

Day 1: September 24, 2026

Start Time	End Time	Title	Presenter	Association
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	Registration & Entry <i>Outside MSC Ballroom 2400</i>		
6:00 PM	6:15 PM	Opening Remarks <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>	Prof. Efstratios N. Pistikopoulos	Texas A&M Energy Institute
6:15 PM	6:30 PM	ERS Introduction <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>	Lavanya Upadhyaya, ERS President	Department of Nuclear Engineering
6:30 PM	7:30 PM	Keynote Address: Towards Trustworthy Autonomous Process Control: Explainable AI in the Context of Reinforcement Learning Deployment at Industrial Scale <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>	Elbert van der Bijl	YOKOGAWA
7:30 PM	9:00 PM	Networking & Dinner Session <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>		

Day 2: September 25, 2026

Start Time	End Time	Title		Presenter		Association	
8:00 AM	9:00 AM	Registration & Breakfast MSC Ballroom 2400					
9:00 AM	9:15 AM	Opening Remarks MSC Ballroom 2400		TBA		Texas A&M Energy Institute	
9:15 AM	9:45 AM	Plenary Lecture: National Energy Innovation and Scale-up Infrastructure MSC Ballroom 2400		Dr. Christopher T. Wright		Idaho National Laboratory	
9:45 AM	10:00 AM	Break					
10:00 AM	11:30 AM	Morning Oral Sessions					
		Sustainable and Multifunctional Materials & Catalysis MSC 2500	Simulation Models and Risk Analysis MSC 2501	Data Science and Statistical Learning MSC 2502	Energy-driven Policies and Environmental Impacts MSC 2503	Multi-scale Energy Systems and Optimization MSC 2504	
11:30	11:35	ChEGSA Advertisement MSC Ballroom 2400					
11:35	11:45	NTAEE Vice President: Mark Witt MSC Ballroom 2400					
11:45 PM	12:45 PM	Panel Discussion: AI and Emerging Technologies Across the Energy Safety and Value Chain MSC Ballroom 2400		Moderator: Dr. Miriam Sarkis Panels: Elbert van der Bijl Nicholas Bennet Dr. Christopher T. Wright Dr. Karen Kirkland		Texas A&M Energy Institute YOKOGAWA CPS Energy Idaho National Laboratory Department of Nuclear Engineering	

Day 2: September 25, 2026

Start Time	End Time	Title		Presenter	Association
12:45 PM	1:45 PM	Lunch <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>			
1:45 PM	2:15 PM	Plenary Lecture <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>		Nicholas Bennet	CPS Energy
2:15 PM	2:30 PM	Spotlight Presentation <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>		Dr. Roman Shor	Department of Petroleum Engineering
2:30 PM	2:45 PM	Break			
2:45 PM	4:15 PM	Afternoon Oral Sessions			
		Sustainable and Multifunctional Materials & Catalysis <i>MSC 2500</i>	Data Science and Statistical Learning <i>MSC 2501</i>	Process Modeling, Design & Control <i>MSC 2502</i>	Numerical Modeling and Simulations for Energy Technology <i>MSC 2503</i>
4:15 PM	4:30 PM	Break			
4:30 PM	5:30 PM	Poster Session: Recruiting & Networking Session <i>MSC Ballroom 2400</i>			
5:30 PM	6:00 PM	Awards & Closing Remarks			