

Given the importance of energy programs in delivering new and innovative low-carbon electricity, this course is highly relevant. Proper design, measurement, and evaluation of energy projects and programs is critical to maximizing their benefit and improving future initiatives. The course covered a range of topics that together provide a strong basic understanding of energy systems, energy projects, and how to measure and evaluate these projects. Through in-depth pre-course learning and in-class exercises I gained insights into the importance measurement and evaluation considerations in early stages of project and program design, monetizing energy investment considerations, and fundamental climate science. Further, the course provided an excellent networking opportunity and I have continued to communicate with some of the contacts I made in my professional work.

Jack Jensen
Science & Technology Advisor
Office of Energy R&D
Natural Resources Canada
September 2012 course participant

The Professional Certificate in Measurement and Evaluation of Low Carbon Energy Programs offered through Carleton University provides a valuable and informative summary of Canada's energy issues from a policy, regulatory, political and technical lens. The knowledge gained from the intensive week long course provided insight towards the sustainable energy industry and assisted participants in developing the measurement and evaluation skills needed to assess energy projects and energy infrastructure from an economic lens.

Priya Patel
Manager, Environmental Stewardship
Canadian Electricity Association
September 2012 course participant

CSERC's intensive week-long course in the Measurement and Evaluation of Low Carbon Energy Programs gave a balanced overview of Canada's energy infrastructure. The excellent pre-course reading material and stimulating in-class presentations provided valuable insights into building a sustainable energy industry, tools to set realistic goals, and measures to evaluate how programs perform. I am already putting this new knowledge to work to improve the quality of our research.

Barry Craig
Senior Researcher
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September 2012 course Participant

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The course provided me with a comprehensive dive into a number of the key components of the current energy sectors. It allowed me to obtain an overview of the tools available for an effective overall assessment of energy projects. The methodology used for the delivery course and the high level of the presenters resulted in a valuable course for me.

Jose Gonzalez
Remote Energy Security Technologies Collaborative
VP Business Development
July 2011 course participant

This intense course is a valuable and necessary literacy tool that allows professionals to bridge organizational interfaces and to understand energy projects based on their technical, environmental, and economic merit. If society is to have any hope of achieving a stable path to sustainable development, this type of literacy will be a persistent requirement into the future.

Sumeet Tandon
National Roundtable on the Environment and Economy
2011 course participant