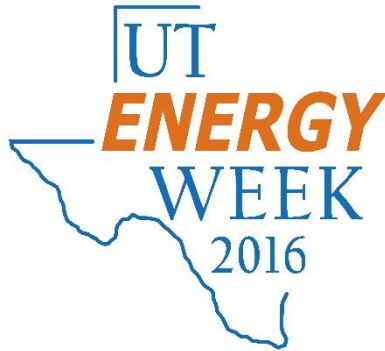


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A FOUR-DAY CONFERENCE ON ENERGY TECHNOLOGY AND POLICY ISSUES, WITH WORKSHOPS, DEMOS, TRAINING COURSES, COMPETITIONS AND OTHER ENERGY-RELATED ACTIVITIES

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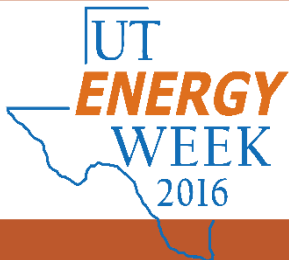
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Why?

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- To showcase UT as *the* premier Energy Research University and to encourage industry, government and other researchers to think of UT first when they think of energy research.
 - To feature our students and Longhorn Energy Club volunteers through their visible participation in conference sessions and interactions with potential employers.
 - To foster a positive image of UT with K-12 educators and the general public by organizing free-registration events on current energy issues.



Day 1: Mexico's Electric Power Sector Reform: The Role of Natural Gas and Renewables

- Electric Power Reform and Renewables
- The Role of Natural Gas
- Growing the Renewable Energy and Cleantech Industries on Both Sides of the Texas-Mexico Border (CleanTX evening reception)



Day 2: Energy & Society

Morning:

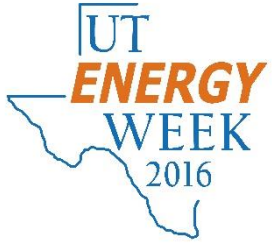
- Energy-Food Nexus
- Water Initiatives in Texas

Afternoon:

- Science of Fracking and Regulatory Response
- Powering the Cities of the Future

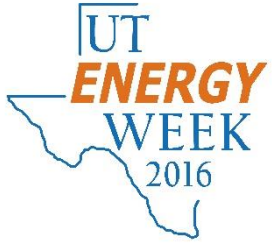
Evening:

- Networking reception with Energy Thought Summit



Day 3: Utilities & The Grid

- Storage and Grid Management
- De-Carbonizing the Grid
- Electricity Financing
- Future of Nuclear Power
- Findings from latest UT Energy Poll
- Judging of Energy Startup and Poster Competitions
- Competition Awards Reception (evening)



Day 4: Challenges in the Oil and Gas Industry

Morning:

- Improvements in operations and technology
- Energy and Finance

Afternoon:

- Energy and Geopolitics
- Impact of Low Oil Prices

Reception sponsored by Texas Exes



Affiliated Events

- Annual Workshop on Electrochemistry
- ICES: Integrated Computing Workshop on Computation & Energy
- Center for Electromechanics: 21st Century Grid Workshop
- Environmental Science Institute K-12 Teachers Program
- Startup and Research Poster Competition