



Smart Thermostats for Energy Saving in Buildings

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Message from the Guest Editor

Dear Colleagues,

The Guest Editor is delighted to invite submissions to a Special Issue of *Energies* entitled “Smart Thermostats for Energy Savings in Buildings”. Thermostats are now more often networked and embedded devices, as part of the Internet of Things, and thus considered “smart”. These advanced thermostats enable demand response and use of heating ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment as distributed energy resources (DERs) towards a more resilient and effective utility grid.

Topics of interest for publication include, but are not limited to:

- Advanced or specialized thermostat user interfaces;
- Feedback for improved energy savings;
- Advanced control and machine learning algorithms that reduce energy;
- Data fusion and social data mining for designing advanced connected thermostat functions;
- Commercial building energy management;
- Enabling HVAC as DER;
- Networked thermostats integrated with other systems (e.g., ceiling fans) for energy savings;
- Improved thermal comfort and energy savings optimization;
- Advanced ventilation strategies.





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