Rocky Mountain Energy Economics Banquet

On October 30th, the CSM chapter of the United States Association for Energy Economics (USAEE) hosted a banquet to provide networking opportunities for students, faculty and industry representatives. This event aimed to help bridge the gap between academia and industry in the regional energy community.

The program hosted multiple speakers from the Front Range energy economics community, including Doug Arent Ph.D., Executive Director of the Joint Institute for Strategic Energy Analysis (JISEA) as keynote speaker.

In addition to his NREL responsibilities, Doug Arent is Sr. Visiting Fellow at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, serves on the American Academy of Arts and Sciences Steering Committee on Social Science and the Alternative Energy Future, is a member of the National Research Council Committee to Advise to U.S. Global Change Research Program (USGCRP), and is a Member of the Keystone Energy Board. Arent was recently invited to serve on the World Economic Forum Future of Electricity Working Group, and is a member of the International Advisory Board for the journal Energy Policy.

Arent has a Ph.D. from Princeton University, an MBA from Regis University, and a bachelor's of science from Harvey Mudd College in California. [http://www.jisea.org/]

Students, faculty, and industry representatives at the CSM-USAEE Banquet on October 30.