



Welcome to EE Global Daily!



Welcome to EE Global Daily, bringing you the highlights of the 2009 Energy Efficiency Global Forum and Exposition that took place in Paris, France, from April 27 – 29.

Yesterday marked the close of EE Global 2009, where for the past 72 hours nearly 600 energy efficiency advocates from over

30 countries have exchanged ideas, best practices and policy strategies, and forged the kind of partnerships destined to enhance the global energy efficiency network.

The day's events included [three Executive Dialogue sessions](#). In the afternoon, delegates, sponsors and hosts attended a [Plenary Luncheon](#) at which the inaugural EE Visionary Awards were bestowed to leaders in the energy efficiency community.

The conference's [Closing Plenary](#) session featured a stellar line-up of speakers whose parting message to EE Global delegates was much the same: take the lessons you've learned here back to your communities and continue to push for greater implementation of energy efficiency across all sectors.

A Word From Our Sponsors...

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Our planet is facing a challenge best described by this simple equation: 1) As more and more people must have access to energy, total world energy consumption will double by 2050 in order to sustain growth in both developing countries and mature economies. 2) At the same time, CO2 emissions must be reduced by a factor of two, as decreed in the Kyoto Protocol. [Read More](#) about Schneider's approach to solutions...



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We would like to extend our sincere thanks to all our sponsors and exhibitors; and to members of the Alliance to Save Energy Board, International Steering Committee, and International Planning Committee, all of whom helped make EE Global a resounding success. A special thanks to all our attendees who came to Paris from all corners of the world to support and strengthen the energy efficiency community.

Overheard at EE Global

EE Global 2009 is really graduate school for professionals in the field of energy efficiency. It is a stimulating environment where cutting-edge ideas can be exchanged, and the best ones fast-tracked for implementation. – Tom Catania, VP, Government Relations, Whirlpool Corp.



What a great opportunity to network with the outstanding companies in the world which care about energy and the environment. With all this positive energy, we are bound to change the world for a brighter tomorrow. – Marcy L. Reed, Sr. VP, Public Affairs, National Grid

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