**2016 ERCOT BLACK START TRAINING REGISTRATION Information**

Registration for the 2016 ERCOT Black Start Training **opens on December 1, 2015**. All participants are required to register through this link: [**2016 ERCOT BLACK START REGISTRATION LINK**](http://www.cvent.com/d/0fqkzg%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20) and in the ERCOT LMS – click here 🡪 [**ERCOT LMS**](https://www2.virtualtrainingassistant.com/Ercot/LearnerConnection/Security/Logon.aspx) to track course completion. **Payment of the training registration fee through the Cvent registration link is required before registration is confirmed**.

The early bird registration deadline is January 1, 2016. **ALL** payments received/post marked after this date will incur a $75 late fee to be received before confirmation of registration. **\*NO EXCEPTIONS\*.**

* Cost of Early Bird Registration through January 1, 2016 - **$150.00** (non-refundable)
* Cost of Late Registration after January 1, 2016 - **$225.00** (non-refundable)
* **Cancellation of registration for any reason will not be refunded**.
* Full attendance to every hour of the 3-day session is required as a prerequisite to the online exam and receipt of memento.
* Registration will not be complete and honored if payment is not received in full by the respective payment deadline

**HOW TO REGISTER**

Space is limited. TOPs may register a full crew per session and QSEs/GOPs may register a maximum of (6) students per session. Accepted registrants will receive a Confirmation email/receipt of payment. To register:

* **Cvent registration link (confirm registration session and payment):** [**2016 ERCOT BLACK START REGISTRATION LINK**](http://www.cvent.com/d/0fqkzg%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20%20)
* **ERCOT Learning Management System (LMS)–** Make sure you have a user profile created in our new LMS system to take the test at the end of your session, if not already created: [**ERCOT LMS**](https://www2.virtualtrainingassistant.com/Ercot/LearnerConnection/Security/Logon.aspx)

* **LMS course tracking and Black Start Test -**  Log in to your ERCOT LMS account. [**ERCOT LMS**](https://www2.virtualtrainingassistant.com/Ercot/LearnerConnection/Security/Logon.aspx) **🡪 Catalog 🡪 Seminars 🡪 Black Start 🡪 choose the session date (The LMS session must match the registration/payment session confirmation).**

**HOTEL INFO**

The following are suggestions for overnight accommodations with ERCOT rates for your convenience. You may access the hotel websites through the links below. Please reference “ERCOT” rate for the fixed rate:

* Hampton Inn & Suites – Hutto (512)-846-2992
  + [**Hampton Inn & Suites Hutto**](http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/texas/hampton-inn-and-suites-hutto-AUSHUHX/index.html)
    - 327 Ed Schmidt Blvd – Hutto, TX 78634
      * King/2 Queens - $89/night
* Holiday Inn Express – Hutto (512)846-1168
  + [**Holiday Inn Express - Hutto, TX**](http://www.ihg.com/holidayinnexpress/hotels/us/en/hutto/aushu/hoteldetail)
    - 323 Ed Schmidt Blvd – Hutto, TX 78634
      * King/2 Queens - $85/night

**You are urged to make hotel reservations as soon as possible to ensure that you have accommodations.** All individuals are also responsible for contacting the hotel to change or cancel their reservations should the need arise. ERCOT will not be held responsible for any hotel charges.

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