



Be a stronger leader
in the face of
escalating change

April 14 - 16
2019

THE ACADEMY
CEO
Roundtable

Phoenix, Arizona

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“Very good, thought-provoking topics to help senior leaders feed and stretch their minds. The networking with other executives — and chance to discuss opportunities and issues with peers from around the country — is invaluable.”

JACOB WILLIAMS

CEO and General Manager, Florida Municipal Power Agency

The CEO Roundtable is public power's premier meeting for top-tier leaders. Come join other dynamic public power executives to discuss what the future holds and the best path forward for your utility.

Hear from the experts about trends and technologies, discuss change management strategies, and expand your peer network.

To facilitate productive dialogue at the meeting, registrations are limited. Reserve your spot today.

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Sunday,
April 14

6 - 7 p.m. Reception

Monday, April 15

8 - 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – Noon

Thriving on Technology Disruption

Recommended CEUs .4 / PDHs 3.5 / CPEs 4.2

Technology is upending industries around the world – and we are just at the beginning of the revolution. From AI, robotics, and 3d printing, to synthetic biology and quantum computing – the pace of change is exponential. Learn how you can prepare for the disruptions coming our way, and turn them into opportunities. Walk through the fundamentals of exponential technologies affecting life and work, see where and how disruption is occurring, and rethink your business. Examine how these technologies are impacting energy and other vital sectors of our economy, and develop your strategy to manage the change.

Vivek Wadhwa, *academic, author and entrepreneur*

Wadhwa is a Distinguished Fellow at Harvard Law School and Carnegie Mellon University's College of Engineering at Silicon Valley. He is an advisor to several governments and mentors entrepreneurs. His syndicated column for The Washington Post is one of the world's most popular columns on technology and innovation. He is the co-author of The Driver in the Driverless Car: How Our Technology Choices Will Create the Future.

Noon – 1:30 p.m.

Lunch (hosted)

1:30 – 4:30 p.m.

Building a Culture of Learning and Inclusion

Recommended CEUs .3 / PDHs 3 / CPEs 3.6

Workplace demographics are shifting and the next generation is coming in with new skills and new expectations. Learn how to drive the transformation of your workplace culture to support learning and inclusion and factor in new digital habits. Discover how your organization can recruit, engage, and retain the best talent. Discuss why learning is more important than ever, and how you can build a learning culture. Explore changing expectations for diversity and inclusion, and how you can create a culture that fosters innovation. See how best you can navigate and leverage the digital mindset and behaviors of your current and future workforce.

Crystal Kadakia, *CEO & Founder, Invati Consulting*

A two-time TEDx speaker and author of the Amazon bestseller, The Millennial Myth, Kadakia is known for her thought leadership in how to modernize organizations for a digital world. As a management consultant, she brings organizations into the digital age, leveling up people strategies in career development, learning culture, inclusion, leadership development, and employee engagement.

5:30 – 6:30 p.m. **Reception**

Tuesday, April 16

8 - 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. – Noon

Shaping Our Energy Future

Recommended CEUs .4 / PDHs 3.5 / CPEs 4.2

Examine the accelerating pace of technological change and the critical role of information technology in the power sector. Discuss the struggle between conventional and emerging technologies, and why conventional tech inevitably loses. Understand why China matters so much to our energy future. Take a deep dive into recent and upcoming industry changes such as the inevitable mash-up between renewables and energy storage, and the resulting economic and grid synergies. Prepare for the coming battery tsunami and explore why 'expired' electric vehicles will continue to affect the grid. Learn from data and case studies, and strategize on your long-term plan to manage change.

Peter Kelly-Detwiler, *co-founder, NorthBridge Energy Partners*

With more than 25 years of experience in the energy industry, Kelly-Detwiler focuses on the development of retail competitive markets, new trends, technologies, regulatory and market developments, and sustainable solutions that create value in the energy space. He is an active contributor at Forbes.com and author of a forthcoming book on innovation and disruption in the electric power industry.

Noon

Adjourn



“Great opportunity to hear speakers who help broaden your perspective on relevant industry and political topics as well as to meet with your peers in an informal setting.”

JEFF FELDT

General Manager, Kaukauna Utilities

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Register online: publicpower.org/ceoroundtable

REGISTRATION FEES

Register by March 15, 2019, and save on your registration fee for the 2019 CEO Roundtable.

	By March 15
Association Members	\$1,145
Nonmembers	\$2,290

After March 15, all registration fees will increase by \$50.

GUEST ACTIVITIES

CEO Roundtable attendees may bring a guest to the Sunday and Monday evening receptions. There is no registration fee for guests. Please provide your guest's name when you register if you would like a printed name badge.

HOTEL

Arizona Biltmore
2400 E. Missouri Road
Phoenix, AZ 85016

Reservations

Visit publicpower.org/ceoroundtable for a direct link to make your hotel reservations online.

Rate

\$309 Single/Double, plus taxes.

Please make your hotel reservations directly with the Arizona Biltmore by March 22, 2019. The room block may fill up before March 22, so early reservations are encouraged.

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