



**UTILITY WIND INTEGRATION GROUP
WIND TURBINE OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE
USER GROUP MEETING**

**September 30, 2008 – 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Hilton Garden Inn Fort Collins**

AGENDA

7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Registration & Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – 8:45 p.m.

Welcome and Introductions – Larry Barr and Steve Gilbert, enXco

8:45 – 9:30 a.m.

Blade Design, Certification, and Testing – Sandy Butterfield, NREL

9:30 – 10:15 a.m.

Blade Maintenance – Gary Kanaby, Knight & Carver

10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Break

10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

Blade Manufacturing and Balancing – Ernie Smith, Composotech Structures

11:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Lightning Damage and Repair Techniques – Chris Derickson, NPPD

11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Group Discussion – Steve Gilbert

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Parallel Roundtable Discussions

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Roundtable Discussion I – GE

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Roundtable Discussion II – Vestas

3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Break

4:30-5:00

Reassemble in Plenary Session for General Discussion – Larry Barr

5:00 p.m.

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