

**Working Group on Multi Agent Systems (MAS)
Intelligent Systems Subcommittee**

2014 IEEE PES General Meeting

Monday, July 28, 2014, 11:00-12:00

**Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center on the Potomac,
National Harbor, MD (Washington, DC Metro Area), USA**

Room: Azalea 3

Chair: Nikos Hatziargyriou

Minutes:

- 1) It was informed that the panel “Benefits and challenges of deploying multi-agent systems” supported by the working group will take place on Thursday, 31 July, from 8 to 10 AM, in the room Chesapeake L.

- 2) **Proposed Panel Session for PES GM 2015:**
Tentative Title: Distributed optimization in transactive energy systems”, proposed by Koen Kok, Steven Widergren, and Nikos Hatziargyriou. Abstract to be sent shortly.

- 3) **Focus of MAS WG Activities:**
The following ideas arose:
 - The WG is preparing a tutorial proposal, ideally for IEEE PES GM 2016.
 - Other panels are being prepared: Panel on “Market-based control” for IEEE ISGT Europe, 2014, in Istanbul, another one for PowerTech 2015, and maybe a panel concerning standards for ISAP 2015.

- 4) **MAS WG Webpage:** The management of the MAS WG pages on the IEEE website has to be checked with Ivana Kockar and Victoria Catterson. The web pages should be updated and include an overview of the papers in the working group scope, software allowing people to experiment using agents and adding new ones, links for open software, and information on real-world applications.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Zita Vale

ANNEX I: Meeting attendants signatures and contacts