Participants will learn about the economics, politics, science, and technology behind renewable energy implementation from leading experts, while exploring communities and relevant energy sites where such technology is in place or currently being implemented.

The U.S.-Denmark Summer Workshop on Renewable Energy is a unique educational initiative developed by leading universities in Denmark and California. The two-week workshop, with a week of online prep before the workshop (7/25–7/31), takes place annually in California and Denmark with the 2016 edition in California. It starts with one week of online preparation and continues with two weeks of lectures, seminars and field trips in California. The faculty is composed of U.S. and Danish professors, as well as external professionals and researchers with proven experience in their field. Students will work on team-based projects related to renewable energy solutions to specific problems. The interdisciplinary approach and holistic perspective allows students with various academic backgrounds to interact and develop concrete final project ideas, while targeting today’s energy problems from different angles.

Open For All Students!

The workshop is intended for students of all disciplines, chosen on the basis of their academic qualifications, creativity, and commitment to renewable energy. Each year, selected students from engineering, business, science, environmental studies, political science, economics, and other fields are grouped together across disciplines and national ties to form project-based teams that throughout the workshop investigate the opportunities and challenges facing renewable energy implementation.

Application Deadline—March 31, 2016!

Course Fees (tuition): $1,092
Estimated Lodging, Food, and Travel: $2,354 (plus airfare)
This course is worth 4 credits and is offered through UC Santa Cruz Summer Session. Financial aid fellowships are available for current qualified students at U.S. universities who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

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