



Subject: Invitation to Participate in Training on Identifying and Mitigating Risks for Biogas Projects

On behalf of the Global Methane Initiative (GMI), we are pleased to invite you to participate in a virtual training on identifying and mitigating financial and technical risks of biogas projects. The training will be conducted virtually over WebEx on **July 11 at 3 p.m. IST**. The training is hosted by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) and organized by The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI) jointly with Abt Associates.

The goal of this training is to provide participants with an in-depth understanding of the importance of risk analysis in biogas projects, including a demonstration of how to use the [Risk Analysis Checklist for Biogas Projects](#) to identify and mitigate risks associated with biogas projects. The Risk Analysis Checklist for Biogas Projects provides “best practices” for designing, implementing, and evaluating anaerobic digestion (AD)/biogas projects.

In addition, the training will demonstrate how to use the [Anaerobic Digestion Screening Tool](#), to estimate biogas and energy production potential from different feedstocks.

The training will be delivered by TERI and Abt Associates who have extensive knowledge in biogas projects and risk analysis. The training will cover topics such as how to assess risks around biogas project feedstocks, outputs, operations, and financial feasibility.

This training will be highly beneficial for biogas project stakeholders in India, including loan providers and project developers, who are involved in the funding and implementation of biogas projects. We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity to enhance your knowledge and skills in this field.

To confirm your participation, please register for the training at the following link: https://register.teriin.org/webinar/webinar_register.php?w_id=V0VCSU5BUI8xOTA. If you have any questions or concerns regarding the training, please contact us.

Thank you for your time, and we look forward to your participation.

Sincerely,

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Time	Agenda	Speaker
<i>Moderator: Mr. David Cooley, Senior Associate, Abt Associates</i>		
3:00 – 3:10 PM	Welcome note	<i>Shri Dinesh Jagdale, Joint Secretary, Ministry of New and Renewable Energy, Govt. of India</i>
3:10 – 3:50 PM	Risk Analysis Checklist for Biogas Projects	<i>Mr. Nagendra Kumar, Fellow, TERI</i>
3:50 – 4:20 PM	Anaerobic Digestion Screening Tool	<i>Mr. David Cooley, Senior Associate, Abt Associates</i>
4:20 – 4:30 PM	Question and Answer Session	<i>Mr. David Cooley and Mr. Nagendra Kumar</i>