

# Energy UK Membership

The voice of the energy industry

# Energy UK is the trade association for the energy industry

Energy UK is the UK's largest and most diverse energy trade association, representing companies leading on modernising and decarbonising the whole system to those focused on developing better products and services for consumers.



Over 100 members

Our members deliver nearly 80% of the UK's power generation and over 95% of the energy supplied to UK homes and businesses.

The range of expertise within our company and across our membership means we're able to take a holistic view across the whole energy system when advising on policy and advocating for change.

Energy UK is the only Trade Association that covers the breadth of the energy sector.

We work with our members, government, regulators and wider stakeholders to champion a sustainable UK energy industry.







#### **Our Values**



We have integrity



We work collaboratively



We are inclusive

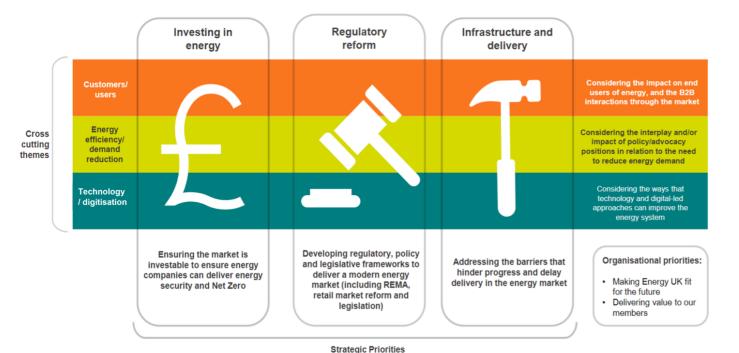


We are ambitious

## How we work:

We are a source of expert advice on industry matters to our members, key stakeholders, decision-makers and the media.

We bring together specialists from across the sector to support policy-makers develop ambitious and considered changes towards Net Zero that are grounded in real world experience. Our breadth of membership supports knowledgeable decisions by identifying opportunities, risks and trade-offs at an early stage.



We provide evidence and insight to promote the development of proportionate and predictable policy and regulatory interventions. We coordinate messaging across Energy UK policy areas to ensure an effective approach to communications and campaigns.

We collaborate with other associations and groups where feasible, desirable, and appropriate. We work across the devolved nations where appropriate and are mindful of the impact UK Government policy will have on consumers in each nation when it differs.

We seek continued cooperation between the UK and European energy markets.

We align our work with the statutory Net Zero by 2050 target, UK carbon budgets, and plans for the protection of UK sustainability and biodiversity.

We advocate for a fair and just transition to Net Zero with protections for consumers who need it, and skills and jobs considered as part of the transition.

We ensure our activities contribute towards improving Equity, Diversity and Inclusion across the sector.

## Membership

Joining Energy UK opens the door to companies to becoming part of the most dynamic, leading energy industry body in the country. Energy UK is at the forefront of national energy policy development and input from our membership is sought at the most senior political levels. We provide highly respected, expert analysis and advice to our members on policy, regulation and communications. We also provide strong and well tested industry representation in the media, to policy makers and across the wider policy community.

#### We represent:



## Retail supply companies

We represent companies that supply energy to over 95% of UK homes as well as many businesses.



## **Electricity** generators

Our members deliver nearly 80% of the UK's power generation, through wind, solar, hydro, nuclear, biomass and gas generation



#### **Investors**

Companies that share our determination to ensure that the UK investment environment facilitates the delivery of our transition to Net Zero.



#### **Technology firms**

Innovative
technologies will be
needed in the low
carbon transition, we
link up companies that
are helping to drive the
digitalisation of our
sector.



## Flexibility and storage providers

We represent some of the leading innovators and market leaders on low carbon flexibility from consumer demandside response to battery developers to longduration storage.



## We don't represent upstream oil and gas markets

Energy UK does not represent upstream oil and gas markets. Whilst some of our members are active in oil and gas extraction, we do not represent these parts of their business in our work, instead agreeing on specific business activities such as renewables.



#### **Electric vehicles**

Our membership includes EV charging providers as well as those offering bundled services surrounding this technology.



#### Heating

With members from heat pump, heat network, hybrid, and gas boiler markets, we represent the full breadth of the transition to low carbon heat.



# Electricity system operation and transmission

We represent both National Grid ESO, responsible for balancing GB power, and National Grid Electricity Transmission, which owns and maintains the high-voltage electricity transmission network in England and Wales.



#### Consultancies

Firms that specialise in advising on energy benefit from our wide range of expertise and connections.



#### **Charities**

Having organisations that have consumers at their heart as part of our membership ensures our advocacy work always considers how it will affect the people that use energy.



# We don't represent Distribution Network Operators

Energy UK does not represent
Distribution Network Operators or Gas
Distribution Networks – Network
Operators are represented by
the Energy Networks Association.

## Membership Benefits



#### A trusted voice with a high-profile reach

Energy UK advocates for positive change on behalf of its membership. We ensure our breadth of membership represents large and small companies, challengers and incumbents and consult widely when seeking industry positions. As such, we can provide holistic, neutral advice for policy makers and sector stakeholders, sit on many industry groups and taskforces and have a high-reaching media profile where we can ably speak to industry views.



#### Shape the future of energy

Members participate in the development of Energy UK's policies, consultation responses and advocacy through our Committees and groups, which cover every aspect of the energy market.

Organisations can attend meetings depending on their category of membership and may be invited to join relevant roundtable discussions at a senior committee level or with Government and other key stakeholders across industry.



#### **Profile Raising**

We use our various platforms to help members work with our audiences, including social media activity, sharing news in our industry newsletter, or inviting you to speak at events relevant to your work.

We work with our members when shaping events and offer speaking opportunities on relevant topics. We publish member blogs on our website, and regularly reach out to members for case studies and examples of good practice that help to demonstrate innovative work the across industry.



#### **Networking & Events**

Energy UK events provide a forum for debate and discussion, as well as excellent opportunities to network across the sector. Our events range from conferences and Breakfast Briefings to politically focused roundtables and panel events.

Members receive discounted prices for all Energy UK training and ticketed events, as well as discounts on some other events across industry.



#### **Insight Sharing**

Energy UK provides market-leading analysis, reports and regular policy and communication updates to keep our members informed and up-to-date.

Our members help feed into our policy reports and publications, giving them the opportunity to ensure their views are represented. These reports are shared directly with policy-makers to shape future energy policy.

We convene discussions, roundtables and produce reports to share learning and promote good practice across industry, which includes case studies from across our membership.



#### News

Our weekly e-newsletter provides a topical overview of the latest developments across the sector, upcoming industry events as well as information about our most recent consultation responses and other activities.

Our member-only communications and public affairs update is a round-up of everything you need to know about energy politics, from upcoming Parliamentary dates, new consultations being launched and Energy UK's public affairs engagements.

## **Our Events**



#### **Breakfast Briefings**

Our Breakfast Briefings are held throughout the year, and lead the conversation on areas of interest to our members and stakeholders. These range in topic and are held virtually or in-person.



#### **LightningBolt Talks**

Our LightningBolt Talks bring together people from the worlds of energy, policy, and beyond to share exciting and innovative ways of using data to understand, explain and improve energy in the UK.



### Energy UK Annual Conference

The energy industry's flagship event, gathering senior leaders and experts from across the industry to discuss and debate the most important issues facing our sector.



## **Equity, Diversity & Inclusion** in Energy (EDI) Conference

The industry's annual EDI Conference is an opportunity to bring together senior leaders, changemakers, professionals and groups dedicated to improving EDI to share best practice, challenge one another and hear from companies and individuals that are leading the way.



#### Young Energy Professionals (YEP) Awards

Each year, the YEP awards provide an opportunity to celebrate up-and-coming talent, recognising the leaders of the future.

#### Click **here** to see our upcoming events

#### **Training**

Introduction to GB Energy Markets



#### **Energy Trading**



## **Understanding the GB Power Market**



#### Sponsorship

Energy UK offers a select group of sponsorship opportunities across the year to organisations who are aligned with our ethos and keen to reach our audience.

Our sponsors are valued partners who help us explore new ideas, reach different audiences and run an innovative and insightful programme of events.

For further information please contact membership@energy-uk.org.uk

## **Our Committees**

**Energy UK Board** 

Strategic Advisory Forum

**Customers Committee** 

**Investments Committee** 

**Systems Committee** 

#### **Customers Committee**

The Customers committee focuses on energy issues that matter directly to people and businesses. This includes:

- Developing the policy framework that will ensure suppliers can provide the best service to the market.
- Enhancing customer-business relationships and value for domestic and non-domestic consumers while promoting innovation and initiatives in the retail supply space.
- Energy UK's work covers all aspects of electricity and gas supply.

Subcommittees focus on vulnerable customers, retail regulation, fraud and financial crime.

We also run working groups on special projects, such as the future of the retail market.

#### **Strategic Advisory Forum**

The Strategic Advisory Forum (SAF) acts as a forum to help bring together expertise across strategy, communications, advocacy and policy to support Energy UK's approach to the key issues across the energy sector.

By acting as an advisory body for Senior Management and Strategic Communications team as well as the main committees at Energy UK, the SAF helps to inform debates, policies and legislation on strategic priority issues for the electricity and gas industry with a view to enhance Energy UK's medium- and long-term strategic work.

#### **Investment Committee**

The Investment Committee works to ensure that the UK maintains the economic incentives necessary to build and operate a low carbon power system. This includes:

- Putting in place investment frameworks for technologies such as renewables, hydrogen, and CCUS, that are needed to reach Net Zero.
- Ensuring the current and future functioning of the GB wholesale and gas markets
- Reducing barriers to the deployment of new low carbon generation through planning and community engagement.
- Advocating for environmental and climate policies that are needed to decarbonise the sector, such as carbon pricing. Working to enhance cooperation between the UK and European partners on energy security and Net Zero.
- Maintaining security of supply during the transition to a decarbonised power system.

Subcommittees focus on wholesale market reform, low-carbon investment frameworks, taxation, planning and environmental issues, UK-EU energy and climate relations, security of supply, and gas transitions.

#### **Energy Systems Committee**

The Energy Systems Committee works in a range of areas surrounding the delivery of a smart flexible decarbonised energy system fit for 2050. This includes:

- Shaping the policy and regulatory agenda for the decarbonisation of heat and transport, and the uptake of smart demand-side response technologies.
- Driving modernisation and reform of the institutions and governance frameworks across the system, including energy codes and system operation.
- Promoting and enabling the uptake of new and existing technologies (software and hardware) across the system to deliver low carbon flexibility.
- Ensuring decisions surrounding the ability to deliver Net Zero are progressed across system requirements, routes to market, and establishing robust skills and supply chains.

Subcommittees focus on low carbon technologies at the demand side, networks and connections, security of supply and balancing, and Institutional Governance.

## What our Members say:

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"Energy UK has been an effective voice for energy customers and the companies in the sector at a time where energy - decarbonisation, security and reliability of supply and affordability - has been at the absolute heart of the issues facing the UK. The team at Energy UK has been focused, proactive and employed a mix of diplomacy, advocacy and innovation to persuade the public, opinion formers, policymakers, and their industry members of the need to act and has played a valuable role in designing practical solutions in remarkably short times on a range of dimension."

Paul Spence, Director of Strategy and Corporate Affairs, EDF Energy

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"Energy UK has been instrumental in helping the industry navigate the choppy waters of 2022. In particular, they have done a great job in representing the industry at the highest level and in the media, and ensuring regular engagement with key stakeholders. Whilst it's not always easy to bring together such a broad church, they strive to coordinate and support the membership in such a way to ensure the industry's voice is clear, consistent and understood."

Alice Barrs, Head of UK Policy & Public Affairs, RWE

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"Energy UK has been outstanding in representing the industry during one of the most turbulent times in the energy sector's history. The energy security crisis and its impact on the UK and global economy has been profound and Energy UK has worked brilliantly with all parts of the energy industry to represent their views and work with Government and stakeholders in a fast moving and constantly changing environment. They have been very effective and worked tirelessly to support the energy industry, for which we are very grateful!"

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"Energy UK has had a very successful year in the face of an on-going energy crisis. Not only have they ensured the industry spoke with on voice and has been heard, but they have also had significant policy influence through a period of profound political instability. They have done all this whilst maintaining the reputation of the sector."

**National Grid** 

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"The number and breadth of its membership mean that Energy UK can talk about the whole system and be forward looking and strategic."

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## Supporting the workforce





## TACKLING INCLUSION AND DIVERSITY IN ENERGY

Energy UK is a founding member of TIDE – Tackling Inclusion and Diversity in Energy – a cross-industry initiative, also supported by Ofgem, ENA and the Energy Institute set up to improve Equity, Diversity and Inclusion across the energy industry.

We are playing a key role in improving EDI across industry, using our position to create forums to gather insight, share best practice and engage with leaders.







#### Young Energy Professionals Forum

Our Young Energy Professionals Forum is a fantastic way for people at the start of their energy career to meet and connect with others, develop their skills and be inspired by our opportunities to learn about the industry and visit sites across the UK. It's free to join, and open to students or anyone working in energy with less than ten years' experience.

The YEP Forum is a community to promote the next generation of energy industry leaders, providing opportunities to meet, collaborate, develop and recognise success.

- Over 2,000 members from analysts to engineers, representing over 350 organisations
- Open to students and anyone working in the energy industry with under 10 years of experience
- Free to join
- Events, site visits and networking opportunities







## Our Members March 2024

#### **Full Members**

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- Newsom Consulting
- Newton Europe
- Nord Pool Spot AS
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- Ombudsman Services
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