliates around the world
- Oversees regional chapters
 - 10 regional chapters
 - Pittsburgh doesn't have one...anybody want to fix this?

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Rebeca Jiménez-Rodríguez

It Never Rains but it Pours: Modeling the Persistence of Spikes in Electricity Prices

Timothy Christensen, Stan Hurn and Kenneth Lindsay

An Assessment of the Inflationary Impact of Oil Shocks in the Euro Area

Pascal Jacquinot, Mika Katsmanen, Ricardo Mestre and Martin Spitzer

Retail Gasoline Price Cycles: Evidence from Guelph, Ontario

Using Bi-Hourly, Station-Specific Retail Price Data

Benjamin Atkinson

Oil Sands Royalties and Taxes in Alberta:

An Assessment of Key Developments since the mid-1990s

André Plourde

Depletion and the Future Availability of Petroleum Resources

Roberto F. Aguilera, Roderick G. Eggert, Gustavo Lagos C.C. and John E. Tilton

Book Reviews

The Econometrics of Energy Systems, edited by Jan Horst Keppler,

Regis Bourbonnais, and Jacques Girod

Ramón Alvarado

Les Controverses de L'énergie: Fossile, Hydroélectrique, Nucléaire, Renouvelable

by Franco Romero

Michel Roland

Competitive Electricity Markets: Design, Implementation, Performance

Edited by Fereidoon P. Sioshansi

David Newbery

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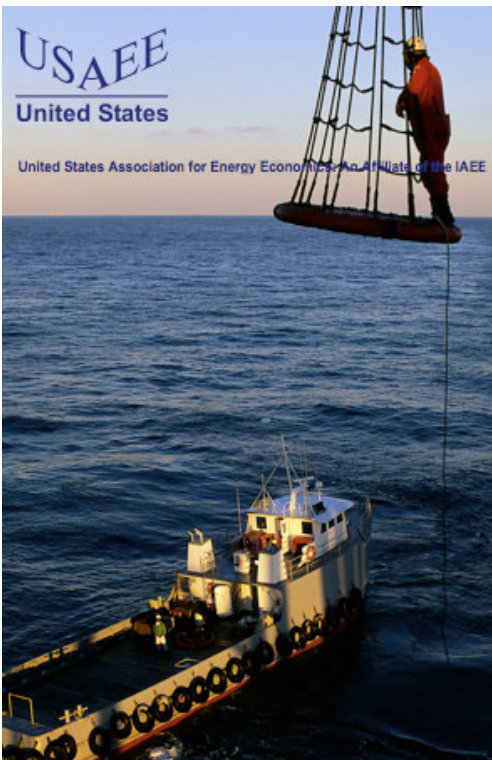
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USAAEE Mission Statement

The United States Association for Energy Economics is a nationwide non-profit organization of business, government, academic and other professionals that advances the understanding and application of economics across all facets of energy development and use, including theory, business, public policy, and environmental considerations.

To this end, the United States Association for Energy Economics:

- Provides a forum that includes practitioners, teachers and students of energy economics and related disciplines for the exchange of ideas, advances and professional experiences.
- Promotes the development and education of energy professionals.
- Fosters an improved understanding of energy economics and energy related issues by all interested parties.

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Student Opportunities and Benefits

- San Francisco Conference
 - Scholarship
 - Waives the conference fee, easy to apply for
 - Best paper award
 - Anyone who presents at the conference is eligible, 10 students can win but competition stiff. Winners get \$500 and bragging rights
 - Room sharing
 - A service to match students with other students to reduce the cost of hotel rooms
 - Alternative hotel
 - Reduced room rates at a hotel near the Grand Hyatt, easy to apply for and just for students.
 - Resume Book
 - Help students find a job or internship.

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Resume Book

- Looking for a job?
 - Send resume to warren@cmu.edu
 - Subject line : Resume for IAEE Conference
- Looking to hire?
 - Send email to warren@cmu.edu
 - Subject line : Resume Book Request

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How to get involved with USAEE

- Become a member
 - \$100 to join, \$40 for students
 - Automatically a member of IAEE
 - Get the Energy Journal with membership
- Facebook
 - Interact with other students and members on facebook
 - Learn about upcoming events
- Volunteer
 - USAEE could always use help organizing conferences
- Participate in a local chapter
 - Or start one

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Questions?

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