



Webinar:
Updating the ASEAN Power Grid for Increased Renewables

April 20, 2021

Time	Session Title	Speaker/Facilitator
8:30-9:00	Preparation/network connection testing	USAID Southeast Asia EDGE Hub
9:00-9:10	Opening remarks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Nuki Agya Utama, ACE Executive Director • Hot Martua Bakara, HAPUA Secretary-in-Charge • Amanda Van den Dool, Energy and Infrastructure Team Lead, USAID Regional Development Mission for Asia
9:10-9:20	AIMS III overview and progress	Beni Suryadi, AIMS III Project Manager, ACE
9:20-9:40	Presentation on solar and wind technical potential and projects identified by RE resource assessment	Akbar Swandaru, AIMS III Senior Research Analyst, ACE
9:40-10:00	Presentation of Phase 1 key results (capacity-expansion) and interconnections identified from modeling results, including preliminary prioritization criteria	Pitoon Junthip, RE Planning Expert, USAID Clean Power Asia
10:00-10:20	Panel discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Next steps - Requirements to realize interconnection projects, power trade, and solar/wind projects - Opportunities for private sector and donors 	<i>Facilitator:</i> Dana Kenney, Chief of Party, USAID Clean Power Asia <i>Panel participants:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hot Martua Bakara, HAPUA Secretary-in-Charge - Dr. Santisouk Phimpachanh, HAPUA Representative - Beni Suryadi, AIMS III Project Manager, ACE
10:20-10:30	Break	
10:30-10:45	Lessons learned and implementation challenges on Laos-Thailand-Malaysia-Singapore interconnection from HAPUA perspective and experience	Dr. Santisouk Phimpachanh, Deputy Director General, Department of Energy Policy and Planning, Laos Ministry of Energy and Mines
10:45-11:00	Presentation on process, activities, and timeline for developing implementation plan: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Facilitating power trade deals between countries and associated investment/building of interconnections 	Beni Suryadi, AIMS III Project Manager, ACE



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Facilitating investment in variable renewable energy in the region- How to achieve new short-term RE targets, and setting a long-term RE target- Other issues	
11:00-11:25	Discussion and feedback on proposed process, activities, and timeline for developing implementation plan	Beni Suryadi, AIMS III Project Manager, ACE
11:25-11:30	Closing remarks	Dana Kenney, Chief of Party, USAID Clean Power Asia