

# Renewable Energy & Storage Analysis

## [Specific Focus on Islands Systems]

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**Edward Bodmer** and transform your learning experience.



**3 Day Face to Face Course**

**12 – 14 November 2025**

**09:00 - 17:00 Port of Spain, Trinidad & Tobago**

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## COURSE OVERVIEW:

The 3 Day In-Person Course “Renewable Energy and Storage Analysis for Island Systems” is intended for different professionals who are involved in energy analysis.

The training sessions will cover a variety of subjects related to potential strategies and use cases for energy storage. Participants in the course will work with hands on data to simulate the necessity for storage systems and then prepare financial and economic analysis to quantify how renewable energy plus storage affects electricity costs.

The program will emphasize methods to effectively evaluate and present different use cases for batteries on an objective basis and cover recent trends in battery costs.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. Gain practical ability to evaluate energy strategies both in terms of conceptual and quantitative analysis using operating and financial models.
2. Evaluation in different stages ranging from simple levelized cost models to comprehensive financial models whether batteries plus renewable energy can compete with thermal power.
3. Understanding of battery dispatch and battery characteristics will provide the basis for evaluation of issues associated with PPA agreements.
4. The issues associated with battery operation, battery characteristics, different use cases and PPA terms are put together into a comprehensive financial model.



# TARGET AUDIENCE:

## Job Titles:

- Power System Managers
- Transmission and Distribution Operation Staff
- Planning & Engineering Managers in Electric Utility Generation
- Electrical Engineers/Technicians
- System & Generation Operations
- New Generation & Business Development
- Grid Modernization
- Anybody With an Interest in Renewable Energy Generation and Storage

## Industries:

- Distribution and Transmission Companies
- Commissioning & EMC Companies
- Generation & Battery Owners
- Grid Infrastructure Companies
- Renewable Energy Developers
- Local Utilities Companies
- Government Agencies



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**Instructor:**

**Edward Bodmer**

**... your EXPERT TRAINER for this Course.**

Edward Bodmer provides financial and economic consulting services to a variety of clients, he teaches professional development courses in an assortment of modelling topics (project finance, M&A, and energy) across geographies (Africa, Americas, Asia, and Europe).

Many of the unique analytical concepts and modelling techniques he has developed have arisen from discussion with participants in his courses. Professor Bodmer has taught customized courses for MIT's Sloan Business School, Bank Paribas, Shell Oil, Society General, General Electric, HSBC, GDF Suez, Citibank, CIMB, Lindlakers, HSBC, Saudi Aramco and many other energy and industrial clients.

Over the course of his career Professor, Bodmer has been involved in formulating significant government policy related to electricity deregulation; he has prepared models and analyses for many clients around the world; he has evaluated energy purchasing decisions for many corporations; and, he has provided advice on corporate strategy. Mr. Bodmer has written a textbook titled published by Wiley Finance. The book introduces unique modeling techniques that address many complex issues that are not typically used by even the most experienced financial analysts.

- Development of a biomass plant, analysis, and advisory work for purchase of electricity generation, distribution, and transmission assets by the City of Chicago\
- Formulation of rate policy for major metro systems and street lighting networks, advocacy testimony on behalf of low-income consumers
- Risk analysis for toll roads, and evaluation of solar and wind projects.
- Constructed many advisory analyses for project finance and M&A transactions.

Formerly Vice President at the First National Bank of Chicago where he directed analysis of energy loans and created financial modeling techniques used in advisory projects. He received an MBA specializing in econometrics (with honors) from the University of Chicago and a BSc in Finance from the University of Illinois (with highest university honors).



# PRESENTATIONS:

## Day 1:

### 09:00 - Pre-Course Intro

#### Session 1: Overview of Storage in the context of island systems with increasing renewable resources.

- Course and overview of subjects covered ranging from simulation of storage use (charging and discharging); to evaluation of battery characteristics; to costs to levelized cost of energy; to evaluation of different integrated battery strategies to evaluation of issues related to incorporating batteries in PPA agreements; and to creating of integrated financial models with different strategies.
- Discussion of renewable energy, inertia in thermal plants and varying weather patterns with analysis of hourly solar and wind data.
- Specific problems with island systems and requirements for ancillary services.
- Alternative ways to effectively measure the cost of different strategies and answer the crucial question of whether solar and/or wind plus storage compete on an economic basis with conventional thermal systems.
- Overview of public data sources that can be used to evaluate the operation of solar hourly operation, solar costs, wind patterns, battery costs.

#### Session 2: Solar and Wind Generation and Operation and Costs.

- Understanding solar efficiency, standard testing condition, temperature coefficients and evaluation of yield.
- Working with solar and wind data to understand how much load can be covered without storage.
- Hands on exercise to present and work with hourly data and comparison with PVSYST.
- Understanding the problems that arise from the duck curve and integration of demand data with renewable energy data.
- Problem of lack of correlation between solar and wind on an hourly basis
- Background on the dramatic cost trends of solar power and benchmark solar data for analysis.



## PRESENTATIONS:

### Session 3: Overview of Battery Terms and Basic Use Cases.

- Overview of Battery Terms - Battery Storage Duration and Cycles.
- Use of Batteries for different Ancillary Services (spinning reserve, fast start, frequency management, voltage regulation)
- Use of Batteries for Bulk Power Storage (shifting power from daytime to night time).
- Conceptual questions of whether batteries can be used at same times for multiple services – if a battery has been discharged for meeting short-term ancillary service requirements, can it also be used for moving power to evening and night time hours.
- Detailed discussion of potential for

using batteries for multiple uses – can you reserve battery capacity for frequency regulation and at the same time use the battery for moving power off-peak to on-peak periods

- Discussion of Alternative Use Cases from Consumer Perspective: (e.g. frequency management in the context of individual customers; load shifting and management of peak and off-peak rates; use of solar in micro grids; use of batteries to manage solar power from customer perspective; use of batteries from utility dispatch perspective).

### Post-Session Q &A

17:00: End of Day 1

## Day 2:

### 09:00 - Day 1 Recap

### Session 4: Battery Characteristics and Economic Analysis.

- Battery Capital Cost
  - Costs of batteries in China, India and other regions of the world
  - Cost as a Function of both Storage Capacity and Charging/Discharging
  - Trend in Capital Costs and

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- Contracts for battery capacity with guaranteed life and capacity
- Cost of warranties
- Required augmentation to meet capacity requirements
- Costs of batteries in Caribbean versus other areas of the world



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- Operating and Maintenance Cost of Batteries
  - Cost of cooling
  - Other costs
  - Inclusion of augmentation in operating costs
  - Sources of information from published sources and financial models
- Battery Life and Degradation
  - Battery Degradation and Effect of Use Case
  - Effects of Degradation on Replacement Cost
  - Changes in Degradation over time
  - Degradation and Definition of End of Life
- Round Trip Efficiency and State of Charge
  - Estimates of Round-Trip Efficiency
  - State of Charge
  - Minimum State of Charge
  - Maximum State of Charge

### Session 5: Introduction to Levelized Cost of Renewable Energy.

- Calculation methods for LCOE
  - four methods and problems of comparing the cost of solar/wind to dispatchable technologies without accounting for operational flexibility.
- Use of PMT function to evaluate

LCOE with different costs, capacity factors, lifetime and cost of capital.

- Comparison of solar and wind LCOE with the variable cost of running thermal plants.
- Reconciliation of LCOE with financial model for simple cases.
- Discussion of reasonable target project IRR.
- Differences electricity production and risks for different renewable technologies: On-Shore Wind (Wind Resource), Off-Shore Wind, Solar, Hydro, Wave (Refurbishment Timing), Geothermal (Development Probability).

### Session 6: Nuances of Levelized Cost Calculation and Inclusion of Battery Storage Costs.

- Inclusion of batteries in LCOE with different assumptions for battery cost, battery life, battery degradation, battery round trip efficiency and battery dispatch.
- Case Exercise with solar use case and battery implemented for ancillary services.
- LCOE calculation with batteries for moving bulk power.
- Inclusion of inflation and degradation in LCOE Analysis.
- Risk Evaluation Using Break-Even and Sensitivity Analysis.



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### Session 7: Use Cases for Batteries with Simulation.

- General discussion of use cases (ancillary services, load shifting, peaking replacement, meeting of evening demand, transmission and distribution support).
- Dispatch of batteries in alternative contexts.
- Evaluation of battery costs in peaker replacement scenario.
- Issues in cases where surplus solar or wind is installed to provide

discharge energy – is there a reduced need for batteries for ancillary services.

- Measuring the cost of thermal plants that are not needed with surplus solar power – minimum run requirements and start-up times.
- Predictability of renewable resources and battery requirements.

### Post-Session Q & A

17:00: End of Day 2

## Day 3:

09:00 - Day 2 Recap

### Session 8: Use Cases for Batteries with Hourly Simulation.

- Simulation of electricity demand and solar power with large percentage of solar and wind using hourly demand profiles, hourly solar.
- Simulation of battery operation using simple case with surplus renewable energy for storage and deficit renewable energy for discharge with battery storage constraints.
- Simple case with inclusion of round-trip efficiency and state of

charge constraints and implications on the required battery and charging capacity.

- Inclusion of detailed battery simulation in hourly analysis with and without wind resources.
- Presentation of hourly renewable, demand and battery discharge using flexible graphs with hands-on exercise.
- Circle back and include implications of detailed battery simulation in the levelized cost of electricity analysis.
- Sensitivity analysis that include costs of operating thermal plants in different ways.





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### Session 9: Implementing Storage with PPA Agreements.

- Theory of PPA agreements in the context of historic PPA agreements – capacity, availability, efficiency, risk allocation, capacity charges, coverage of variable charges
- Development of PPA's to designed to provide ancillary services market in PPAs (grid services provided load shifting, frequency and voltage management, spinning reserve management, inertia support, black start).
- Research on alternative pricing, availability targets, and liquidated damage practices in different countries (dispatch of batteries in PPA agreements, battery requirements in renewable PPAs; structure of tolling contracts; financing of batteries by electricity distribution companies).
- Problems of control of cycles in battery PPA agreements – as the supplier does not have control over cycles, should the supplier take risks of degradation and battery life.
- Issue of whether battery PPA agreements should require fixed amounts of capacity over time and thereby require augmentation

### Session 10: Review of PPA Agreements for Energy Storage.

- Availability of Public PPA agreements
- Case Study on Review of Actual PPA Agreements – Entergy Case
- Data measurement of capacity and availability in PPA
  - Availability KPI's in PPA agreements and liquidated damages for missing availability targets
  - Efficiency KPI's in PPA agreements and liquidated damages for missing targets
  - Degradation and Augmentation KPI's and requirements in PPA's and how to structure capacity requirements in PPA's
- PPA price mechanisms Alternative pricing for batteries – Capacity payment; Pay-as-produced, Limits on Cycles, Correspondence with supply contracts
- Batteries in the context of Physical and Virtual PPAs for renewable energy such as corporate PPAs for datacenters and other non-utility consumers.



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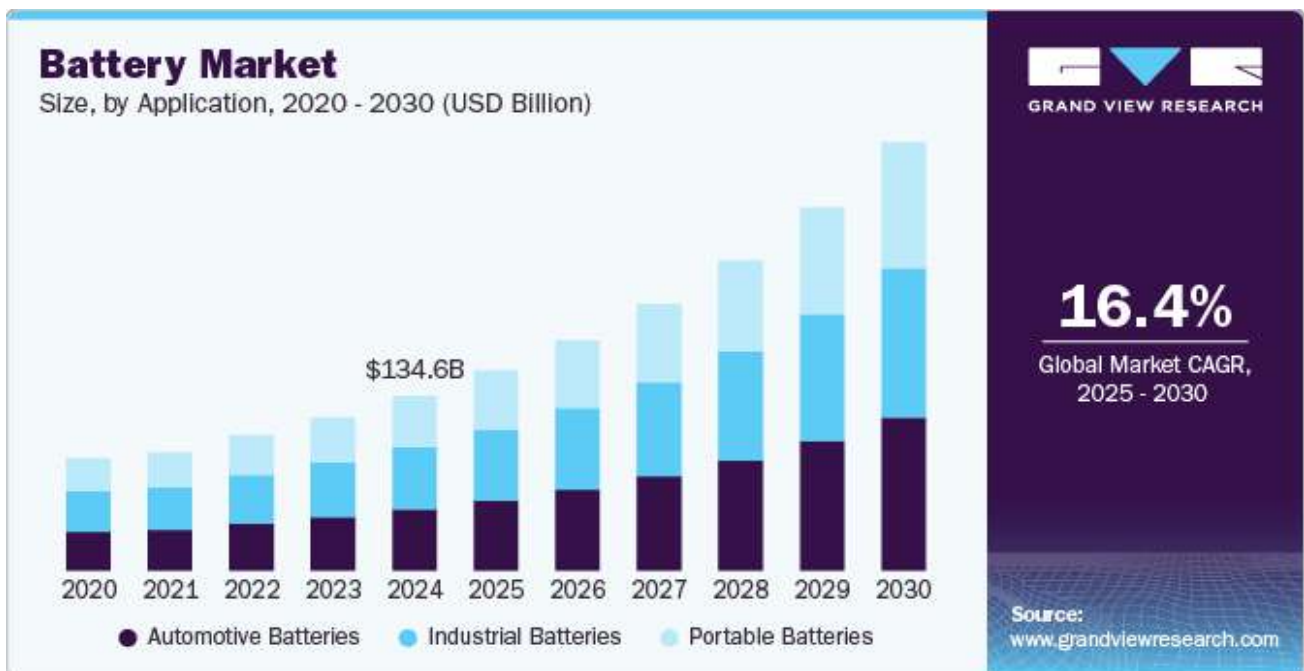
### Session 11: Evaluation of Financing and Integrated Financial Models of Battery Systems.

- Theory Risk Evaluation Using Scenario Analysis with Focus on the Manner in which Bankers Apply Downside Analysis
- Inclusion of replacement cost of batteries with solar and battery differing lifespans
- Financing and Concern About Technology Risk
- Demonstration of Banking Analysis with Independent Engineer

- Measurement of Risk Using Structured Master Scenario Page in Excel
- Model with Options for Adding Sensitivity Analysis to Defined ScenariosW

Post-Session Q &A (Day 1 – 3)

17:00 – End of Day 3 & Course.



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- (a) BII World LTD will refund full payment to the client within 15 business days.  
(b) Client can choose the credit option for 2 years, for more details please read term no-2 part (a)

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