

**Working Group on Distribution Automation  
IEEE PES 2006 General Meeting  
Monday, June 19 from 3:00 to 4:00 pm  
Room 513 e  
Palais des congrès de Montréal  
Montréal (Québec), Canada**

**Agenda**

- Introductions of the members
- Minutes of the Meeting held during the IEEE PES 2005 General Meeting at San Francisco
- New Officers for the next two-year term
- Discussion of the Scope of the Working Group
- Tutorial on Distribution Automation
- DA Trends and Projects
- Any Other Item with the permission of the Chair

## Scope as currently displayed on IEEE web site

Treatment and advancement of design concepts and philosophies as they apply to the automation and optimization of overhead and underground distribution systems. Development of environmentally acceptable and technically and economically feasible design guidelines.

## Previously Used

- **SCOPE**

The scope of the Working Group on Distribution Automation includes the treatment, consideration, and advancement of design concepts and philosophies as they apply to the automation and optimization of overhead and underground distribution systems. This includes the development of design guidelines, which are environmentally acceptable, technically and economically feasible. Automation design concepts should focus on optimizing total system benefits.

- **OBJECTIVES**

Our objectives are to contribute to the Distribution Subcommittee in the following areas:

1. Encourage the preparation, review, and presentation of technical papers and reports on Distribution Automation.
2. To serve as a forum for the exchange of Distribution Automation information such as the status of projects, available equipment, software systems services and economics.
3. Sponsor technical/panel sessions at summer and winter power meetings as well as the T & D conferences.
4. Identify and evaluate industry needs.
5. Promote research and development in automation of distribution systems.
6. Coordinate with other system related activities throughout IEEE by maintaining effective liaison with other committees.
7. Participate in the development and maintenance of industry standards and guidelines.
8. Develop educational initiatives on Distribution Automation such as tutorials and seminars.