

Open Call for Application – WG4 Co-Chair positions

ETIP SNET has been established as part of the **Integrated Roadmap within the Strategic Energy Technology Plan (SET Plan)**, with the aim of gathering **diverse stakeholders and energy sector experts**. Its role is to guide Research, Development, and Innovation (RD&I) to support Europe's energy transition, revise the Strategic Research and Innovation Roadmap, and identify possible barriers and technical challenges to innovation.

The initiative performs its mission through **5 Working Groups (WGs)** each led by one Chair and two Co-Chairs. For further information, please download the ToR [here](#).

The WG4 (Digitalisation of the electricity system and customer participation) is currently looking for two new Co-Chairs.



Working Group 4 addresses the use and impact of the Information and Communication Technologies as a pervasive tool along the entire value chain of the power generation, transportation and use. The communication layer is one of the pillars of the smart energy system, enabling system observability, monitoring, control and protection, specifically enabling a radical change in the relation between the final user and the energy system. New digital tools (i.e. from smart meters to social networks) linked to the Internet of Things will aim to favour Customer participation in all stages of the development and expansion of the energy system thanks to the analysis of big data generated. The widespread use of digital technologies however needs to be accompanied by suitable measures for data and information protection from malicious intrusions and attacks (cybersecurity) and from uncontrolled use of customers data (data privacy).

The role of WG Co-Chair includes:

- Provide back-up to the Chair representing the WG within the ETIP SNET governance;
- Representing the WG externally during external events, if deemed useful;
- Support coordinating the WG's activities.



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Call for WG4

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These activities will be closely supported by the ETIP SNET Secretariat.

Interested stakeholders with relevant expertise are encouraged to apply by 27th March 2025.

Send the completed application form to secretariat@etipsnet.eu.