

Friday May 24th

3<sup>rd</sup> Section: 12:45 – 13:45

Topic: “RES networks and development”

Speakers' CVs:



Δημήτριος Μίχος

Ο Δημήτριος Μίχος είναι διδάκτωρ και διπλωματούχος Ηλεκτρολόγος Μηχανικός και Μηχανικός Υπολογιστών του Εθνικού Μετσόβιου Πολυτεχνείου. Από το 1993 εργάστηκε, καταρχάς στη ΔΕΗ και κατόπιν στον ΔΕΣΜΗΕ και στον ΑΔΜΗΕ, απασχολούμενος στους τομείς σχεδιασμού, ανάπτυξης και υποστήριξης της λειτουργίας του Ελληνικού Συστήματος Μεταφοράς Ηλεκτρικής Ενέργειας και της

αγοράς ηλεκτρικής ενέργειας στη χώρα. Έχει συγγράψει μεγάλο αριθμό επιστημονικών δημοσιεύσεων και έχει συμμετάσχει ως εισηγητής σε σημαντικά διεθνή επιστημονικά συνέδρια.

Τον Δεκέμβριο 2020 ανέλαβε τη θέση του Γενικού Διευθυντή Λειτουργίας, Υποδομών & Αγοράς του ΑΔΜΗΕ και μέλος του Διοικητικού Συμβουλίου της εταιρείας ΑΡΙΑΔΝΗ Interconnection Α.Ε.Ε.Σ. Προηγουμένως, κατείχε τη θέση του Τεχνικού Διευθυντή της θυγατρικής εταιρείας του ΑΔΜΗΕ, «Αριάδνη Interconnection». Τα προηγούμενα έτη είχε διατελέσει Διευθυντής Συστημάτων & Υποδομών των Κέντρων Ελέγχου Ενέργειας και Διευθυντής Στρατηγικής και Σχεδιασμού Ανάπτυξης Συστήματος.

Την περίοδο 2013-2017 διετέλεσε Πρόεδρος της Ελληνικής Επιτροπής CIGRE (Διεθνές Επιστημονικό Σωματείο Μεγάλων Ηλεκτρικών Δικτύων), της οποίας αποτελεί Διακεκριμένο Μέλος. Επίσης, συμμετείχε και προήδρευσε σε ομάδες εργασίας του Ευρωπαϊκού Συνδέσμου Διαχειριστών Συστημάτων Μεταφοράς Ηλεκτρικής Ενέργειας (ENTSO-E), καθώς επίσης ήταν μέλος της Επιτροπής Ενέργειας του Τεχνικού Επιμελητηρίου Ελλάδας (ΤΕΕ). Τα έτη 2004-2010 διατέλεσε μέλος του Διοικητικού Συμβουλίου του ΔΕΣΜΗΕ ως εκπρόσωπος των εργαζομένων και στο διάστημα Σεπτέμβριος 2021 – Ιούνιος 2023 διετέλεσε μέλος του Διοικητικού Συμβουλίου της εταιρείας Ελληνικό Χρηματιστήριο Ενέργειας.

## Paris Frantzeskakis

Paris Frantzeskakis, Mechanical Engineer, is the Senior Manager of the Technical Department in DESFA (Asset Management Division). A graduate of the National Technical University of Athens, he holds a Degree in Mechanical Engineering and a Master's (MSc) in Finite Element Analysis. With 15 years of experience in the Oil & Gas industry, he is a member of the Technical Chamber of Greece as well as of several European Organizations related to the Natural Gas sector.



Mr Frantzeskakis possesses strong expertise in design, analysis, and project management, leveraging from extensive experience in challenging projects. He is always managing cross-functional teams to deliver projects on time and within budget, fostering collaboration and driving efficiency. Mr. Frantzeskakis has been involved in most hydrogen related projects of the National Natural Gas System including but not limited to the assessment of its capability to accommodate blend. He is also actively involved in a series of studies and simulations to ensure a smooth transition to a decarbonized future.

He speaks fluent English, while his mother tongue is Greek.

## Yannis Kabouris

Yannis Kabouris was born in Athens in 1962. He holds a Diploma in Electrical Engineering (1985) and a PhD (1992), both from the National Technical University of Athens. From 1991 until 2001 he worked in the Public Power Corporation (PPC) - System Studies Department. In 2001 he joined the Hellenic Transmission System Operator (HTSO) where he has served as Head of the Development Studies Section, as Assistant Director for the System Planning Department and as Director for the System Planning Department. In 2011 he joined the Independent Power Transmission Operator of Greece (IPTO) serving as Director at the CEO office, as Director of the Transmission System Planning Department, as Chief Executive Officer, as Member of BoD of IPTO S.A., as Chief Officer for Operation, Infrastructures and Market and as



Director for Foreign Affairs. He was also an Associate Professor at the University of West Attica (2002 to 2011).

Currently, he serves as CEO of SEleNe CC and as Vice President of MeD-TSO.

Yannis Kabouris participated in several Entso-E bodies and activities: Member of SDC, SOC & RDIC, Governor of RG-SEE, Member of Grid Codes Working Groups; etc., Member of Ten Year Network Development Planning Group, Investigation of 4th November 2006 event (head of study team for SEE)

His main fields of expertise include Power System studies and Analysis (static and dynamic), Generation and Transmission Planning, Integration of renewables into power systems, Development of Interconnectors, Generation adequacy, Market development, and operation, Energy Management systems and Control Centers, National and International Electricity Market Regulation and Research & Development strategies. He has published more than 150 papers on the above-mentioned topics. He has also participated in more than 40 international research projects.

He is the Chairman of the CIGRE National Committee of Greece. He is a member of CIGRE and IEEE. He also gained the SWAN PREMIUM AWARD (2002).

## Charles Esser

Charles Esser has been Secretary General of E.DSO, the European Association of Distribution System Operators since December 2023. E.DSO's membership consists of large and medium-size electricity DSOs. Previously, Mr Esser was Secretary General of the Council of European Energy Regulators (CEER) for four-and-a-half years, working in another position at CEER previous to that that



focused on DSOs and retail energy markets. Before working for CEER, he was an independent consultant and freelance journalist with a wide variety of clients. Earlier in his career he was an analyst with the International Energy Agency (IEA), the International Crisis Group in Brussels and the U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA). Mr Esser is a graduate of the Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS).

## Georgios Stasimiotis

Mr. Georgios Stasimiotis holds a diploma in Mechanical Engineering (2008) from the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki / University of Western Macedonia. He has postgraduate specialization in Renewable Energy Sources (RES) and Business Administration from the University of Freiburg in Germany. During his stay in Freiburg, he worked as a scientific associate at Fraunhofer ISE, the leading research center for Solar Energy technologies. In 2015, alongside his professional career, he expanded his knowledge in Economics and Business Administration, graduating in 2017 from the internationally recognized Executive M.B.A. program at the Athens University of Economics and Business. With over 13 years of professional experience in the fields of Photovoltaics, Wind Energy, and Energy Conservation, he has served as an executive and he is entrepreneurially active involved in the design and construction of RES projects, energy production, and trading participating in more than 500 RES projects at various stages of development. Additionally, since 2013, he has been entrepreneurially active in Western Macedonia, particularly in the Kozani Prefecture. He currently holds the position of General Technical Director at Mesogeios Energeiaki S.A., member of Mesogeios Group of Companies, which demonstrates significant activities in both the public and private sectors.

