

**EFI4 Energy Finance Italia**  
**February 4-5, 2019 - Università Milano Bicocca**  
**U7, floor IV, room 4064**  
**PROGRAMME**

**Monday, February 4, 2019**

09.00 – 10.15 Registration (Big hall U7, Floor 4) and welcome coffee

10.15 – 10.30 Opening – Welcome speech by Mario Mezzanzanica – Head of Dept of Statistics and Quantitative Methods

10.30 -11.00 Chair: Silvana Stefani  
Raffaella Cremonesi, Head of Dept of Financial Planning, Cash Flow and Currency Management, ENI - *Problems and open issues in Financial planning and management in an energy company*

11.00 – 13:00 **Electricity markets 1** Chair: Tiziano Vargiolu

11:00 Discussant: Fulvio Fontini  
Tomasz Serafin “Window Selection and Averaging for Probabilistic Day-Ahead Electricity Price Forecasting”

11:30 Discussant: Tomasz Serafin  
Bartosz Uniejewski Understanding Intraday Electricity Markets: Variable Selection and Very Short-Term Price Forecasting Using Lasso

12:00 Discussant: Tiziano Vargiolu  
Paolo Falbo Equilibrium Price of Carbon Certificates and the Electricity Sector

12:30 Discussant: Bartosz Uniejewski  
Michał Narajewski Econometric Modelling and Forecasting of Intraday Electricity Prices

13.00 – 14.00 Lunch

14.00 – 15:30 **Pricing, valuation and derivatives 1** Chair: Carlo Mari

14:00 Discussant: Dimitrios Zormpas  
Piergiacomo Sabino Forward or Backward Simulation? Application to the Pricing of Energy Facilities

14:30 Discussant: Piergiacomo Sabino  
Annika Kemper Options on Futures in Electricity Markets: an Affine Seasonal Stochastic Volatility Model

15:00 Discussant: Annika Kemper  
Dimitrios Zormpas Investing in Electricity Production Under a Reliability Options scheme

15:30 – 16.00 Coffee Break

16.00 – 17:30 **Gas and commodity markets** Chair: Paolo Falbo

16:00 Discussant: Maren Diane Schmeck  
Emanuele Nastasi - Smile Modelling in Commodity Markets

16:30 Discussant: Michał Narajewski

Maren Diane Schmeck - Activity Based Modelling of Commodity Futures Markets

17:00 Discussant: Emanuele Nastasi

Emanuele Fabbiani - Short-Term Forecasting of Italian Gas Demand

17:30 Virginia Canazza New trends in applied research in the Energy Sector Chair Carlo Lucheroni

18:00- 19:00 **The future of EFI** General discussion

20.30 **Social Dinner at Harry's Bar**

in front of Teatro Bicocca degli Arcimboldi (a 5-minute walk from the place the conference will be held)

## **Tuesday, February 5, 2019**

**09.30 – 11:00 Renewables**

Chair: Maria Teresa Vespucci

9:30 Discussant: Carlo Lucheroni

Patrizio Morganti Renewables, Finance, and Growth: Causality Relationships

10:00 Discussant: Antonella Basso

Silvia Checola Life Cycle Costing for Financial and Environmental Assessments: a Renewable Energy Project

10:30 Discussant: Enrico Moretto

Giovanni Micheli A Deterministic Model for Generation and Transmission Expansion Planning with High Shares of Renewables

11:00– 11:30 Coffee Break

**11.30 – 13:00 Electricity Markets 2**

Chair: Enrico Moretto

11:30 Discussant: Mariia Soloviova

Sergei Kulakov Determining the Demand Elasticity in a Wholesale Electricity Market

12:00 Discussant: Sergei Kulakov

Mariia Soloviova Efficient Representation of Supply and Demand Curves on Day-Ahead Electricity Markets

12:30 Discussant: Paolo Falbo

Silvana Stefani How to Guarantee the General Charges of electricity in the Liberalized Energy Value Chain

13:00 – 14.00 Lunch

**14.00 – 15.00 Pricing, valuation and derivatives 2**

Chair: Antonella Basso

14:00 Discussant: Enrico Moretto

Antonella Basso Efficiency Valuation of Stocks and Green Portfolio Construction: a Two Stage Approach

14:30 Discussant: Cristian Pelizzari

Enrico Moretto A First Attempt to Bridge the Gap Between Derivative and Insurance Contracts: Hedging Meteorological Risk

15.00 - 15:30: Helyette Geman - Skype session: "Some Examples of High Frequency Trading in Crude Oil Markets during Times of High Volatility"  
Chair: Silvana Stefani

15:30 - 16:00: Farewell Coffee