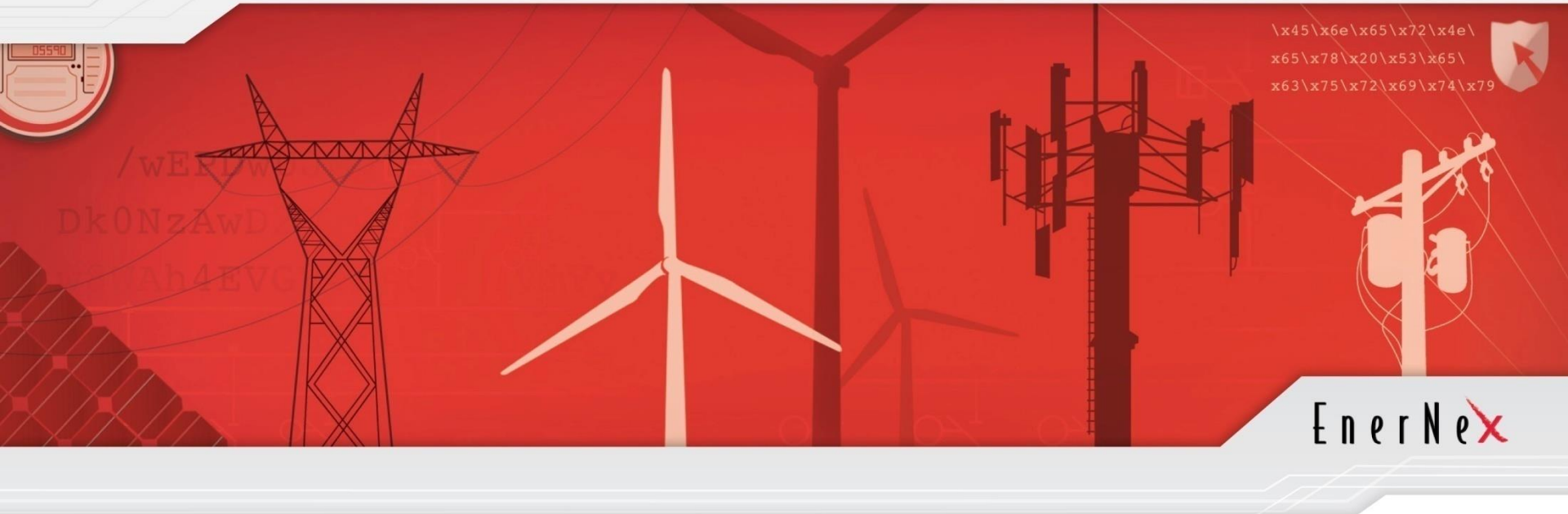


# 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Meeting IIT Wind Consortium

EnerNex Update  
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# EnerNex Background

- ▶ Power system engineering consulting firm
  - Traditional power system studies
  - Smart Grid development and deployment
- ▶ About 2/3 of power system studies are wind energy-related
  - Wind turbine model development and simulation studies for turbine vendors
  - Balance-of-plant electrical studies for project developers and EPCs
  - Bulk system interconnection studies
  - Power system operational studies (integration); e.g. EWITS, ISO-NE, PJM, MISO



# Scope

- ▶ Development of a comprehensive tutorial on
  - Wind energy technology
  - Interconnection to the bulk electric system
  - Integration with system operations
- ▶ Overview
  - 3-day course
  - Targeted at power system professionals, students
  - Can be presented in seminar form, or lectures
- ▶ Joint ownership of course materials by IIT/EnerNex



# Outline - 1

## ▶ Background

- Utility wind integration state of the art
- Costs and benefits of large scale integration of wind power
- Discussion of different wind turbine design concepts

## ▶ Wind Turbine Modeling and Simulation

- Introduction to wind turbine modeling and simulation
- Wind turbine control issues
- Dynamic simulation studies related to wind power
- Specific simulation experiences, e.g., voltage control, reactive power control, low voltage ride-thru, system stability



# Outline - 2

## ▶ Power System Planning Issues

- Basic aspects of network integration
- Capacity value and cost of ancillary services
- Experiences with wind power integration in the US and Europe

## ▶ Power System Operation Issues

- Power system operation and balancing: evaluation and management of the uncertainty of short-term wind power variations
- Wind forecasting: Available tools and methods for short and medium term forecasting for improved power system operations planning
- Voltage control, power quality and protection issues
- Grid codes and recent US and European experiences
- High penetration issues



# Status & Schedule

- ▶ 1<sup>st</sup> draft of materials completed
- ▶ Completion mid-September 2011