Energy Safety and Control Lab

Short Course on

Design and Implementation of Resilient and High Performance Interconnected Micro Energy Grids

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Dr. Hossam Gaber, is a Professor in the Faculty of Energy Systems and Nuclear Science, and the Faculty of Engineering and Applied Science (cross-appointed) at the University of Ontario Institute of Technology (UOIT), and the Director of the Energy Safety & Control Lab at UOIT. He is a world-leading scholar in the fields of smart energy grid engineering and process systems engineering, with focus on plasma engineering, micro energy grids, and energy safety and control. He is Fellow RAMSP and Senior Member of IEEE. He is the founding Chair of Toronto Chapter of the IEEE Nuclear & Plasma Science Society, and the founding Chair of the Technical Committee on Intelligent Green Production Systems at IEEE, Systems, Man, & Cybernetics Society. Dr. Gaber is the chair and co-founder of the Symposium on Plasma and Nuclear Systems, and the founder of the IEEE International Conference on Smart Energy Grid Engineering. He serves as the Editor-in-Chief of the International Journal of Process Systems Engineering. He also founded the Reliability, Availability, Maintainability, and Safety Professionals (RAMSP) Society, and currently serves as its VP, Safety. Dr. Gaber has successfully managed the completion of 57 theses, has more than 212 academic journal publications to his name, holds several inventions/patents, has published several books, and is regularly invited as a speaker at international symposiums and conferences. His previous successfully completed projects include Modeling & Simulation of Green Hybrid Energy Production / Supply Chains With Grid Integration, Automated Control Recipe Design for Flexible Chemical Batch Production Plants, Biomass Production Chain Planning, and Plastic Production Chain with Recycling. Dr. Gaber's expertise, broad experience, research background, and general knowledge, all relate extremely well to the project, and the project will benefit immensely from his direction and involvement.

Agenda: Day-1: 9am – 5pm

- Opening
- Introduction to Smart Energy Grids
- Micro Energy Grid (MEG) Planning
- Gas-Power Grids and Technologies
- CHP Integration
- Renewable Energy Integration
- Interconnected MEG Design, Operation
- Control Strategies of MEG and Interconnected MEGs
- Intelligent Control Systems and System Architecture
- Performance Optimization of Interconnected MEGs
- MEG Implementations in Buildings, Infrastructures and Transportation
- Case Studies and Discussions

Agenda: Day-2: 9am – 5pm

- Resilient MEGs
- Risk Management for Energy Grid Infrastructures
- Hazard and Risk Analysis Techniques
- Safety Design and Protection Layers
- Fault Tolerant Control Systems
- Self-Healing Mechanisms
- Real Time Safety Verification
- Case Studies and Discussions
- Exam and Certification
- Closing