

	Monday 19 February	Tuesday 20 February	Wednesday 21 February
8.45am	Registration		
9am	Introduction Emilson Silva , Energy Centre	Current and future strategies on energy demand and management Jack Ballagh , Fonterra	Electricity markets policy: How government works Tamara Linnhoff , Ministry of Business, Innovation and Employment (MBIE)
9.45am	COP28: A recap provided by BEC Tina Schirr , BusinessNZ Energy Council (BEC)	The electricity market, regulation, and decarbonisation – the consumer perspective* Alan Eyes , New Zealand Steel	The national grid Joel Cook , Transpower
10.30-11am	Morning tea, room 041		
11am	Gas matters Nick Hannan , Gas New Zealand	Energy and business digital twins Brent Young , University of Auckland	A smart distributed energy future Eric Pyle , Solarzero
11.45am	New Zealand electricity market David Reeve , Whiteboard Energy Association	Offshore wind industry in New Zealand Tom Young , BlueFloat	Unlocking maximum value from New Zealand's distributed energy resources James Tipping , Vector
12.30-1.30pm	Lunch, room 041		
1.30pm	Energy hardship interventions in Aotearoa Luiza Brabo-Catala , University of Waikato	Household energy use: How much and when, now and in the future Gareth Gretton , Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority (EECA)	New Zealand's (future) electricity system: Power without carbon? Marcel Podstolski , Meridian Energy
2.15-2.30pm	Afternoon tea, room 041		
2.30pm	Solar energy and energy hardship Manu Barrett , Solar Sense	Building retrofit Luis Medrano Gomez , University of Auckland	Next generation batteries Geoff Waterhouse , University of Auckland
3.15pm	Community energy and innovation Briony Bennett , Ara Ake	Artificial intelligence Esther Tomkinson , Mercury	TIMES-NZ: Future energy sector scenarios Gareth Gretton , Energy Efficiency and Conservation Authority (EECA)
4pm		Finish – Networking and canapés	

*Closed session – members of the press are not to be present and recording devices are not to be used.