



PLENARY PANEL: CROSS-CUTTING INITIATIVES AT DOE

TUESDAY: PLENARY PANEL

MODERATOR

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SESSION ABSTRACT

DOE leadership will review several department-wide initiatives: Grid Modernization Initiative, Energy Storage Grand Challenge, and Cybersecurity. Topics that will be covered: cross-cutting initiatives as they relate to resilience, why cross-cutting initiatives are important, and success stories as result of these initiatives.

The session will be about 25 minutes of pre-recorded presentations. The rest of the time will be set up for a facilitated live Q&A. I have a few questions drafted to get the conversation started:

1. How can industry and academia get more involved with these cross-cutting initiatives?
2. What is DOE's biggest obstacle in improving resilience?
3. What other cross-cutting initiatives do you think DOE will focus on in the future for improving resilience?