



Lake States TAPPI Energy Forum

November 6, 2025

7:30 – 8:15 am	Registration and Sign-In (Coffee and Juice Provided)
8:15 – 8:30 am	Welcome and Introductions – Dan Goymerac – Miron Construction, Lake States TAPPI Chairperson Gary Hegewald – Moderator
8:30 – 8:45 am	Keynote
8:45 – 9:30 am	Panel Discussion: AI and Cost Reduction – Success Stories <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sanjay Mohan, Executive Director – AI Strategy, MKE Tech Hub Coalition• Joseph Arthur Hamann, Executive Director, Connected System Institute, UW-Milwaukee• Grace Murray, Communications Manager, Tiletown Tech, Green Bay
9:30 – 10:15 am	Valmet: Technical Discussion
10:15 – 10:35 am	Session Break (Coffee & Soda Provided)
10:35 – 12:05 pm	Energy Audits & Success Stories Roundtable <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tim Hicks, Director Power Tech Services, Billerud• David Leeder, Project Engineer, Energy, Ahlstrom Specialty• TBD, ND Paper• Jon Waterman, Little Rapids *More speakers to be confirmed
12:05 – 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 – 1:30 pm	Nick Sovacool – Moderator <i>WPC Energy Engagement & Advocacy</i> – Scott Suder – President – Wisconsin Paper Council WPC Energy Committee
1:30 – 2:15 pm	Using TAPPI TIPs, Scorecards, & Energy Guidebook to Reduce Energy Usage Dick Reese – Subject Matter Expert, CleanTech Partners
2:15 – 3:00 pm	SMART Systems – Bob Carney – Director of Product – Rolls – Andritz
3:00 – 3:20 pm	Session Break (Coffee & Soda Provided)
3:20 – 4:00 pm	Hood Studies and Heat Recovery – Don Carpenter – Sr Sales and Technical Support Engineer – Enerquin
4:00 – 4:15 pm	Wrap Up

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING