

IMAGES - Integrated, Market-fit and Affordable Grid-Scale Energy Storage

14th Project Management Team (PMT) Meeting

Minutes

Date and time: 29th June 2017 13:15-14:30

Venue: D202, School of Engineering, University of Warwick, Coventry

1. Attendances:

Jihong Wang, Philip Eames, Seamus Garvey, Mike Waterson, Robert Mackay, Murray Thomson, Jacek Wojcik

Apologies:

David Evans, Jonathan Busby, Monica Giuliatti, Phil Mawby, Bob Critoph

2. Update of recruitment and staffing

- Warwick Economics:
 - Lisa's contract has been extended to the end of the project.
- Warwick Engineering:
 - James Lam will be involved in IMAES project before the JUICE project.
- Loughborough:
 - Phil is going to recruit RF to finish the test rig and write up publications.
- Nottingham:
 - Tristan is going to leave Nottingham at the end of August.

3. Project finance report and discussion

Money has been allocated to BGS and Loughborough University; however, RSS at Warwick delayed the money transfer process resulting in work hold on at both institutions.

Actions:

- Jihong to escalate the case and keep updating the team.
- Robert to email Head of Research Finance.

4. Discussion for collaboration and joint work

- Joint publication between Warwick and BGS is planned.
- Warwick's battery unit is a potential topic for further collaboration within consortium.
- ES toolbox website will be developed further. All software programs developed by team members are encouraged to get them published on estoolbox.org website.
Actions: Jacek – to collect all potential programs to be published on the web.
- Joint meeting with Imperial Storage Project should be organised at the end of the project (early FEB 2018).
Actions: Mike and Jihong to contact Imperial people (Goran) and invite for the joint meeting.
- Interaction with ERA for future collaboration/projects.
Actions: Robert, Seamus and Phil – to contact ERA.
- Further joint collaboration between consortium members should be investigated in the area: how to modify system to match the technology.
Actions: Seamus – to email National Grid and initiate the discussion.

5. Plan of impact activities and events

- Seamus proposed an event: Hybrid/integrated energy storage – 14-18 DEC 2017, proposed location: the Shard, London.
Actions: Jihong to find out the venue availability.
- Phil mentioned about TES 2017 conference – IMAGES could be involved.
Actions: Phil – to circulate information about time and place.

6. Final project review meeting

The final 2-day meeting can be arranged in early 2018 and it should interact with other Grand Challenge projects.

Actions: Jihong to send invitation to the other grand challenge projects.

7. AOB

No AOB.