

# Second Announcement and Call for Submissions

## International Symposium on Energy Saving and Renewable Energy Technologies for Buildings

As symposium 5 of the  
**Second International Conference on Sustainable Urbanization (ICSU 2015)**  
7-9 January 2015, Hong Kong, China

Organized by  
Research Institute for Sustainable Urban Development (RISUD) &  
Faculty of Construction and Environment (FCE), The Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
Website: <http://www.polyu.edu.hk/risud/ICSU2015/>

### Aim and Scope of the Symposium

The 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Sustainable Urbanization (ICSU) is co-organized by Research Institute for Sustainable Urban Development (RISUD) and Faculty of Construction and Environment (FCE), The Hong Kong Polytechnic University (PolyU). Among the five symposia of the ICSU2015, Symposium 5 focuses on "Energy Saving and Renewable Energy Technologies for Buildings". Scientists, academics, engineers, government officers, policy-makers, students and the stakeholders in contributing strategies to the myriad of "energy and buildings" are welcome to meet in Hong Kong to share their knowledge and visions for the future of energy in buildings. Contributions are invited on the topics related to energy conservation in buildings, energy demand of HVACR systems, green buildings, renewable energy application in buildings and other relevant areas.

### Organisation Committee

**Chairman:** Professor H Yang, Department of Building Services Engineering, The Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
**Members:** Dr. M Ni, Prof. J Niu, Prof. S Lee, Prof. S Wang, Dr. L Lu, Dr. X Xiao

### Keynote Speakers

- Prof. Henrik Lund, Professor in Aalborg University, Denmark, Editor-in-Chief of Elsevier Journal ENERGY
- Prof. Jane Davidson, Professor in University of Minnesota, USA, and Director of the Solar Energy Laboratory (invited, but not confirmed)
- Prof. Tianshou Zhao, Chair Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Director of the HKUST Energy Institute, Hong Kong
- Prof. S.H. Chan, Professor in NTU, Singapore, Co-director of Energy Institute and Deputy Director of Maritime Institute
- Prof. Falin Chen, Professor in National Taiwan University, Taiwan, and Director General of the Energy Research Center
- Prof. Xinhua Xu, Professor in Huazhong University of Science and Technology, China
- Mr. Bin Hao, Senior Officer, Centre of Science Development and Promotion, Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development, China

### Journal Paper Publication

High quality full papers and abstracts/ppt presentations (for abstract submissions only) will be selected for submitting detailed full papers after the conference for recommendation of publication in the prestigious International Journal of Applied Energy (Impact Factor 2013: 5.261).

### Important Dates

Interested authors are invited to submit abstracts via the [online system](#) on or before **15 Oct 2014**. It is important to correctly indicate the Symposium to which your abstract is submitted.

#### Deadlines for submissions

**15 Oct 2014** (extended deadline) Submission of abstracts  
1 Nov 2014 onwards Notification of review outcome

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Further information about the conference and the symposium: <http://www.polyu.edu.hk/risud/ICSU2015/>

