

Energy Efficiency as a Resource Conference

Program at a Glance — *Tentative*

Grand Hyatt Denver | Denver, CO | October 7–9, 2025

Tuesday, October 7

2:00 – 7:00 pm Registration

3:00 – 5:00 pm Concurrent Workshops

Residential Thermal Energy Storage for Load Shifting: A Collaborative Ideation Session on Utility Strategies to Deliver Value to Customers and the Grid

Closing the Equity Gap in Utility Energy Efficiency Programming

5:00 – 7:00 pm IEPEC/EER Joint Reception

Wednesday, October 8

7:00 am – 7:00 pm Registration

7:00 – 8:15 am Breakfast

8:30 – 9:45 am Welcome & Keynote: Spotlight on Colorado Energy Policy Leadership

9:45 – 10:00 am Networking Break

10:00 – 11:30 am Plenary Panel – Regional Roundup

11:30 – 12:45 pm Lunch & Keynote: Integrative Policy Strategies in Illinois to Deliver Efficient and Affordable Energy to Consumers

12:45 – 1:45 pm Concurrent Sessions

Track 1

Track 2

Track 3

Track 4

1A. Intelligent and Efficient Approaches to Data Centers

2A. Technical and Programmatic Approaches to Flexible Load Programs

3A. Innovative State Policy for Efficiency and Electrification

4A. Addressing Unaffordable Energy: Maximizing Impacts of Energy Efficiency Programs

1:45 – 2:30 pm Networking Break

2:30 – 3:30 pm		Concurrent Sessions	
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
1B. Demand-Side Strategies for Mitigating Load Growth	2B. Using AI to Improve Program Delivery	3B. Programs and Regulation: Delivering Affordable Efficiency and Flexibility	4B. Leveraging Community Partnerships to Deliver Effective Energy Efficiency Programs
3:30 – 4:00 pm		Networking Break	
4:00 – 5:00 pm		Concurrent Sessions	
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
1C. Policy Strategies for Scaling Efficient Electric Solutions in the Industrial Sector	2C. Evaluation Strategies for Today's Demand-Side Management Challenges	3C. Quantifying Efficiency's Non-Energy Benefits	4C. Addressing Unaffordable Energy: Reaching Customers
5:00 – 7:00 pm		Reception & Poster Session	
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Thursday, October 9			
7:00 am – 5:00 pm		Registration	
7:00 – 8:15 am		Breakfast	
8:30 – 10:00 am		Concurrent Sessions	
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Innovative Approaches to Managing Data Center Demand			
10:00 – 10:30 am		Networking Break	
10:30 – 11:30 am		Concurrent Sessions	
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
1D. Heat Pumps: Upgrading to Efficient Electric Appliances	2D. Residential Demand Response and Energy Efficiency Programs	3D. Efficiency Solutions for an Electrified Future	4D. Behavioral Energy Efficiency Programs
11:30 – 11:45 am		Networking Break	
11:45 – 1:00 pm		Lunch	

1:00 – 2:00 pm		Concurrent Sessions	
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
1E. Industrial Energy Efficiency Programs	2E. Scaling Efficiency and Flexibility Solutions with AI and Virtual Power Plants	3E. Demand-Side Value in the Changing Energy Landscape	4E. Delivering Effective Efficiency Programs for Small Businesses
2:00 – 2:30 pm		Networking Break	
2:30 – 3:30 pm		Concurrent Sessions	
Track 1	Track 2	Track 3	Track 4
1F. Commercial Efficiency and Demand Response Opportunities	2F. Energy Efficiency Needs a Paradigm Shift	3F. Advancing Efficiency Through Modeling and New Business Models	4F. Whole-Home Retrofits for Energy Efficiency
3:30 – 4:00 pm		Networking Break	
4:00 – 5:00 pm		Closing Plenary: The Value of Demand Side Management for Economically and Cleanly Managing Load Growth	