

Summary Report

The International Conference on Future Technologies for Wind Energy, held October 7-9, 2013 in Laramie, Wyoming, convened academic scholars, research scientists, and industry representatives to learn and share their knowledge and experience in researching and developing a wide-range of wind energy technologies.

Highlights of the conference:

- 102 attendees
- 57 presentations
- Attendance from 2 OEM wind turbine companies (Siemens and Vestas)
- Presentations from 13 U.S.
 Universities, including the best wind programs in the U.S.
- 9 presentations from wellrespected institutions outside the U.S.
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Conference comments:

- "Best small conference I've been to ever"
- "The organization was outstanding all the talks occurred on time"
- "One of the best wind energy conferences I have attended in recent years"
- "The speakers' dinner was excellent and a highlight of the trip" (from a European attendee)
- "I think we can characterize the attendees as "Tier 1" for the wind energy research community"

