SEPTEMBER 2019 AGENDA

THE MOUNTAIN THUNDER LODGE, BRECKENRIDGE CO

OBJECTIVES DAY 1-2: Review Academy schedule and agenda, establish goals of the Academy, set expectations, and gain perspective on the national energy landscape, technology and market changes, policy trends, and opportunities.

OBJECTIVES DAY 2-3: Following the July Academy, legislators identified a specific policy area of interest. This will be the focus for participants in this September session. Breakouts will provide a deep dive into the legislative innovations, opportunities, and challenges within each area of focus. CNEE will provide tools to help identify legislation ideas, to introduce in their selected areas of focus.

DAY 1 – TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

3:00pm-5:00pm Registration and Check-In (Lobby)
CNEE staff members will be at registration to welcome participants and provide Academy materials. *Note: Room check-in may not be available until 4pm.

4:00pm-5:30pm Optional Energy Policy 101 with CNEE staff and faculty (Quandary Peak Room)
Offered to legislators interested in gaining an introductory background on energy policy issues and trends

6:00pm Opening Reception (The Library, next to lobby)
Complimentary drinks and light appetizers provided

7:00pm Dinner (Quandary Peak Room/Father Dyer Peak Room)
Welcome and Presentation by Governor Bill Ritter, Jr.
- Participant/Faculty/Staff introductions
- Overview of the Academy
- Logistics for Day 2

8:45pm Documentary viewing of HBO’s ‘Happening: A Clean Energy Revolution’ (optional)
Light snacks and refreshments provided

DAY 2 – WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

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7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  Breakfast Buffet *(Quandary Peak/Patio)*

9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.  **Energy Policy Overview** *(Quandary Peak Room/Father Dyer Peak Room)*  
*led by CNEE staff: Suzanne Tegen, Tom Plant, and Patrick Cummins*

- Energy landscape and national trends in energy policy
- Economic development from clean energy generation
- Air pollution emissions trends and pollution control programs to address air quality and climate change
- Legislative activity in the past year

10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.  **Break**

10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.  **Participants discuss bipartisan opportunities in their states** moderated by Governor Bill Ritter, Jr. and Tom Plant *(Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak)*

Using state briefs and legislative experience within each state, participants discuss potential policy opportunities and challenges for the 2020 legislative session.

11:45 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.  **Group photo**

12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.  Lunch Buffet *(Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak Room)*  
**Lunch Presentation: Pathways to Building Clean Energy Economies**

- **Mary Collins and Kate Ringness**, American Jobs Project

*Don’t forget to sign-up for Alternative Policy Mini-Breakout and faculty one-on-ones*

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2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.  **Break**

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4:00 p.m.  **Adjourn – Free time to enjoy Breckenridge - Dinner – on your own**

7:30 p.m.  **Evening Salon:** *(Quandary Peak Room/Father Dyer Peak Room)*  
**Climate and Air Quality** *(optional)* moderated discussion with **Patrick Cummins**, CNEE

**DAY 3 – THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19**

7:30 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.  Breakfast Buffet *(Quandary Peak/Patio)*

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### Policy Breakout 1 continues: Deep Dive

Deeper dive into specific policy initiatives in a chosen area of focus. Discussion of gaps and policy opportunities for participating states.

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#### Lunch Break

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#### Lunch Presentation: Community Solar: Challenges and Opportunities

- Jeff Cramer, Coalition for Community Solar Access

*Don’t forget to sign up for Faculty One-on-Ones*

#### Expert Assistance & Policy Brainstorming Workshop (Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak Room)

Focused discussions of specific policy areas of legislative interest as proposed by participating legislators.

#### Faculty Open Office Hours (see topics in packet)

- Learning sessions with faculty and staff about specific interests and topic areas
- Please sign-up for 1-on-1 slot with faculty

**CNEE 1-on-1 Check-In (see scheduled time and CNEE staff member in packet)**

10-20 minute one-on-one check-in with CNEE staff

- Identify state-specific tools and resources
- Hands-on demonstration of CNEE online databases

Provide CELA testimonials (optional)

#### Adjourn – Free time to enjoy Breckenridge

### Dinner Buffet (Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak Room)

**Creative Communications: Productive Pathways for Science, Policy and Society**

- Dr. Maxwell Boykoff, Professor and Director of the Center for Science and Technology Policy Research at University of Colorado Boulder

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9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.  **Legislative Strategies to Address Stranded Assets and an Equitable Transition for Coal-Reliant Communities** *(Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak Room)*

- **Kevin Quinn**, Legislative Aide to Representative Chris Hansen: CO state legislator and former CELA attendee
- **Dr. Suzanne Tegen**, CNEE Assistant Director

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.  **The Path Forward and Legislative Takeaways** *(Quandary Peak/Father Dyer Peak Room)*

- Facilitated by Governor Bill Ritter, Jr. and Tom Plant

11:00 a.m.  *Adjourn* – transportation to **Denver International Airport** *(DIA)*

**THANK YOU**

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