

WIND INSTITUTE RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

Location: Conference Center at Mercer Community College

Date: Friday, April 14, 2023

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Agenda

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| 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. | Registration and Breakfast | Atrium |
| 9:00 – 9:20 a.m. | Welcoming Remarks Jen Becker, Wind Institute for Innovation and Training Tim Sullivan, New Jersey Economic Development Authority Dr. Brian Bridges, NJ Secretary of Higher Education | Auditorium |
| 9:20 – 9:35 a.m. | Keynote Address Lyndie Hice-Dunton National Offshore Wind Research and Development Consortium | Auditorium |
| 9:35 – 10:05 a.m. | University Initiatives to Advance Offshore Wind Dr. Jie Li, Rowan University Dr. Pankaj Lal, Montclair State University Dr. Philip Pong, New Jersey Institute of Technology Dr. Peggy Brennan, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey | Auditorium |
| 10:05 – 10:20 a.m. | Networking and Coffee Break | Atrium |
| 10:20 – 11:50 a.m. | Wind Institute Fellowship Student Presentations | Breakout Rooms |

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| 11:50 – 12:45 p.m. | Lunch | Atrium |
| 12:45 – 1:10 p.m. | <p>New Jersey Research and Monitoring Initiative Overview and Opportunities</p> <p>Dr. Reneé Reilly, NJ Department of Environmental Protection</p> <p>Dr. Kira Lawrence, NJ Board of Public Utilities</p> | Auditorium |
| 1:10 – 1:30 p.m. | <p>Developing an Offshore Wind Innovation Center for New Jersey</p> <p>Julia Kortrey, Wind Institute for Innovation and Training</p> | Auditorium |
| 1:30 – 1:55 p.m. | <p>Industry Partnerships to Drive Research and Innovation</p> <p>Moderator: Kori Groenveld, NOWRDC</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Terence Kelly, Head of External Affairs, Atlantic Shores Davon McCurry, Dep. Head of Government Affairs, Orsted</p> | Auditorium |
| 1:55 – 2:25 p.m. | <p>Supporting Start-Ups and Innovation in the Offshore Wind Ecosystem</p> <p>Moderator: Mahako Etta, Commission on Science, Innovation, and Technology</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Susan Schofer, HAX Sahil Jain, Newlab Alissa Peterson, SeaAhead</p> | Auditorium |
| 2:25 – 2:30 p.m. | Closing and Wind Institute Fellow Recognition | Auditorium |
| 2:30 – 3:30 p.m. | <p>Networking Reception</p> <p><i>Drinks and light refreshments</i></p> | Atrium |

Additional information

Boxed lunches will be available for those who are observing Ramadan.