



**BCSE Side Event at 8th Clean Energy Ministerial
Beijing, China**

Date: June 6, 2017
Time: 16:30 – 18:00
Location: China National Convention Center (CNCC) Room 208AB

Making the Business Case for Investing in Energy Efficiency, Management and Productivity

*“The private sector is committed to investing in energy efficiency
and energy management systems because it makes economic sense.”*

This side event will showcase multi-national private sector companies that are leaders in providing technologies, systems and solutions that manage energy production, use and storage in all sectors of our economies – from industry to transportation to the built environment. It will demonstrate that the trend towards more energy efficient and productive economies is well rooted and underway in CEM countries.

This panel of corporate executives will make the business case for continued action by both the public and private sector – in terms of energy and financial savings and economic growth – while also demonstrating the environmental, climate and resilience co-benefits of energy efficiency.

It will share how companies are working to meet CEM campaign objectives, to double their own energy productivity and improve the efficiency of their own operations and products, and how they are working with governments and industry partners to achieve similar goals. These companies that are producing the technology solutions that will help cities, states and national governments meet their energy efficiency and energy productivity goals.

Speakers:

- Lisa Jacobson, President, Business Council for Sustainable Energy
- Clay Nesler, Vice President, Global Sustainability and Industry Initiatives, Johnson Controls
- Mike Thompson, Global Director, Refrigerant Applications, Ingersoll Rand
- Bill Sisson, Sr. Director, Sustainability, UTRC, United Technologies Corporation
- Harry Verhaar, Head of Global Public & Government Affairs, Philips Lighting
- Nellie Cheng, Managing Director, China, US Green Building Council
- Elizabeth Pei, Director, Corporate Affairs, Schneider Electric China
- Kateri Callahan, President, Alliance to Save Energy

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