

# Symposium

# Electricity Distribution Systems in a Changing Environment

**Blauwe Zaal, Auditorium, Eindhoven University of Technology**  
**Friday, March 10, 2023**

Preceding the inaugural lecture of Prof.dr. Koen Kok, you are cordially invited to attend a symposium entitled 'Electricity Distribution Systems in a Changing Environment'.

Under auspices of EIRES and the NWO Research Program MegaMind.

## PROGRAM

**Day Chair:** Christina Papadimitriou

**10:00** **Walk-in, Poster & Demonstration Session**

**10:30** **Morning session**

### **Opening**

Guus Pemen, *group chair Electrical Energy Systems (EES) at TU/e*  
Christina Papadimitriou, *Assistant Professor TU/e*

### **Energy Systems Research at TU/e**

Richard van de Sanden  
*Scientific Director, TU/e EIRES*

### **The Dutch Distribution System Operators' approach to the Energy Transition Challenges**

Han Slootweg  
*Director of Asset Management, Enexis & Professor Smart Grids, TU/e EES*

### **Active Distribution Network Management Incorporating Energy Flexibility**

Anne van der Molen  
*Energy System Strategist, STEDIN & Research Fellow, TU/e*

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## **New Transport Capacity Contracts for the Energy Transition**

Wouter van den Akker

*Principal Energy System Strategy, Alliander & Research Fellow, TU/e*

### **Panel Discussion**

Led by Christina Papadimitriou

**12:20 Lunch, Poster & Demonstration Session**

**13:30 Afternoon session**

### **Distributed Energy Management**

Johann Hurink

*Professor of Discrete Mathematics and Mathematical Programming,  
University of Twente*

### **Digital transformation on the edge of the electricity system**

Phuong Nguyen

*Associate Professor Digital Power and Energy Systems, TU/e*

### **AI, smart grids and energy justice**

Saskia Lavrijssen

*Professor of Economic Regulation and Market Governance of Network  
Industries, Tilburg University*

### **Panel Discussion**

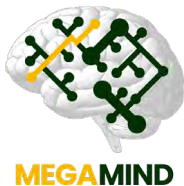
Led by Christina Papadimitriou

**15:00 Coffee Break, Poster & Demonstration Session**

**16:00 Inaugural lecture by Koen Kok in the Blauwe Zaal (Auditorium TU/e)**

**17:00 Reception**

**18:30 End**



Attendance is free of charge, but registration is required.  
You may register via <https://megamind.energy/symposium/>  
Registration closes on March 3, 2023.  
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