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EDUCATION

- 2013 | **ETH Zurich**, Switzerland
PhD in Electrical Engineering (Power Systems Laboratory)
Advisor: Prof. Göran ANDERSSON
Dissertation: "Power system planning and operation methods integrating the controllability of HVDC"
- 2007 | **National Technical University of Athens (NTUA)**, Greece
Diploma in Electrical and Computer Engineering
Advisor: Prof. Nikos HATZIARGYRIOU
Thesis: "Development of a Control System for Islanded Power Systems based on Intelligent Agents Technology"
- 2005 | **Technische Universität München**, Germany
Exchange Semester
- 2002 | Geitonas High School, Greece
Apolytirion

FURTHER EDUCATION

- 2017 – 2018 | **Harvard Business School**, MA, USA
Executive Leadership Program
Selected to attend an 1-year leadership program at Harvard Business School (on-campus and distance courses), supported by the "Pasteur Program 2017" of Innovation Fund Denmark. Learning about leadership, strategy and execution, negotiation, and management of innovation.
- 2016 – 2017 | **Technical University of Denmark**, Denmark
Education in University Teaching at DTU
1½-year course on didactics and pedagogics for university teaching. Graduated with the citation: "dedicated and competent teacher able to understand the important factors in teaching which support student learning in an effective way"

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2016 – *Current* | **Technical University of Denmark**, Denmark
Associate Professor
Assistant Professor (2016 – 2018). Leading 11 full-time researchers (6 PhD students) and have been managing research projects of a total budget of 5.5 million USD since 2016. Co-PI of the MULTI-DC project (3.5 million USD) and PI or partner in a number of other research projects. Focus is on zero-inertia grids (North Sea Energy Hub), combined AC and HVDC grids, and on machine learning for power systems.
- 2015 – 2016 | **Massachusetts Institute of Technology**, MA, USA
Postdoctoral Researcher
Worked on the construction of convex stability certificates through semidefinite programming. Focus was on the incorporation of remedial actions which are offered through synthetic inertia, FACTS, and HVDC.

- 2014 – 2015 | **Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, CA, USA**
 Postdoctoral Researcher
 Technical lead of a research project with 10 scientists to develop a cosimulation platform, called VirGIL, that integrates power system simulation, building modeling and controls for demand response, and communications systems. Applied for and got awarded a US \$5 million grant from the US Department of Energy (DOE) to develop VirGIL to a tool for utilities. Actively participated in the US DOE Scoping Study for DC microgrids. Participated in the ARPA-E project for the development and deployment of micro-synchrophasors in distribution grids. Member of the CIGRE WG C6.22: Microgrids Evolution Roadmap.
- 2008 – 2014 | **ETH Zurich, Switzerland**
 Member of the Scientific Staff
 Worked on EU-sponsored IRENE-40 Project. Developed analytical approaches for network planning. Proposed the first Security-Constrained Optimal Power Flow formulation which takes into account the post-contingency control capabilities of VSC-HVDC lines. Led the task “Infrastructure Measures for Increased Power System Security”, involving three project partners (Partners: Siemens, Alstom Grid, ABB. Task duration: 12 months). Offered network consulting services to TenneT GmbH, Deutschland.
- 2011 | **University of Liège, Belgium**
 Visiting Researcher
 Developed two concepts. THE GLOBAL GRID puts forward the vision of a global electricity grid which will harvest remote renewable energy sources and supply load centers with green energy. The second concept, TOWARDS A FULLY CONTROLLABLE POWER SYSTEM, proposes analytical approaches for the placement of controllable devices. The objective is to decouple market operations from security considerations, eliminating the “Cost of Security”.
- 2007 – 2008 | **NTUA Power Systems Laboratory, Greece**
 Research Assistant
 Worked on EU-sponsored MORE MICROGRIDS and EU-DEEP projects. Developed a distributed control algorithm based on machine learning techniques and Multi-Agent systems. Carried out one of the first field tests worldwide of Multi-agent technology in Microgrids (Kythnos island). Participated in the development of a Virtual Power Plant (VPP), involving three different sites.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2016 – Current | **31765 - Optimization in modern power systems**
 Course Responsible, Technical University of Denmark
 Designed and offering the course.
- 2016 – Current | **31730 - Fundamentals of electric power engineering**
 Course Responsible, Technical University of Denmark
 Teaching about half of the course material.
- 2008 – 2012 | **Electric Power Systems**
 Teaching Assistant, ETH Zurich
 Offered the exercise sessions of the course. Held office hours. Prepared and graded the exams.

LANGUAGES

- ENGLISH: Fluent
 GERMAN: Fluent
 FRENCH, DANISH: Basic knowledge
 GREEK: Mother tongue

COMPUTER SKILLS

Programming Languages: C, Python, Matlab, Java
Power Systems Software: Powerfactory, PSS/E, Neplan, Powerworld

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2019 – 2020 Guest Editor of the IET Generation, Transmission, Distribution Special Issue on “Advanced data-analytics for power system operation, control, and enhanced situational awareness”
- since January 2019 Member of the Technical Program Committee of Power Systems Computation Conference
- since July 2017 Secretary of the Basil Papadias Best Paper Award Committee, and member of the International Advisory Committee of IEEE Powertech
- 2017-2018 Member of the Technical Program Committee of IET RPG 2018
- 2017-2018 Member of the Scientific Program Committee of Medpower 2018
- 2017 Member of the Technical Program Committee of GlobalSIP 2017 (Signal and Information Processing for Smart Grid Infrastructure)
- since 2018 CIGRE WG C4.47: Power System Resilience
- since 2017 CIGRE WG C1.35: Global electricity network feasibility study
- 2014-2016 CIGRE WG C6.22: Microgrids Evolution Roadmap
- since 2011 Serving as reviewer for IEEE TRANSACTIONS ON POWER SYSTEMS, IEEE TRANSACTIONS ON SUSTAINABLE ENERGY, ELECTRIC POWER SYSTEMS RESEARCH, IET GENERATION, TRANSMISSION, DISTRIBUTION, IEEE POWERTECH, IEEE PES GENERAL MEETING, POWER SYSTEMS COMPUTATION CONFERENCE (PSCC)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 2006-2007 Organizing Committee — *1st National Student Conference of Electrical and Computer Engineers, Athens, Greece, 2007*
Had the initiative and formed the Organizing Committee (12 members). The conference created a forum where Greek engineering students present their work, connect, exchange ideas, and listen to distinguished invited speakers (e.g., from UC Berkeley, MIT, GeorgiaTech, EPFL, Merrill Lynch, IBM, ABB). The 1st Conference was attended by 860 participants. Since 2007 it is organized by ECE students almost every year [Athens (2008), Thessaloniki (2009), Patras (2010), Xanthi (2012), Athens (2013), ...] with a peak of 1800 attendees in 2009.
- SUMMER 2004 *Volunteerism*
Spectator Assistant, Athens 2004 Olympic Games
- 1998-2001 *Hellenic Mathematical Society*
Succeeded in 4 Mathematical Contests and was selected as one of the top 25 students in Greece for the year 2000

MEMBERSHIPS

- since JULY 2004 *Senior Member (since 2018)*
Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)
Power and Energy Society (PES)
- since JULY 2009 Technical Chamber of Greece

PUBLICATIONS

PHD THESIS

- [1] Spyridon (Spyros) Chatzivasileiadis. *Power System Planning and Operation Methods Integrating the Controllability of HVDC*. PhD thesis, No. 21460, ETH Zurich, Switzerland, 2013.

JOURNALS

- [2] L. Bobo, A. Venzke, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Second-order cone relaxations of the optimal power flow for active distribution grids. 2020. Under review.
- [3] M. Dijokas, A. Tosatto, T. Weckesser, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and R. Eriksson. Sharing reserves through hvdc: potential cost savings in the nordic countries. 2020. Under review.
- [4] A. Venzke and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Verification of neural network behaviour: Formal guarantees for power system applications. 2019. Under review.
- [5] A. Venzke, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and D. Molzahn. Inexact convex relaxations for AC optimal power flow: Towards AC feasibility. 2019. Under review.
- [6] Andreas Venzke, Lejla Halilbašić, Adélie Barré, Line Roald, and Spyros Chatzivasileiadis. Chance-constrained AC optimal power flow integrating hvdc lines and controllability. *Accepted at International Journal of Electrical Power & Energy Systems*, 116:105522, 2020.
- [7] A. Tosatto, T. Weckesser, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Market integration of hvdc lines: internalizing hvdc losses in market clearing. *Accepted at IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, pages 1–1, 2019.
- [8] F. Thams, A. Venzke, R. Eriksson, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Efficient database generation for data-driven security assessment of power systems. *Accepted at IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, pages 1–1, 2019.
- [9] L. Halilbašić, P. Pinson, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Convex relaxations and approximations of chance-constrained ac-opf problems. *IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, 34(2):1459–1470, March 2019.
- [10] A. Venzke and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Convex relaxations of probabilistic ac optimal power flow for interconnected ac and hvdc grids. *IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, 34(4):2706–2718, July 2019.
- [11] A. Venzke, L. Halilbasic, U. Markovic, G. Hug, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Convex relaxations of chance constrained AC optimal power flow. *IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, 33(3):2829–2841, 2018.
- [12] T. L. Vu, S. Chatzivasileiadis, H. D. Chiang, and K. Turitsyn. Structural emergency control paradigm. *IEEE Journal on Emerging and Selected Topics in Circuits and Systems*, 7(3):371–382, Sep. 2017.
- [13] S. Chatzivasileiadis, J. Matanza, M. Bonvini, R. Yin, T. Nouidui, Z. Liu, E. C. Kara, R. Parmar, D. Lorenzetti, M. Wetter, and S. Kiliccote. VirGIL: A co-simulation platform for cyber-physical modeling of distributed resources for distribution system operations. *Proceedings of the IEEE*, 104(4):789–806, 2016.
- [14] M. Bucher, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Managing Flexibility in Multi-Area Power Systems. *IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, 31(2):1218–1226, 2016.
- [15] E. Iggland, R. Wiget, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Anderson. Multi-Area DC-OPF for HVAC and HVDC grids. *IEEE Transactions on Power Systems*, 30(5):2450–2459, 2015.
- [16] S. Chatzivasileiadis, D. Ernst, and G. Andersson. The Global Grid. *Renewable Energy*, 57:372–383, September 2013.

PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCES

- [17] G. S. Misyris, A. Venzke, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Physics-informed neural networks for power systems. 2019. Submitted.
- [18] A. Venzke, D. K. Molzahn, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Efficient creation of datasets for data-driven power system applications. 2019. Submitted.
- [19] A. Tosatto and S. Chatzivasileiadis. HVDC loss factors in the Nordic Market. 2019. Submitted.
- [20] C. Hidalgo-Arteaga, F. Hancharou, F. Thams, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Deep learning for power system security assessment. In *IEEE Powertech 2019, Milan, Italy*, pages 1–6, June 2019.
- [21] G. Misyris, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and T. Weckesser. Grid supporting VSCs in power systems with varying inertia and short-circuit capacity. In *IEEE Powertech 2019, Milan, Italy*, pages 1–6, June 2019.
- [22] A. Venzke, L. Halilbasic, A. Barre, L. Roald, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Chance-constrained AC optimal power flow integrating HVDC lines and controllability. In *11th Mediterranean Conference on Power Generation, Transmission, Distribution and Energy Conversion (Medpower)*, pages 1–6, Nov 2018.
- [23] G. Misyris, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and T. Weckesser. Robust frequency control for varying inertia power systems. In *2018 IEEE Innovative Smart Grid Technologies - Europe (ISGT-Europe)*, pages 1–6, Oct 2018.
- [24] Andreas Venzke and Spyros Chatzivasileiadis. Convex relaxations of security constrained ac optimal power flow under uncertainty. In *20th Power Systems Computation Conference (PSCC)*, pages 1–7, June 2018.
- [25] Lejla Halilbasic, Florian Thams, Andreas Venzke, Spyros Chatzivasileiadis, and Pierre Pinson. Data-driven security-constrained ac-opf for operations and markets. In *20th Power Systems Computation Conference (PSCC)*, pages 1–7, June 2018.
- [26] F. Thams, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and R. Eriksson. Dc voltage droop control structures and its impact on the interaction modes in interconnected ac-hvdc systems. In *2017 IEEE Innovative Smart Grid Technologies - Asia (ISGT-Asia)*, pages 1–6, Dec 2017.
- [27] M. Krutova, L. v. Bremen, and S. Chatzivasileiadis. Novel node selection approach for continent-wide power system studies using spatio-temporal clustering. In *16th Wind Integration Workshop, Berlin, Germany*, October 2017.
- [28] F. Thams, L. Halilbasic, P. Pinson, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and R. Eriksson. Data-driven security constrained opf. In *2017 iREP Symposium - Bulk Power System Dynamics and Control - X (iREP), Porto, Portugal*, pages 1–10, August 2017.
- [29] L. Halilbasic, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and P. Pinson. Coordinating flexibility under uncertainty in multi-area ac and dc grids. In *IEEE Powertech 2017, Manchester, UK*, pages 1–6, June 2017.
- [30] F. Thams, S. Chatzivasileiadis, E. Prieto-Araujo, and R. Eriksson. Disturbance attenuation of dc voltage droop control structures in a multi-terminal hvdc grid. In *IEEE Powertech 2017, Manchester, UK*, pages 1–6, June 2017.
- [31] T. L. Vu, S. Chatzivasileiadis, H. D. Chiang, and K. Turitsyn. Structural emergency control for power grids. In *2017 American Control Conference (ACC)*, pages 3418–3423, May 2017.
- [32] J. Schmidli, L. Roald, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Stochastic ac optimal power flow with approximate chance-constraints. In *IEEE Power and Energy Society General Meeting 2016, Boston, MA, USA*, pages 1–5, July 2016.
- [33] S. Chatzivasileiadis, T. L. Vu, and K. Turitsyn. Remedial actions to enhance stability of low-inertia systems. In *IEEE Power and Energy Society General Meeting 2016, Boston, MA, USA*, pages 1–5, July 2016.
- [34] T. L. Vu, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and K. Turitsyn. Towards electronics-based emergency control in power grids with high renewable penetration. In *American Control Conference 2016, Boston, MA, USA*, pages 1–8, July 2016.

- [35] S. Rotger-Griful, S. Chatzivasileiadis, R. Hylsberg Jacobsen, E. M. Stewart, J. Matanza Domingo, and M. Wetter. Hardware-in-the-loop co-simulation of distribution grid for demand response. In *19th Power Systems Computation Conference (PSCC)*, pages 1–7, June 2016.
- [36] C. Marnay, S. Chatzivasileiadis, J. Geza, C. Abbey, P. Lombardi, R. Iravani, and P. Mancarella. Microgrid evolution roadmap: Engineering, economics, and experience. In *International Symposium on Smart Electric Distribution Systems and Technologies (EDST) 2015*, September 2015.
- [37] S. Chatzivasileiadis and G. Andersson. Security constrained OPF incorporating corrective control of HVDC. In *18th Power Systems Computation Conference*, pages 1–8, August 2014.
- [38] A. Ulbig, T. Rinke, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Predictive control for real-time frequency control and frequency inertia provision in power systems. In *52nd IEEE Conference on Decision and Control*, pages 1–8, December 2013.
- [39] M. Vrakopoulou, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Probabilistic security-constrained optimal power flow including the controllability of HVDC lines. In *IEEE Innovative Smartgrid Technologies (ISGT) 2013*, pages 1–5, October 2013.
- [40] M. Vrakopoulou, S. Chatzivasileiadis, E. Iggland, M. Imhof, T. Krause, O. Mäkelä, J. Mathieu, L. Roald, R. Wiget, and G. Andersson. A unified analysis of security-constrained OPF formulations considering uncertainty, risk, and controllability in single and multi-area systems. In *2013 iREP Symposium - Bulk Power System Dynamics and Control - IX (iREP)*, Rethymnon, Greece, pages 1–19, August 2013.
- [41] S. Chatzivasileiadis, T. Krause, and G. Andersson. Supergrid or local network reinforcements, and the value of controllability – an analytical approach. In *IEEE Powertech 2013*, pages 1–6, June 2013.
- [42] S. Chatzivasileiadis, T. Krause, and G. Andersson. HVDC line placement for maximizing social welfare – an analytical approach. In *IEEE Powertech 2013*, pages 1–6, June 2013.
- [43] S. Chatzivasileiadis, T. Krause, and G. Andersson. Security-constrained optimal power flow including post-contingency control of VSC-HVDC lines. In *XII SEPOPE, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*, pages 1–12, May 2012.
- [44] T. Krause, S. Chatzivasileiadis, M. Katsampani, and G. Andersson. Impacts of grid reinforcements on the strategic behavior of power market participants. In *9th International Conference on the European Energy Market (EEM)*, Florence, Italy, pages 1–8, May 2012.
- [45] S. Koch, M.D. Galus, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Emergency control concepts for future power systems. In *18th IFAC World Congress, Milan, Italy*, pages 1–9, August 2011.
- [46] A. Ulbig, M. Arnold, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. Framework for multiple time-scale cascaded MPC application in power systems. In *18th IFAC World Congress, Milan, Italy*, pages 1–9, August 2011.
- [47] S. Chatzivasileiadis, M. Bucher, M. Arnold, T. Krause, and G. Andersson. Incentives for optimal integration of fluctuating power generation. In *17th Power Systems Computation Conference (PSCC)*, Stockholm, Sweden, pages 1–8, August 2011.
- [48] S. Chatzivasileiadis, T. Krause, and G. Andersson. Flexible AC transmission systems (FACTS) and power system security – a valuation framework. In *IEEE Power and Energy Society General Meeting 2011, Detroit, USA*, pages 1–8, July 2011.
- [49] S. Chatzivasileiadis, M.D. Galus, Y. Reckinger, and G. Andersson. Q-learning for optimal deployment strategies of frequency controllers using the aggregated storage of PHEV fleets. In *IEEE PowerTech 2011, Trondheim, Norway*, pages 1–8, June 2011.
- [50] S. Koch, S. Chatzivasileiadis, M. Vrakopoulou, and G. Andersson. Mitigation of cascading failures by real-time controlled islanding and graceful load shedding. In *2010 iREP Symposium - Bulk Power System Dynamics and Control - VIII (iREP)*, Buzios, Brazil, pages 1–19, Aug. 2010.
- [51] A. Ulbig, M.D. Galus, S. Chatzivasileiadis, and G. Andersson. General frequency control with aggregated control reserve capacity from time-varying sources: The case of PHEVs. In *2010 iREP*

Symposium - Bulk Power System Dynamics and Control - VIII (iREP), Buzios, Brazil, pages 1 –14, Aug. 2010.

- [52] A.L. Dimeas, S.I. Hatzivasiliadis, and N.D. Hatziargyriou. Control agents for enabling customer-driven microgrids. In *IEEE Power and Energy Society General Meeting 2009, Calgary, Canada*, pages 1 –7, July 2009.
- [53] A. Dimeas, N. Hatziargyriou, S. Chatzivassiliadis, P. Moutis, and T. Tomtsi. Multi-agent system for creation of virtual power plant (VPP) with aggregated and decentralized control. In *3rd International Conference on Integration of Renewable and Distributed Energy Resources (IRED), Nice, France*, December 2008.
- [54] A. Dimeas, N. Hatziargyriou, and S. Chatzivasiliadis. Design of an agent based virtual power plant with aggregated load. In *6th Mediterranean Conference and Exhibition on Power Generation, Transmission and Distribution (MedPower), Thessaloniki, Greece*, November 2008.
- [55] A. Dimeas, N. Hatziargyriou, and S. Hatzivasiliadis. Implementation of agent based control for microgrids in the island of Kythnos. In *6th Mediterranean Conference and Exhibition on Power Generation, Transmission and Distribution (MedPower), Thessaloniki, Greece*, November 2008.
- [56] S.J. Chatzivasiliadis, N.D. Hatziargyriou, and A.L. Dimeas. Development of an agent based intelligent control system for microgrids. In *IEEE Power and Energy Society General Meeting 2008, Pittsburgh, USA*, pages 1 –6, July 2008.

BOOK CHAPTERS

- [57] S. Chatzivasileiadis and D. Ernst. Towards a Global Grid: The state of play in cross-border electricity markets. In Thomas Cottier, editor, *International Trade in Electricity and the Greening Economy*. Cambridge University Press, 2017.
- [58] S. Chatzivasileiadis, D. Ernst, and G. Andersson. Global power grids for harnessing world renewable energy. In Lawrence E. Jones, editor, *Renewable Energy Integration: Practical Management of Variability, Uncertainty and Flexibility in Power Grids*. Elsevier, 2014.

FURTHER PUBLICATIONS

- [59] S. Backhaus, G.W. Swift, S. Chatzivasileiadis, W. Tschudi, S. Glover, M. Starke, J. Wang, M. Yue, and D. Hammerstrom. DC microgrids scoping study — estimate of technical and economic benefits. LA-UR-15-22097. Study funded by the Office of Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability of the U.S. Department of Energy, 2015.
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- [61] Spyros Chatzivasileiadis. Transmission investments in deregulated electricity markets. Technical Report, ETH Zurich, EEH Power Systems Laboratory, 2012. [Online]: <http://e-collection.library.ethz.ch/view/eth:5559>.

RESEARCH GRANTS

EU Horizon 2020. FLEXGRID – A novel smart grid architecture that facilitates high RES penetration through innovative markets towards efficient interaction between advanced electricity grid management and intelligent stakeholders. 36 months. Total: 3'900'000 EUR; for DTU: 433'650 EUR. Awarded.

Danish Innovation Fund. ID-EDGe – Indo-Danish collaboration for data-driven control and optimization for a highly efficient distribution grid. 36 months, 2'500'000 DKK. Principal Investigator. Awarded.

Danish Energy Agency – Energy Technology Development and Demonstration Program (EUDP). NSEH – North Sea Energy Hub Pre-feasibility Study. 20 months, 2'200'000 DKK. Principal Investigator. Awarded.

Danish Innovation Fund, Grand Solutions – Energy. MULTI-DC – Innovative Methods for Optimal Operation of Multiple HVDC connections and Grids. 48 months, 25'7000'000 DKK. Together with Jacob Østergaard. Co-Principal Investigator. Awarded.

California Energy Commission, Electric Program Investment Charge (EPIC). DC Current as an Integrating and Enabling Platform. 36 months, 1'000'000 USD. Start date: July 2015. Together with William Tschudi, Richard Brown, Gerald Robinson, Evangelos Vossos. Awarded.

US Department of Energy, SunShot National Laboratory Multiyear Partnership (SunShot SuNLaMP). CyDER: A Cyber Physical Co-simulation Platform for Distributed Energy Resources in Smart Grids. 36 months, 4'700'000 USD. Together with Emma Stewart, Michael Wetter, Emre C. Kara. Awarded.

EXTERNAL RESEARCH STAYS

Skolkovo Institute of Technology (Skoltech), Russia.	November 2016.	Host: Prof. J. Bialek
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, MA, USA.	July 2016.	Host: Prof. K. Turitsyn
ETH Zurich, Switzerland.	August-October 2015.	Host: Prof. F. Dörfler
University of Liège, Belgium.	May-June 2011.	Host: Prof. D. Ernst

PHD SUPERVISION

Jochen Stiasny. Machine Learning techniques for power systems. Technical University of Denmark. December 2019-ongoing.

Ilgiz Murzakhanov. Data-driven Optimization for Distribution Grids. Technical University of Denmark. June 2019-ongoing.

Anders Eltved. Convex Relaxation Techniques for Nonlinear Optimization. Technical University of Denmark. January 2018-ongoing. Co-supervisor.

Andrea Tosatto. Advanced optimization methods for flexible HVDC grids. Technical University of Denmark. October 2017-ongoing.

Georgios Misyris. Stability and control of AC/HVDC grids in varying inertia systems. Technical University of Denmark. September 2017-ongoing.

Andreas Venzke. Optimization, Control, and Stability of Combined AC and DC Grids under Uncertainty. Technical University of Denmark. June 2017-ongoing.

Lejla Halilbasic. Economic Market Operation of HVDC Grids under uncertainty. Technical University of Denmark. March 2016- May 2019. Graduated. PhD Examination Committee: Prof. Ian Hiskens, Prof. Anthony Papavasiliou, Prof. Jalal Kazempour.

Florian Thams. Control impact assessment of HVDC links in the European system. Technical University of Denmark. March 2016- December 2018. Graduated. PhD Examination Committee: Prof. Louis Wehenkel, Prof. Oriol Gomis-Bellmunt, Dr. Nicolaos A. Cutululis.

PHD EXAMINATION COMMITTEES

Kateryna Morozovska. Dynamic Rating with Applications to Renewable Energy. KTH - Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden. January 2020.

Hanmin Cai. Demand Response for Integrated Heat and Electricity Systems. Technical University of Denmark. December 2019. Chairman of the Assessment Committee.

Lesia Mitridati. Market-Based Coordination of Heat and Electricity Systems. Technical University of Denmark. May 2019. Chairman of the Assessment Committee.

Christos Ordoudis. Market-based Approaches for the Coordinated Operation of Electricity and Natural Gas Systems. Technical University of Denmark. December 2018. Chairman of the Assessment Committee.

Dmitry Shchetinin. Optimization of Power System Operation: Approximation, Relaxations, and Decomposition. ETH Zurich, Switzerland. November 2018.

Iasonas N. Kouveliotis-Lysikatos. Contribution to the development of distributed algorithms for the control and operation of smart distribution networks (Greek). National Technical University of Athens, Greece. July 2018. Mid-term assessment.

Tetiana Bogodorova. Modelling, model validation and uncertainty identification for power system analysis. KTH - Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden. December 2017. Opponent.

Evangelos Karfopoulos. Contribution to electric vehicle management for their more efficient integration in electric power systems (Greek). National Technical University of Athens, Greece. March 2017.

Sébastien Mathieu. Flexibility services in the electrical system. University of Liège, Belgium. March 2016.

INVITED TALKS

1st Adelaide Power Systems Summer School, University of Adelaide, Australia. February 2020. Machine Learning for Power System Applications.

4th Hellenic International Power Group Workshop, National Technical University of Athens, Greece, December 2019. North Sea Energy Hub 2030: Building artificial islands to cover Europe's electricity demand by Offshore Wind.

ENTSO-e, Brussels, Belgium, February 2019. Invited to speak at the "ENTSO-e Market Design 2030 Expert Workshop". Topic: Data-driven Security-Constrained Optimal Power Flow.

ETH Zurich, Switzerland, November 2018. Data-driven Security-Constrained Optimal Power Flow.

Climate Parliament, New Delhi, India, December 2017. Thinking Big: Towards a Global Power Grid.

Energinet, Fredericia, Denmark, October 2017. MULTI-DC: Controlling the power flows.

Oxford University, Oxford, UK, May 2017. Semidefinite Programming for Power System Stability and Chance-Constrained Optimization.

Stanford Smartgrid Seminar Series, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA, USA, April 2017. Semidefinite Programming for Power System Stability and Chance-Constrained Optimization.

MOSEK Workshop on Semidefinite Optimization in Power Flow Problems, Copenhagen, Denmark, February 2017. Semidefinite Programming for Power System Stability and Optimization.

International Conference on Future Electric Power Systems and the Energy Transition, Champéry, Switzerland, February 2017. Convex Relaxations for Optimization of Power Grids Under Uncertainty.

1st Hellenic International Power Group Workshop, National Technical University of Athens, Greece, December 2016. Semidefinite Programming for Power System Stability and Optimization.

Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia, November 2016. Power System Control and Optimization: Challenges and Possible Solutions.

Energy Security Summit 2016, Berlin, Germany, June 2016. Global Power Grids for Harnessing World Renewable Energy.

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA, February 2016. Robust Power System Stability Assessment with Extensions to Inertia Control.

KU Leuven, Leuven, Belgium, November 2015. Robust Power System Stability Assessment with Extensions to Inertia Control.

UC Louvain, Louvain-la-Neuve, Belgium, November 2015. Robust Power System Stability Assessment with Extensions to Inertia Control.

University of Liège, Liège, Belgium, November 2015. Robust Power System Stability Assessment with Extensions to Inertia Control.

ETA Noon Seminar at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, USA, March 2015. VirGIL: A Demand Response Platform for Smartgrids.

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SunPower Corporation, Richmond, CA, USA, February 2015. VirGIL: A Demand Response Platform for Smartgrids.

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