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## Cal Poly Power and Energy Conference to be Held May 9

SAN LUIS OBISPO — The fourth annual Cal Poly Power and Energy Conference will explore future power and energy technologies with leading industry and faculty experts. The event will cover topics including a range of topics, including renewable resources, smart grids, and Cal Poly's new role in shaping the future of wave energy.

The event, which is free and open to the public, will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, May 9, in the Advanced Technology Laboratories (Building 7) on campus.

The all-day conference is administrated by the Cal Poly IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) Power and Energy Society, the Cal Poly Electrical Power Institute and the Cal Poly Electrical Engineering Department. It is sponsored by Southern California Edison.

Industry speakers include:

- William Toman, Pacific Marine Renewables, "CalWave: Building a Wave Energy Test Center in California"
- Paul Delaney and Jay Madden, Southern California Edison, "Electricity's Future in Southern California"
- Jon Eric Thalman, Pacific Gas and Electric, "Utility Scale Energy Storage Monetization"

Student projects will be featured at noon as part of an hour-long meet-and-greet luncheon.

The full schedule is available  
at [http://www.ee.calpoly.edu/media/uploads/resources/PEC-2014\\_Conference\\_Program.pdf](http://www.ee.calpoly.edu/media/uploads/resources/PEC-2014_Conference_Program.pdf).

For maps and parking information, go to <http://maps.calpoly.edu>.

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