





Energy Day

The Role of Battery Storage Systems in our Future Energy Mix

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FOSS, Research Centre for Sustainable Energy, University of Cyprus, Nicosia

Cyprus' reliable sunshine makes it an ideal location for using Photovoltaics (PV) and thus making electricity generation and management of our own resources possible for everyone. In the near future, a considerable amount of intermittent solar generators will be connected in the electrical grid posing new challenges, in terms of secure and reliable grid operation. Therefore, it is crucial to boost PV self-consumption through optimal storage solution. The storage system allows the user to increase self-consumption from PV generation whilst controlling the amount of PV energy injected into the grid, thus not only avoiding grid congestion but also allowing for more PV installations. Citizens can turn into active prosumers, enabling the effective use of electricity grids, providing cost-effective options for a more affordable and sustainable energy supply. Empowering consumers to be active not only has a positive impact on the electricity network, but also our environment in general. We think big, start small, from residential, rural regions.

Join us for the 'Energy Day' to learn more about the latest developments in battery storage systems.

AGENDA

17.00 – 17.15	Registration and Welcome Coffee	
17.15 – 17.30	Introduction to PV + Energy Storage Systems (ESS) Welcome note by the director of FOSS, and introduction to current PV+ESS application.	Prof G.E.Georghiou
17.30 – 18.00	Different Configurations and System Implementation Present the different topologies of PV+ESS, the implemented systems in Cyprus and preliminary results.	Mr N. Chatzigeorgiou
18.00 – 18.30	Demonstration of FOSS PV+ESS Pilot Interactive. Participants will be shown how the PV+ESS pilot at PV Technology Lab works.	Mr N. Chatzigeorgiou / Dr K. Panagiotou
18.30 – 19.00	Where is the PV+ESS heading to? Discuss the future exploitation of residential PV+ESS.	Dr K. Panagiotou
19.00 – 19.15	Closing Remarks	Prof G.E.Georghiou

The event will take place at the Photovoltaic Park, University of Cyprus (see map attached) and is free and open to public. The event is limited to 20 places.

RSVP by 03 June 2019 via email: foss@ucy.ac.cy or telephone: 22-892211.







