

Special Issue

Intelligent Control in Smart Energy Systems

Message from the Guest Editors

In this Special Issue, entitled “Intelligent Control for Smart Energy Systems”, we want to look at a few of the latest applications using intelligent control applied to the areas in energy systems that will most benefit from this holistic approach, such as but not limited to: 1) Energy management systems capable of learning how to schedule the energy allocation at minimum cost on the base of the electricity market prices; 2) Integration of intelligent control strategies for microgrid systems to be capable of integrating and managing multiple distributed energy resources. 3) Intelligently integrated behavior and actions of all the actors (generators, consumers and prosumers, maintenance team) connected to the electric energy system to supply safe, economical, and sustainable electricity; 4) Combining two emerging technologies, smart buildings and microgrid systems, to include the improvements of indoor comfort and electric energy efficiency. Both should be obtained by developing an effective building energy management system to minimize power consumption without compromising the occupants’ comfort.

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