

**Financing Solar in Hard Times:
A Policy Review**

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Agenda

20 February 2009
Lecture Room
National Academy of Sciences
2100 C Street, NW
Washington, DC

9:00 AM Welcome
Charles Wessner, The National Academies

Opening Remarks
W. Clark McFadden, Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP

9:10 AM Panel I: Energy and the Stimulus—Overview
Moderator: Robin Gaster, ASTRA and ITIF

• Steven Taub, General Electric Energy Financial Services • George Sterzinger, Renewable Energy Policy Project • Marc Stanley, National Institute of Standards and Technology

10:00 AM Coffee Break

10:15 AM Panel II: Financing Solar—Core Issues
Moderator: Tyrone Taylor, Capitol Advisors on Technology, LLC

• Mark Bolinger, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory • Brian Sager, Nanosolar Inc.
• Fred Morse, Abengoa Solar Inc.

11:15 AM Panel III: How Much is Enough? Lessons from Feed in Tariffs in Spain and Germany
Moderator: Richard Bendis, Bendis Investment Group, LLC

• Travis Bradford, Prometheus Institute
• Martha Duggan, SunEdison
• Juan Francisco Martinez Garcia, Embassy of Spain

12:30 PM Luncheon Presentation and Discussion

• Charles Wessner, The National Academies

1:30 PM Adjourn