



MILITARY MICROGRIDS—VETERAN WORKFORCE OPPORTUNITIES

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

In partnership with the Atlantic Council Global Energy Center and in support of the Veterans Advanced Energy Week, GC Green is proud to present a workshop for military leaders and the broad community of veterans on the best practices and veteran inclusion opportunities for military microgrids.

The discussion of the innovative microgrid project at MCAS Miramar serves as a model and a springboard for advancing needed conversations around leveraging the experience and capability of veterans to implement resiliency technologies/strategies at military bases, including vital long-term system operations and maintenance.

AGENDA

SESSION INTRODUCTION & OBJECTIVES

PANEL PRESENTATIONS:

- PANEL PRESENTATION 1: Military Microgrid Prospects & Miramar Microgrid Showcase
- PANEL PRESENTATION 2: Veteran Microgrid Workforce Opportunities

BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

- BREAKOUT SESSIONS 1: Planning for Military Microgrids
- BREAKOUT SESSIONS 2: Building Veteran Inclusion

TWO-HOUR SITE TOUR:

- 2:00pm PDT, Separate registration required: [Event Site/Miramar Gate](#)

MODERATOR

JON GILLIS, ATLANTIC COUNCIL VETERANS ADVANCED ENERGY PROJECT

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Military Microgrids Veteran Workforce Opportunities

August 4, 2021
9:30am - 10:30am PDT

RESILIENCY IS THE NEW SUSTAINABILITY

As part of the **Veterans Advanced Energy Week**, attend our two-hour panel discussion about military microgrids and how they are helping to meet the directive of sustaining water and power on installations for up to two weeks without having to depend on the civilian water and power supplies.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

We will also discuss the best-in-class **MCAS Miramar Microgrid Project**—one of the largest deployed defense-related microgrids in the world. We have arranged for a special, on-site tour of the facility. Separate registration is required. Registration limited.

SITE TOUR REGISTRATION

VETERAN EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

Veterans and transitioning military bring **unique skill sets and experience** to building, operating, and maintaining microgrids. Long-term and rewarding opportunities are developing across the military. Come learn about expected requirements, certifications, and training resources.

LEARN MORE

[Veterans Advanced Energy Week](#) (VAEW) is a FREE, interactive virtual learning and networking experience organized by the Atlantic Council Global Energy Center and is dedicated to Veterans, reservists, and military spouses working to strengthen U.S. national security through careers in the advanced energy industry.