



## Automation and Electrical Grids

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The domain of power and energy systems is undergoing a major change in terms of operation and planning. The advancement into a so-called smart energy system or a smart grid produces new challenges. With the introduction of distributed, renewable generation (solar, wind, small hydro power, etc.) and controllable loads (electric vehicles, energy storage systems, heat pumps, etc.), new and advanced automation, control, and Information and Communication Technology concepts and corresponding methods are required in order to cope with these new challenges. The aim of this Special Issue, therefore, is to tackle the ongoing digitalization-related changes and innovations in the domain of power and energy systems. We invite all papers with novel contributions to the field of automation and electrical grids relating to the following topics:

- Distribution automation and SCADA systems;
- Demand-side and energy management systems;
- Distributed automation concepts for cyber-physical energy systems;
- Advanced information and communication systems;
- Self-healing systems covering fault location, isolation, service restoration, etc.;
- Application of smart grid-related automation standards.





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