

New Energy Solutions for Industry

SCIENTIFIC INSIGHTS, TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION
AND THE FUTURE OF INDUSTRIAL ENERGY

24–26 August 2026

SEMINAR
& WORKSHOP

The seminar will take place at
the University Auditorium (UA 178),
VSB – Technical University of Ostrava.



Speakers

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Topics for discussion

- **Advanced Energy Storage Technologies**
Next-generation battery storage, thermal energy storage, long-duration energy storage and their importance for the stability of industrial operations.
- **New Materials and the Future of Photovoltaics**
The development of perovskite solar cells, integrated photovoltaics, advanced semiconductor materials and their potential industrial applications.
- **Hydrogen and Synthetic Fuels**
The potential of green hydrogen in industry, including production, storage, transport and its role in hard-to-abate sectors.
- **Next-Generation Nuclear Energy**
Small modular reactors, advanced reactor concepts and their possible role in securing stable, low low-emission energy for industry.
- **Waste Heat Recovery and Industrial Symbiosis**
Modern heat recovery methods, high high-temperature heat pumps, sharing of energy flows between companies and integration into local energy networks.
- **Artificial Intelligence and Digital Energy Management**
Predictive energy control, digital twins, optimisation of energy flows, automation and data-driven energy management in industrial environments.
- **Carbon Technologies and Circular Industry**
Carbon capture, utilisation and storage, new materials, product carbon footprinting and pathways towards low low-emission industrial production.
- **Future Energy Systems and Industrial Transformation**
Emerging trends in energy systems, decentralisation, digitalisation, demand and demand-side flexibility and the changing role of industrial companies within the energy grid.

Lab -Workshops

- POLYMER COMPOSITES
FOR ENERGY-RELATED
APPLICATIONS
- FATIGUE OF MATERIALS
- BATTERY COMPONENTS,
CELL ASSEMBLY, AND
ELECTROCHEMICAL TESTING
- SPECTROSCOPIC
ELLIPSOMETRY
CHARACTERIZATION
OF NANOMATERIALS
AND THIN FILMS
- OPTICS IN PRACTICE:
ADVANCED SENSORS AND
SECURITY APPLICATIONS
- EXFOLIATED 2D GRAPHITE

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