

# CPS Week 2014

## N<sup>2</sup> Women Lunch Meet

Tuesday, 15<sup>th</sup> April 2014

12:30 – 13:30

Room Quarz, andel's Hotel Berlin



### Guest Speaker : Prof. Marija D. Ilic

Interactive session with Prof. Ilic, where we will first bring out the challenges faced by women, specifically in academia. This would be followed by an interesting talk by Prof. Ilic, where she would share with us her personal experience and journey.

Title : “Things never quite turn out the way you plan it...maybe better?”

#### Speaker Bio:

Prof. Ilic received her Doctor of Science Degree in Systems Science and Mathematics at Washington University in St. Louis, MO in 1980, and all other degrees in Electrical Engineering at the University of Belgrade, Serbia. She is currently a Professor at Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, with a joint appointment in the Electrical and Computer Engineering and Engineering and Public Policy Departments. She is the Director of the Electric Energy Systems Group (EESG). She was an Assistant Professor at Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, and tenured Associate Professor at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. She was a Senior Research Scientist in the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, from 1987 to 2002. She has 30 years of experience in teaching and research in the area of electrical power system modeling and control. Her main interest is in the systems aspects of operations, planning, and economics of the electric power industry. She has co-authored several books, including the recent book entitled “Engineering IT-Enabled Sustainable Electricity Service: The Tale of Two Low-Cost Green Azores Islands”. This book is the first real power system repository of smart grid data and is publicly available. Prof. Ilic is an IEEE Fellow.

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