



An APVA WORKSHOP

Friday 19th July

Open to Members
and non-members

Program features

Customer attitudes
to PV, home-batteries
and energy efficiency in
Australia and elsewhere

Research-based
outcomes

Electricity utility
perspectives

The way forward

Networking
opportunity

Have your say!

Pricing

APVA Members \$55

Non-members \$110

Places may be limited.

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Consumers, Utilities and a Distributed Energy Market

This event - organised and hosted by the APVA - is supported by ARENA and will provide participants with the latest CSIRO research about consumer interest in PV, PV+batteries and energy efficiency. The workshop will also discuss the impact of APVA research findings on utility revenue, government and utility responses to this, and alternative proposals to enable sustainable uptake of PV and energy efficiency. The discussion will be based on the latest research carried out in Australia and overseas.

Location: Room 214 Ian Ross Building, ANU, Canberra
(please see maps overleaf)

Program

10:00am Registration opens

10.30am **Welcome and opening address**

11:15am **Introduction to the APVA and to this
research project** - Muriel Watt, Chair APVA

11:45am **Distributed energy market policy
trends and customer attitudes to PV: USA and
Mexico** – Ardeth Barnhart and Viviana Barquero,
University of Arizona (via video-link)

12:30pm **Lunch**

1:30pm **Focus Group and Customer Survey
responses** - Peta Ashworth, CSIRO

2:15pm **Consequences for utilities of increased PV
and energy efficiency, utility and government
responses, and proposed alternative approaches** –
Rob Passey, UNSW / IT Power Australia

3:00pm **Utility / regulator responses to our proposals**
– Nigel Morris, SBS and Muriel Watt, APVA

3:45pm **General discussion**

4:30pm **Close** of workshop

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