

SURFING THE WAVE OF ADVANCED M&V: WHAT OUR INDUSTRY NEEDS TO KNOW

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SESSION SUMMARY:

This panel will explore the role of technology—advanced M&V—whole-building software and associated data—relevant to residential and C&I sectors—in the future of evaluation of utility efficiency programs. In the changing landscape of utilities efficiency is part of the distributed energy resource. There is growing interest in and need for rapid feedback, and timing and geographic location of impacts can matter, as well. What do evaluators and regulators of energy efficiency programs need to know and do to surf the wave of advanced M&V that is hitting our industry, such as:

- How do we assess the performance, cost, promise, and value of advanced M&V?
- What do regulators need to know to guide the direction of energy efficiency in the next generation of technology and grid planning?
- What energy program evaluation and other needs can advanced M&V meet?