

## **U.S.-AFRICA** CLEAN ENERGY STANDARDS PROGRAM

Effective energy storage technology and standards increase the flexibility of the electrical grid and helps to incorporate renewable energies into a country's energy mix. If deployed effectively, energy storage will help to levelize on and off-grid systems to support more reliable and cost-effective electricity across Benin. Similarly, incorporating best practices to support the efficient use of available energy will increase Benin's ability to maximize its energy resources.

This workshop will feature presentations by U.S. and Beninois experts from both the public and private sectors on key initiatives in support of Benin's national grid: energy storage and energy efficiency. It will foster discussion on opportunities in the Beninois market as well as crosscutting issues affecting other West African markets and beyond.

## July 26-27, 2018

9:00 am – 5:00 pm Azalaï Hôtel de la Plage Cotonou, Benin

To register, email <u>us-africacesp@ansi.org</u>. Kindly indicate name, title, organization, contact email and telephone number.

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